



*INDEPENDENT  
THEATRE  
SCHOOL*



# SATURDAY MUSICAL THEATRE SCHOOL

( 7 years to 18 years )

## PROSPECTUS



## “Developing life skills in young people”

Future Faces was established in Lutterworth in the year 2000 and since that time thousands of students have studied all disciplines of the performing arts here; dance, acting and singing. The ethos of the school is to develop life skills in young people.



At our premises at the Hall Park site, in Lutterworth, we boast some of the best performance spaces in the East Midlands with four bespoke studios of



The student's study the generic disciplines of dance, acting and singing and in doing so build self confidence, improve their communication skills and learn to work closely with others towards achieving a common goal. No divas here! Whatever skills the students possess will be developed so that the individual can become the best one of them that they can whilst of course having lots of fun!

## Learning with fun...



We learn best in an environment of encouragement and fun. We want everyone to feel that they are safe and can express themselves. Whilst we have collective aims, everyone is treated as an individual: all boys and girls are encouraged to develop their talents and to use initiative to do so.

The students perform in two theatre productions each year. One is a show case style production where they perform across the three disciplines of the performing arts in their peer group. This style of production also gives opportunities for solos and small group vocal arrangements.



The second annual production that the students take part in is a full school production where they learn the discipline of being in a fully costumed show either as a Principal Performer or as part of the ensemble.

The weekly curriculum of activity supports the productions. Students learn stage directions, different styles of dance including basic techniques, script work, voice projection, ensemble singing, harmonies and much more. All of this is with a view to ensure that there is co-operation and inter-action between the students. The emphasis is on everyone being fully involved and engaged with the ethos of the School.



## The Classes

Students are allocated to classes based on their age group

**Juniors 7 yrs to 9 yrs**



**Intermediates 10 yrs to 13 yrs**



**Senior Company 14 yrs to 18 yrs**



The session commences with school registration in the main studio. The students are then divided into their appropriate age group and then spend an equal amount of time working through each discipline of dance, singing and acting.

Comfort breaks are provided after each session to interact and take refreshments. Five minutes before the end of the three hour session, the students meet back in the main studio to give out notices and to re-cap on the day.

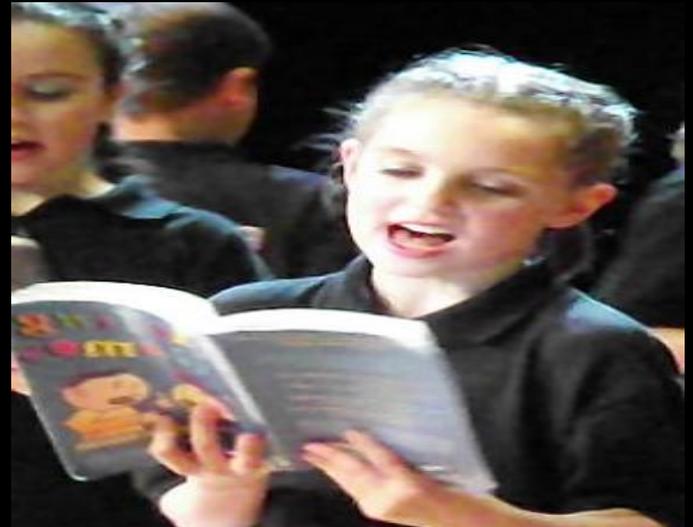


# Enrolment



On application to the School and having completed a medical questionnaire, the student will be invited to spend two full sessions on a, 'pay as you go basis'. This will give the student an opportunity to decide if they wish to continue attending. If the student wishes to join the school, and subject to appropriate behaviour having been observed, a meeting will be held with a member of staff to go through the rules of the School, the behaviour policy and the financial commitment involved.

There is no audition process for Future Faces as we believe that everyone should have the opportunity to develop irrespective of their starting point. Many of our students have gone on to have careers in the performing arts and this trend will continue, however we recognise that most of our students simply come here as a hobby, to interact with and make new friends and to have a good time. As a by product of this they develop their sense of self, build confidence and self-esteem.



All Future Faces Staff are professionally trained industry professional practitioners who share the ethos of the school. They are all DBS (Disclosure and barring Services) checked and are also first aid trained.

We have vast experience dealing with learning difficulties and student's who may have unique issues for whatever reason.



## Safety & Uniform



The health and safety of our students and staff is our first objective. The building is fully alarmed regularly inspected and regular fire drills are conducted to ensure that in the event of an emergency, all members within the building are fully aware of the safety procedures. It is the

responsibility of the parents/guardians to collect their student from the Centre at the due time. Students will not be able to leave the building until an adult is able to collect them.



We believe that the appearance of our students should reflect the standards of the Theatre School and for this reason we have a strict uniform code. All clothing should be clearly labelled with the student's name. All Future Faces branded clothing can be purchased on site at our shop Enchanted Dancewear and details are given at time of enrolment.



- All hair should be tied back prior to commencement of the session with black bobbles only.
- All Jewellery, including ear rings and piercings should be removed prior to the session.
- Only Future Faces T shirts may be worn. No other T shirts are permitted.
- Only Future Faces hoodies may be worn.
- Students must wear all black jazz pants or track suit bottoms. No logos or other colours should be visible.
- Only all black socks are acceptable.
- If leggings are worn then they must be all black.
- Only black jazz shoes or black jazz trainers are acceptable. No other footwear is acceptable. (These should not be worn into the Centre but changed into prior to commencement of the lesson.)

# Fees



Future Faces generally runs alongside the local school timetable. The School invoices six times per annum, every half term. The Parents/Guardians enter into a full termly commitment and all lessons must be paid for irrespective of attendance. Fees are payable at the commencement of the term, in advance, for the full period of the term in one payment. Late penalties can apply.

**Current Fees £19.50 per Saturday Session (3 hours)**

There is also a show card fee of £30 which is invoiced the term before our two Theatre productions each year. This is a contribution towards costumes, sound, lighting, set, props and theatre hire costs.

All fees are inclusive of VAT.

A discount of 20% applies for any sibling(s) of a student. No fees are charged for additional rehearsal time/dates other than those already published.

If you experience an unexpected change in financial circumstances please talk to a member of staff.



Parents receive regular Newsletters and are encouraged to join the Facebook page which gives immediate news updates.

A list of term dates and additional information can be found on the Future Faces website where you can also meet the staff.

[www.futurefaceslutterworth.co.uk](http://www.futurefaceslutterworth.co.uk)



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