The Show Must Go On: The Young Performer

Academic Enhancement • Ages 13-16 • King's College London



Course Key Facts:

- 2 week duration
- 4 July / 18 July
- £2,950 per week
- King's College London
- 25 hours per week
- Ages 13-16
- B2 (upper-intermediate) minimum language level
- Industry certification

Course Overview

Bucksmore Education recognises that the performing arts play a significant role in developing a persons creativity, confidence, coordination, language and communication skills. At all stages of life the skills learned in this genre can be transferred and help a student develop and reach their full potential in education and beyond.

By partnering with a top West End theatre company West End On Demand, students will receive first hand experience of the industry and a true taste of West End Theatre. Students on the course will be taught by top West End professionals and the best of the theatre industry whilst they learn acting, singing, dance, stage combat and puppetry, as well as taking part in West End workshops, watching West End shows and going on a theatre tour! At the end of the 2 week course there will be a presentation followed by an award ceremony.

Learning Objectives

- Gain an understanding of the West End Theatre Industry
- Experience a range of classes to sample the different components that make up a theatre performance on stage
- Meet and work with top theatre industry professionals who will share their first hand experience and industry knowledge
- Improve confidence and communication skills
- Improve team work and ensemble skills
- Build on talent and performance skills
- Understand and gain insight into what is required for a career in theatre

Course Outcomes

The course offers students the means to gain industry certification from our partner West End On Demand. Students taking this course will gain:

- A West End On Demand Certificate Of Completion
- Contacts in the West End Theatre Industry
- A Bucksmore Theatre Award

Course Partners

West End On Demand is a leading performing arts organisation offering real-life insights into the industry. Their exciting workshops are taught by cast members from the top West End shows ensuring that students will receive a truly purposeful and relevant experience. They are passionate about learning through drama and focus on building confidence, creativity, communication skills and talent, whilst having lots of fun.



Additional Information

Our Academic Enhancement courses differ from other options across our wide portfolio. There are only 20 places available per 2 week session open to students of all nationalities, which means places are given on a first come, first serve basis. The structure of the course sees students working in groups to complete the course project, and the strict language level ensures that every student will still have a fullfilling experience without Bucksmore's usual nationality cap. The course is industry aligned, from the content to the tutors and to the overall experience.