WILTSHIRE CREATIVE

CREATIVE LEARNING

SECONDARY SCHOOLS & COLLEGES 2023-24

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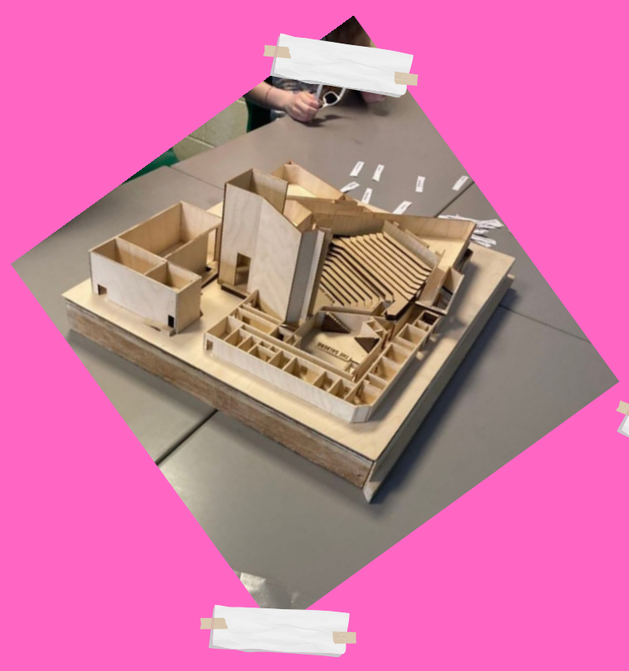
At Wiltshire Creative we provide opportunities for young people to learn through the arts and gain insight into the world of professional performing arts through workshops, visits and creative performance opportunities.

Our specialist practitioners are supportive of delivering sessions within a PRU or SEND setting and our Creative Learning Programme also offers a unique staff CPD experience, as participating teachers observe and collaborate with industry professionals.



CONTACT US:

To book or discuss our Creative Learning programme further, please contact the Take Part Team by email at takepart@wiltshirecreative.co.uk and follow us on Instagram @youngwiltscreative

WORKSHOPS & VISITS

PRICING GUIDANCE:

£110 per class per 1 hour session (up to 30 pupils)
Longer sessions quoted individually, please get in touch to discuss your requirements.

1. INTRODUCTION TO CREATIVE CAREERS WORKSHOP

A 1-hour workshop and Q&A session discovering a world of creative careers. Our Take Part practitioners will visit your school and bring along tailored resources exploring some of the many career options available within the performing arts industry. Suitable for KS3, 4 & 5.

2. BACKSTAGE TOURS AT SALISBURY PLAYHOUSE

Pupils will see the theatre at work, engage with staff, explore the venue and see how a production is developed on and off stage. Suitable for all Key Stages.

3. BESPOKE WORKSHOPS

Tailored workshops designed in collaboration with you. Examples might include:

- Sessions exploring studied texts in English or Drama
- Puppetry
- Play reading
- Drama games for building confidence and developing teamwork

Our practitioners can provide a workshop to suit your requirements across creative disciplines including drama, dance, visual arts or music.

EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

• CREATIVE CAREERS DAY AT SALISBURY PLAYHOUSE

27TH FEB 2024, 9.30AM-2.30PM, £15 PER PUPIL

An opportunity for Key Stage 4 & 5 groups to find out more about the Performing Arts Industry. The day provides a valuable insight into the production process, relevant to all drama students, but is particularly beneficial to students interested in production or a career in live events.

Students will have the opportunity to get hands on by taking part in practical workshops and Q&As led by industry professionals. Workshops have previously included lighting and sound, performance, producing, stage management and costume.

• CREATIVE CAREERS WEEK

WEEK COMMENCING 17TH JUNE 2024, FREE

A deep dive into the world of Wiltshire Creative for a small group of young people aged 14-19 interested in careers in the arts industry. This opportunity is designed to be used as Work Experience. Participants will have the chance to work behind the scenes in our venues and learn about the range of artistic, administrative, and technical roles across the organisation. There is also the chance to obtain a Bronze Arts Award.

Individual applicants should email an expression of interest to takepart@wiltshirecreative.co.uk as early as possible before April 2024. Successful applicants will be informed by the end of May. The email should include their full name and age plus an answer to the question: “Why do you want to take part and how will this opportunity be useful for you in the future?”. (Any skills you would like to learn? Any experiences you would like to have?) This can be provided in written format or video.

• DRAMA SCHOOL AUDITION TRAINING DAY

MONDAY 23RD OCTOBER, 10AM, FREE

A free workshop at Salisbury Playhouse in October half term for young people who are planning to apply to study for a degree in Drama. Participants will learn what to expect in the application process and work with professionals to get support with audition speeches, ask questions about applications and share experiences with other members of the group.

This training day is led by Tom Sherman. Tom trained at Bristol Old Vic Theatre School and is an actor and director, as well as being our FE Performing and Production Arts Course Leader here at Wiltshire Creative! Booking is live online now: Drama School Audition Training Day | Wiltshire Creative

• WILTSHIRE CREATIVE YOUNG AMBASSADORS

NOW RECRUITING!

Wiltshire Creative Young Ambassadors are a group of young people aged 14-21. They are interested in a variety of artforms and support Wiltshire Creative's work with young people in Salisbury and the wider county. The group is open to everyone and meets fortnightly. Members work closely with industry professionals on projects and events. It is great for CVs or university applications, and we are also part of the Digital Badge scheme, allowing participants to earn certificates that demonstrate professional skills. Wiltshire Creative staff are available to visit school assemblies to talk to students about this opportunity!

Young people are invited to send us an expression of interest in any format (such as an email, CV or a video) to takepart@wiltshirecreative.co.uk
Find out more visit our website Young Ambassadors | Wiltshire Creative and follow us on Instagram @youngwiltscreative.

• SCHOOLS & CULTURE NETWORKING EVENT

WEDNESDAY 7TH FEB 2024, 5-7PM, FREE

An opportunity for school and college staff to meet informally with local arts and cultural providers. Find out more about what is on offer in the local area for education settings to enrich the curriculum and enhance students' learning experience.

School staff, artists and arts and heritage organisations will have the opportunity to connect and find opportunities to work together on existing, new or developing ideas, projects and initiatives in schools. Drop in between 5pm and 7pm to meet your local cultural network, refreshments provided.

Contact takepart@wiltshirecreative.co.uk to book.

ARTS AWARD & ARTSMARK

Enhance your pupils' learning experience by delivering Arts Award with our support. Arts Awards are nationally recognised qualifications for learners at all levels, accredited by Trinity College London. To find out more visit: www.artsaward.org.uk

Participating in our Creative Learning programme also supports your school's Artsmark journey. The Artsmark Award is a creative quality standard for schools and education settings, awarded by Arts Council England. Artsmark supports schools to deliver a high-quality arts and cultural education and provides an excellent way to demonstrate this. To find out more visit www.artsmark.org.uk.

GROUP BOOKINGS AT SALISBURY PLAYHOUSE

School group discounts are available for performances at Wiltshire Creative - please contact Ticket Sales directly on 01722 320 333 or email ticketsales@wiltshirecreative.co.uk.

Upcoming curriculum-related shows for 2023 include:

GIRL ON THE TRAIN

19th October – 11th November

Ideal for ages 15+. Gripping drama based on the bestselling novel, demonstrating the process of book to stage.

DICK WHITTINGTON

25th November – 7th January

A classic British tale forms the basis of our dazzling Christmas Pantomime!

For more details, visit our website: www.wiltshirecreative.co.uk