



Performing Arts

Welcome message

Hello! We are very much looking forward to welcoming you to study with us in September 2024! The team is busy preparing a fun and exciting study programme for you and can't wait to share with you our curriculum plans. We are also intrigued to see what creative wonders you have in store for us!

Uniform/Kit/PPE (requirements & where/how to order)

Stationery

You will need to supply your own personal stationery. This will be used for theory and also in rehearsal time. We suggest the following:

- A notepad - for all thoughts and ideas (We suggest buying a multi pack as you may want to change these from project to project.)
- Pens - These can be black or blue.
- Pencils - For rough notes and also for marking in your scripts.
- Highlighters - To highlight any important information or lines in scripts.
- An A4 ring binder with plastic wallets - This will be where you store your scripts and any handouts you may be given.
- A rubber - For any mistakes!
- A water bottle - there are plenty of water fountains situated around the college.
- A pencil case - For all of the above stationary.

Throughout the course you may choose to do your work digitally - Whilst there are computers at college, you may wish to bring in your own laptop/tablet etc.

Uniform

You are required to wear all black clothing during your time at college. Clothing may be branded however we ask that you have one set of non branded blacks for performances.



You will need comfortable rehearsal wear and trainers for workshop and rehearsal days. This can include but is not limited to the following;

- Leggings
- Tracksuit bottoms
- Leotards
- Dance shorts and dance tights (girls)
- Shorts
- T shirts
- Black or nude underwear (for performances)
- A sports bra
- Trainers (Black jazz shoes are also handy if you have them)
- Black character shoes (for girls)
- Black smart shoes (for boys)

You may also be asked to dance and perform in bare feet..

All of the above items can be purchased on amazon and at some sports retailers, but here are a couple of suggestions of websites that you could purchase from:

Dance wear:

<https://www.movedancewear.com>

<https://www.dancia.co.uk/>

<https://uk.blochworld.com/>

Trip and Visits Fee

It's essential for Performing Arts students to experience and evaluate live theatre productions. Therefore, we plan at least 3 theatre trips each year. To support the cost of these events, we ask all Performing Arts students to pay a Trips and Visits contribution of £95.00 at Enrolment.

Health & Safety information e.g. no piercings, hair tied back etc

For all practical work you will need to tie long hair back. Jewellery must be removed before rehearsals, single studs will be permitted for rehearsals.



Student expectations (Code of Conduct)

Expectations will be laid out in our student handbook - which will be shared with you and parents shortly after enrolment. We will go through all of our expectations during induction and again mid-year.

Locker info (where applicable)

There will be some lockers provided at the start of the year. These will be given on a first come first served basis on your first day.

Any additional information

N/A