



for **SCHOOLS**
and **COLLEGES**



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Learning with CURVE

At Curve, we offer a range of exciting and engaging cultural opportunities and experiences for creative learning with children, young people, and teachers.



THE BOY AT THE BACK OF THE CLASS

4 - 8 JUN • THEATRE

Recommended for: 7+

Key themes: Friendship, kindness, immigration, refugees, the power of one voice, prejudice and difference

Curriculum links: PSHE, Citizenship, Drama, English and RE



PRIDE & PREJUDICE

13 - 15 JUN • STUDIO THEATRE

Extra activity: Post show discussion 14 Jun

Recommended for: Secondary and FE/HE

Key themes: Family, class, social status, love, gender roles and reputation

Curriculum links: Drama, English, Performing Arts, RE, History and Sociology



A CHORUS LINE

28 JUN - 13 JUL • THEATRE

Extra activity: Theatre Day 10 Jul, Teachers Resource Pack

Recommended for: Secondary and FE/HE

Key themes: Hope, life as a performer, mental health,

abuse, discrimination and world of showbusiness

Curriculum links: Performing Arts, Drama, Dance, PSHE and English



THE MOUNTAINTOP

21 SEP - 5 OCT • STUDIO THEATRE

Recommended for: Secondary and FE/HE

Key themes: Hope, social change, duplicity, inequalities, civil rights movement and death

Curriculum links: English, Drama, Performing Arts, History, PSHE and RE



We want to ensure that every young person has the opportunity to enjoy learning about theatre and performing arts. Our workshops can support the development of creative skills as well as social and emotional wellbeing.

Our vibrant programme of shows run throughout the year and support learning in English, Drama, Dance, Performing Arts, PSHE and across the Curriculum. We also offer insights into careers in the theatre industry and back stage information and tours. Please see the back page for more information.

All our upcoming shows can be found on our website www.curveonline.co.uk/whats-on/

DEAR EVAN HANSEN

1 - 5 OCT • THEATRE

Recommended for: Secondary and FE/HE

Key themes: Belonging, authenticity, grief, social media, mental health and acceptance

Curriculum links: RE, PSHE, Drama and Performing Arts



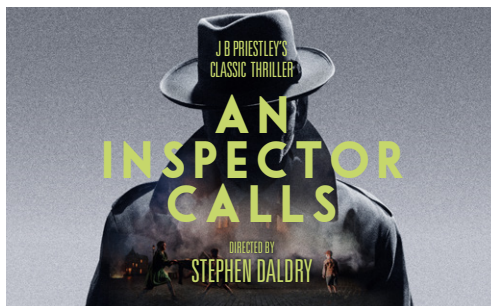
AN INSPECTOR CALLS

29 OCT - 2 NOV • THEATRE

Recommended for: Secondary and FE/HE

Key themes: Class, politics, morality, blame, power, wealth, responsibility, influence, age and gender.

Curriculum links: English, Drama, History, PSHE, Citizenship and RE



MY FAIR LADY

23 NOV - 4 JAN • THEATRE

Extra activity: Theatre Day 11 Dec

Recommended for: 9+ Secondary and FE/HE

Key themes: Class, family, transformation, gender politics, patronage, privilege and social mobility

Curriculum links: Performing Arts, English, Drama, Music and Dance



PIRATES LOVE UNDERPANTS

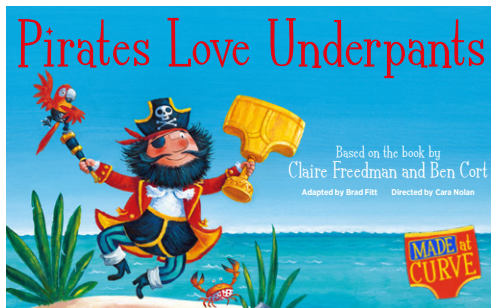
2 DEC - 5 JAN • STUDIO THEATRE

Extra activity: Christmas Cove

Recommended for: 3+ accessible to all

Key themes: Imagination, creativity, puppetry, humour, playfulness, exploring different environments, and quest for treasure

Curriculum links: English, Citizenship, PSHE, Drama and Performing Arts



4 - 8 JUN

LIVE
ON
STAGE

CAN'T
WAIT!

'A LOVELY,
WARM-HEARTED
CELEBRATION OF COURAGE
AND FRIENDSHIP'

The Guardian

DON'T MISS IT!

A Children's Theatre Partnership
and Rose Theatre production

THE
BOY
AT THE
BACK
OF THE
CLASS

Based on the novel by
Onjali Q. Raúf
Adapted by Nick Ahad Directed by Monique Touko

28 JUN - 13 JUL

Audacious

ONE AUDITION!
SEVENTEEN STORIES!
ONE SINGULAR SENSATION!



13 - 15 JUN

CURVE AND DE MONTFORT UNIVERSITY PRESENT

Pride & Prejudice

By Jane Austen

Adapted & Directed by
Curve's Associate Director
CARA NOLAN

Made at
Curve



21 SEP - 5 OCT

Curve and MAST Mayflower Studios present

THE MOUNTAINTOP

DIRECTED BY NATHAN POWELL

BY KATORI HALL

MADE AT
CURVE

PRESENTED BY ARRANGEMENT WITH JOSEF WEINBERGER LIMITED

1 - 5 OCT

"THE MUSICAL OF ITS GENERATION,
FOR ALL GENERATIONS"

BBC Radio 2

THE OLIVIER, TONY & GRAMMY
AWARD-WINNING BEST MUSICAL

DEAR EVAN HANSEN

BOOK BY
**STEVEN
LEVENSON**

MUSIC & LYRICS BY
**BENJ PASEK
& JUSTIN PAUL**

WAVING
THROUGH
A WINDOW

FOR
FOREVER

23 NOV - 4 JAN

Lerner and Loewe's My Fair Lady

Lerner and Loewe's
MY FAIR LADY

Book and Lyrics by
ALAN JAY LERNER

Music by
FREDERICK LOEWE

Directed by
Nikolai Foster

Adapted from George Bernard Shaw's Play and Gabriel Pascal's Motion Picture "PYGMALION"
Original Production Directed and Staged by Moss Hart
Performed by arrangement with Music Theatre International



29 OCT – 2 NOV

J B PRIESTLEY'S
CLASSIC THRILLER

AN INSPECTOR CALLS

DIRECTED BY
STEPHEN DALDRY

The National Theatre's Landmark Production Returns

Curve's Christmas Family Show

2 DEC – 5 JAN

Pirates Love Underpants



Based on the book by
Claire Freedman and Ben Cort

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CURVE

Curve Education Workshops

EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPS

We offer half day or full day workshops throughout the year. These can be linked to a show, supporting skills in dance and drama, aligned to subjects across the curriculum or specific areas identified in School Development Plans.

Get in touch via learning@curvetheatre.co.uk

CAREERS IN THE THEATRE

We can help your students find out about the range of jobs in the theatre, including Front of House, Box Office, Stage Management, Production, Technical Design, Programming and Communications. Combine this with a Behind the Scenes tour or we can arrange a bespoke online opportunity for your students to chat with some of the key people working here at Curve.

THEATRE DAYS

These 2-hour learning sessions in our main theatre offer your students a very special chance to learn first-hand about how a show is made at Curve. Students get the chance to hear from cast and creatives about rehearsal techniques and performance skills. Followed by a technical demonstration showing how sound, lighting, set and costume create the different effects. Interviews and Q and A with key members of the team brings the session to a close.

Theatre days are also usually followed by a matinee performance.

Theatre Day tickets are **£5 per person** for educational groups.

TEACHERS NETWORK AND CPD

A Teachers Network runs throughout the year, so that we can support educators wanting to develop their practice in Drama, English, Dance, Musical Theatre and Performing Arts.

To join the network email learning@curvetheatre.co.uk

CPD is available for individuals, departments and ECT's. This can take place in school or at Curve Theatre. Get in touch to discuss how we can support your development journey.

ARTS AWARD AND ARTSMARK

We have trained **Arts Award** practitioners who can deliver Arts Award at various levels with students in mainstream and SEND settings.(artsaward.org.uk).

We also work in partnership with the city's **Cultural Education Partnership, The City Classroom** (cityclassroom.org) to help connect schools with cultural offers and opportunities.

We are proud to be an **Artsmark Partner Organisation**. If you are a school on an **Artsmark** journey, working with us can support you. Find out about becoming an Artsmark school here. www.artsmark.org.uk

FREE DIGITAL LEARNING RESOURCES

We create free downloadable Learning Packs for all our Made at Curve shows, with interviews and backstage information as well as practical activities to explore for a range of ages.

We also have a monthly podcast, **Curve in Conversation**, giving you insights into rehearsals, backstage and interviews with the key creatives working on a show.

Curve Classroom is an online resource created during lockdown, freely available it covers master classes and lessons across a range of artistic forms.

You can find our digital learning resources at www.curveonline.co.uk/digital-learning-resources/

PRICE

Show costs vary depending on the performance but group bookings are discounted for schools and we provide a number of free staff tickets.

More information can be found on our website: www.curveonline.co.uk/plan-your-visit/group-booking/

For workshops the standard cost at Curve is **£200-£250 for half a day** and **£300-£350 for a full day**, but we may be able to offer lower cost options if budgets are limited. In-school workshops can be delivered upon request and to suit budgets.

To book tickets please contact groupbookings@curvetheatre.co.uk or call **0116 242 3595**.

To book workshops or discuss requirements contact learning@curvetheatre.co.uk or call reception on **0116 4026408** to talk to the **Creative Programmes Team**.

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