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Curriculum For Excellence Continuing Professional Development



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Who we are?

Scottish Youth Theatre has 35 years of experience in providing quality, hand on theatre arts experiences for teachers people aged 2.5 to 25 years old throughout Scotland.

Why Scottish Youth Theatre?

Scottish Youth Theatre is best placed to work on Curriculum for Excellence as the company's ethos has always focused on creating Confident Individuals, Successful Learners, Effective Contributors and Responsible Citizens.

"Excellent event, very well delivered by the tutor. Really enjoyed the day"

- Teacher, Ann Lanntair, Stornaway



Continuing Professional Development for Nursery Teachers

★ 'Drama Workshop Toolbox'

This **4hr** session is about inspiring teachers, developing confidence in their own delivery, learning new games and exercises to energise, focus and encourage group work. Participants will then use these tools to design their own lesson based on the Toolbox Techniques. Action rhymes, teacher in role, lively games and tips on focus whilst keeping the excitement of a drama story alive. The highly skilled and experienced staff will provide handy tips on how to plan a workshop. Be inspired, refreshed, ask questions and create.

Handout provided.

Max number : 20

'The Production Toolbox'

This **4hr** session passes onto teachers a series of tried and tested methods, techniques and rehearsal templates to employ when working towards a nursery school production. Considering staging, set, costume and the use of music, the participants will have plenty of opportunity to learn ways to manage the stress and success of the nursery school play.

Handout provided.

Max number : 20

"The different drama presentations were an excellent way of learning, super experience for pupils & staff. Most enjoyable, well done!"

- *Teacher, Burray Primary School, Orkney*



Continuing Professional Development for Primary Teachers

★ **That's Not My Subject— Using drama across the curriculum :**

This 4 hr session is about inspiring primary school teachers who would like to learn about drama exercises and techniques that can be easily transferred into all areas of curriculum. 'role play' in languages, 'teacher in role' in environmental studies and 'tableaux' in religious and moral education to name a few.

The session incorporates games, exercises , delivery tips and a passion to energise, focus and bring your class together. From this design a lesson in your subject that uses the toolbox techniques and get handy tips from highly skilled and experienced staff. Be inspired, refreshed, ask questions and create.

Handout provided

Cost: **£400** plus tutor travel

★ **'The Production Toolbox'**

This **4hr** session passes onto teachers a series of tried and tested, over 35 years , methods, techniques and rehearsal templates to follow when working towards a school Production involving primary one to seven. Considering staging, set, costume and use of music the participants will have plenty of opportunity to learn ways to manage the stress and success of the School Production. Handout provided.

Cost: **£400** plus tutor travel

Max nos: 20



Continuing Professional Development for Secondary Teachers

★**That's Not My Subject— Using drama across the curriculum :**

This 4 hr session is about inspiring secondary school teachers who do not teach drama to learn about drama exercises and techniques that can be easily transferred into their own subject areas. 'Hot seating' in history, 'improvisation' in geography and 'tableaux' in history to name a few. The session incorporates games, exercises, delivery tips and a passion to energise, focus and bring your class together. From this design a lesson in your subject that uses the toolbox techniques and get handy tips from highly skilled and experienced staff. Be inspired, refreshed, ask questions and create.

Handout provided

Cost: **£400** plus tutor travel

★**'The Production Toolbox'**

This 4 hr session passes onto teachers a school of tried and tested over 35 years, methods, techniques and rehearsal templates to follow when working towards a theatre production. From choosing a play, identifying your production team, auditioning, rehearsal structures and performance scheduling. Considering staging, set, costume, use of music the participants will have plenty of opportunity to learn ways to manage the stress and success of the youth theatre production.

Handout provided

Cost: **£400** plus tutor travel

Max nos: 20

★**'The Technical Toolbox'**

This fully practical session will allow teachers to work alongside a professional technical stage manager and theatre director to learn the basics in technical stage management. Giving the opportunity to learn skills in design and operating lights that could be transferred to the school show.

The session will use portable lights and board in your school considering the basics of how to rig, focus, use colour and create effects to enhance tension, mood and atmosphere. In addition the workshop will highlight the important role of stage management throughout rehearsal and production period.

A handout will be provided.

Cost: **£500** plus tutor travel

Max nos: 20

* If using own technical equipment there will be additional costs to cover a preparatory meeting and technical prep session in the school



Continuing Professional Development for Special Educational Needs Teachers

★ 'The Workshop Toolbox'

This **4hr** session is about **inspiring** teachers, developing confidence in their own delivery, **learning new games** and exercises to energise, focus and bring everyone together. From this, use workshop templates to design own lesson using the toolbox techniques and get handy tips from highly skilled and experienced staff. Be inspired, refreshed, **ask questions and create**. The session will focus on '**creating a story**' and what creative methods to use to focus on the groups strengths, abilities and likes rather than their disability. This is an opportunity to **seek advice** from a Scottish Youth Theatre Associate Director and follow a tried and tested template .

Participants will be grouped together by the abilities of the young people they work with to create a specialist drama workshop which they can then deliver in their school.

A bullet pointed **handout will be provided**.

Max nos: 20

★ 'The Production Toolbox'

This **4hr** session passes onto teachers a series of tried and tested, over 35 years, methods, techniques and rehearsal templates to follow when working towards a school production. Considering staging, set, costume, use of music the participants will have plenty of opportunity to learn ways to manage the stress and success of the School Production.

Handout provided.

Max nos: 20

COST: £400 TO £600, dependant on range of needs

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