

Out of the blue a letter arrives addressed to your class...

It contains some rather strange questions

How do we tell right from wrong? Do animals have rights?

What is time?

Could you be dreaming?

Are you free?

Where do numbers come from?

Could a computer think?

What's the point of school?

Dear Children

Have you ever wondered about these kinds of questions? These are philosophical questions; mysterious, interesting and important questions with no easy answers - questions that really make you think!

I'm inviting you on a thinking adventure, an adventure full of questions. If you take up my challenge, soon you'll be asking philosophical questions of your own, and making some wonderful discoveries along the way.

What do you say?

This is how your philosophical adventure with Thinking Space begins!

A philosophical adventure

For primary school children and their teachers

Each week, for twelve weeks, one of our experienced and playful philosophy teachers will visit your school with a mysterious letter, postcard or package.

Each surprise provides the stimulus for an expertly facilitated philosophical enquiry workshop that will introduce your class to the core cross-curricular skills and habits associated with *Philosophy for Children* (P4C): critical and creative thinking that is also caring and collaborative.

Sessions evolve naturally out of the children's interests and with your input can link to your topic, literacy and numeracy work. Led by skilled philosophical educators who are fully trained, vetted and insured, workshops also introduce some of the most stimulating, child-friendly philosophical issues around today.



"I don't think I've ever worked on anything quite as interesting as this."

- Mr Brashaw, Y5 Teacher,
Meynell Primary, Sheffield

"Since we started doing philosophy my class has been popping with questions!"

- Mariam, Y4 Pupil,
Shire Oak Primary, Leeds



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