

YOUTH THEATRE



**2023 -
2024**



Age 6 to 18

Take a first step onto the professional stage with our youth theatre productions. Experience the thrill of live performance with costume, set, microphones, programmes and more. Make life long friendships and discover your voice!

1st Round Auditions

Choose from:



9th Sep

- 9am-12:30pm



9th Sep

- 1:30-5pm



10th Sep

- 1:30-5pm



13th & 14th Sep

- 4-7pm
- 15 minute slots

Recalls

WE ARE UNABLE TO ACCOMMODATE CHILDREN WHO CANNOT ATTEND AN AUDITION DAY

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Cost

Payment for this production is spread across two terms.

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Rehearsal Dates

Not all children will be required every week for the full rehearsal time. Please refer to the 'Rehearsal Schedule' in section 5 of this document.

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Show Dates

All show dates in this pack must be kept completely free until your cast allocation has been announced. We will take religious restrictions into account when choosing groups.

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Character Roles

Every child's contribution is important and valued regardless of the size of their role. Taking part in a production is bigger than becoming a 'star'; it's about developing skills, learning rehearsal etiquette and developing life long memories.

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Rehearsal Schedule

Please make sure you can commit to the full rehearsal every Sunday until you receive your casting allocation.

COST

01

INVOICED: PER TERM

TERMS: TWO

ROLE

Leads and Main Ensemble

Mini Ensemble

PRICE PER TERM

£180

£120

WHAT DO THESE FEES COVER?

Your termly fees contribute to the cost of the director, musical director, choreographer, production assistants, headshot photographer, costume, props, set, microphones, licensing fees and studio hire.

Ticket sales cover theatre hire, technicians, stage managers, chaperones and production photos.



DISCOUNTS

- 10% sibling discount
- 10% discount if attending other Big Time group classes

REHEARSAL CALENDAR

2023/2024

- Rehearsal Dates - Big Time Studios
- Tech, Dress & Show Dates - The Radlett Centre
These will depend on what cast your child is in

SEPTEMBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

OCTOBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

NOVEMBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

DECEMBER

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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JANUARY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

FEBRUARY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

IMPORTANT DATES

- 5th November 2023 Headshots
- 21st January 2024 Costume Fittings

SHOW DATES

03

 The Radlett Centre, Aldenham Avenue, WD7 8HL

Cast One	Leads and main ensemble
Cast Two	Leads and main ensemble

REHEARSALS			
Tech	Sunday 18th February 1:00-6:30pm	Tech	Sunday 18th February 1:00-6:30pm
Dress	Monday 19th February 4:00-7:00pm	Dress	Tuesday 20th February 4:00-7:00pm

SHOWS			
Show One	Wednesday 21st February 6:00-7:15pm	Show Two	Thursday 22nd February 6:00-7:15pm
Show Three	Friday 23rd February 6:00-7:15pm	Show Four	Saturday 24th February 1:15-2:30pm
Show Five	Saturday 24th February 4:15-5:30pm	Show Six	Sunday 25th February 10:30-11:45am
Show Seven	Sunday 25th February 1:15-2:30pm	Show Eight	Sunday 25th February 4:15-5:30pm

MINI ENSEMBLE	
Cast One (Show 1 & 6)	18th February (1:00-3:30pm), 19th February (4:00-7:00pm)
Cast Two (Show 3 & 5)	18th February (4:00-6:30pm), 20th February (4:00-7:00pm)
Cast Three (Show 2 & 7)	18th February (1:00-3:30pm), 19th February (4:00-7:00pm)
Cast Four (Show 4 & 8)	18th February (4:00-6:30pm), 20th February (4:00-7:00pm)

CHARACTER ROLES

04

There are no small roles only small actors



BEAST



COGSWORTH



MRS POTTS



LUMIERE



BELLE



MADAME DE LA GRANDE BOUCHE



CHIP



LEFOU



BABETTE



MAURICE



SILLY GIRLS



ENCHANTRESS

VILLAGERS



SERVANTS & NARRATORS



REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

SUBJECT TO
CHANGE

	LEADS	MAIN ENSEMBLE	MINI ENSEMBLE
17th September	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:15-3:00pm
24th September	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm	Cast One & Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two & Four 3:20-5:30pm
1st October	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 3:10-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-3:00pm
8th October	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm	Cast One & Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two & Four 3:20-5:30pm
15th October	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One & Three 1:00-2:30pm Cast Two & Four 2:30-4:00pm
22nd October	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm	Cast One & Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two & Four 3:20-5:30pm
HALF TERM 29TH OCTOBER			
5th November	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm
12th November	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Four 3:20-5:30pm

	LEADS	MAIN ENSEMBLE	MINI ENSEMBLE
19th November	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm
26th November	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Four 3:20-5:30pm
3rd December	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm
10th December	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Four 3:20-5:30pm
DECEMBER HOLIDAYS			
7th January	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm
14th January	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	All casts 1:00-5:30pm	Cast Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Four 3:20-5:30pm
21st January	Cast One 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-5:30pm	Cast One & Three 1:00-5:30pm
28th January	Cast Two 1:00-5:30pm	Cast Two 1:00-5:30pm	Cast Two & Four 1:00-5:30pm

	LEADS	MAIN ENSEMBLE	MINI ENSEMBLE
4th February	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm	Cast One & Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two & Four 3:20-5:30pm
11th February	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm	Cast One 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two 3:20-5:30pm	Cast One & Three 1:00-3:10pm Cast Two & Four 3:20-5:30pm
SHOW WEEK STARTS 18TH FEBRUARY			

DO I NEED TO PROVIDE ANYTHING FOR THE PERFORMANCE?

- Students will need black jazz/dance shoes and may be asked to provide their own tights, shorts and vest tops for underneath costumes.



HOW MANY CHILDREN AUDITION?

- It varies from year to year. In 2022 we had just over 90 children audition.

HOW MANY CHILDREN GET A PLACE?

- This all depends on the show, what roles are available and the staff ratio for rehearsals. We try to give as many opportunities as possible through double casting. Our 2023 cast was made up of 50 students.

Please click here to view 'A Parent's Guide to Theatre' provided by the licensing company. It has some helpful information on how to prepare your child for not getting the part they want, or a place in the show this time around.



After Show Party

Join us for our 'Red Carpet' after show party. The perfect excuse to wear a fancy frock or cool suit!

DANCING - GAMES - AWARDS - PRIZES

Monday 26th February

Evening - timings TBC

Venue:

TBC



