



**TRAINING YOUNG PERFORMERS FOR
CAREERS IN TV, FILM & THEATRE**

PROSPECTUS

WELCOME!

“It is my absolute pleasure and privilege to welcome you to **Scream Theatre Schools**, one of the leading lights in performing arts training for young people in the UK. Inside this pack you will find out more information about us: who we are, what we do, and some of our wonderful success stories.”

Principal, Scream's Triple Threat Academy

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WHO WE ARE

Scream Theatre Schools was established in 1998, and is one of the UK's leading performance academies. We have been offering performing arts classes for more than two decades. In this time, we have helped thousands of students develop their performance abilities and life skills.

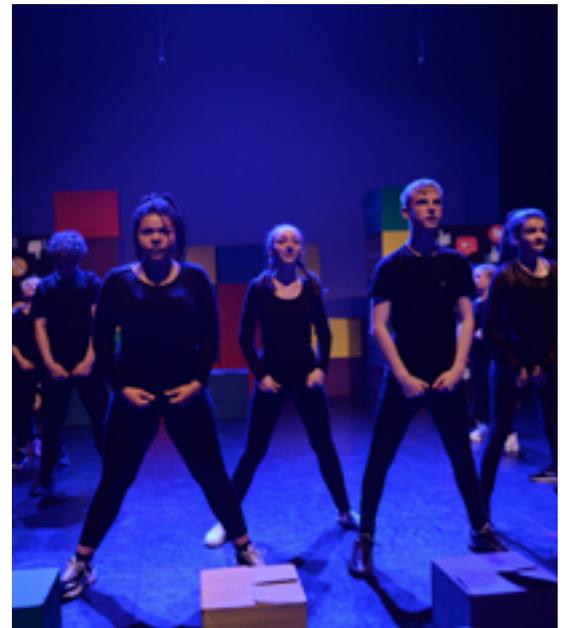
Scream Theatre Schools is all about recognition – we recognise individual talents and strengths and reward the endeavors of our students. Ultimately, our aim is to provide all of our students with the opportunity to develop the skills and techniques needed for a successful career in the arts. We develop attributes, such as self-confidence, as well as the ability to communicate. Our schools offer safe and more importantly, fun places to learn and help people grow.

With more than twenty years' experience, we have developed strong industry relationships /alliances, both in the UK and internationally, with the help of our sister company Scream Management –Talent Agency, who are based at Manchester's MediaCityUK and London's Great Western Studios.

Our students are currently working with a plethora of major broadcasting networks including: ITV, Disney, Nickelodeon, CBeebies, Lime Pictures, as well as huge West End productions.

We are very proud to be able to say, we have even had students nominated for awards by BAFTA!

For further information on Scream Management, please visit screammanagement.com



THE SCREAM TEAM

Our teaching teams are a mix of well trained, industry professionals who teach our students using their vast knowledge and experience in acting, dance and singing.

The Scream team is selected using the 'Scream Criteria' of the **3 Es**: Experience, Expression and Enthusiasm.

The whole team helps to create an environment that only exists at Scream Theatre Schools.

All members of the Scream team hold current DBS checks which are the modern successor to CRB disclosure.

TERM DATES

AUTUMN TERM 2019

WEDNESDAY TTA SCHOOL

Weds 18th September - Weds 4th December

SATURDAY TTA SCHOOL

Sat 21st September - Sat 7th December

SPRING TERM 2020

WEDNESDAY TTA SCHOOL

Weds 8th January - Weds 25th March

SATURDAY TTA SCHOOL

Sat 11th January - Sat 28th March

SUMMER TERM 2020

WEDNESDAY TTA SCHOOL

Weds 22nd April - Sunday 5th July

SATURDAY TTA SCHOOL

Sat 18th April - Sat 4th July

CLASS TIMES

Saturday: 10.00am -1.00pm & 1.30pm – 4.30pm

Wednesday: 4.30pm – 7.30pm



YOUR LOCAL SCREAM THEATRE SCHOOL

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ENTRY DETAILS

How do I join Scream's Triple Threat Academy?

The first stage to joining Scream Theatre Schools is a two week trial. Joining us for a trial, which takes place during the normal three-hour Triple Threat Academy will give us the opportunity to see if potential students have the passion to perform. At Scream Theatre Schools, we are experts in spotting talent. It also provides the opportunity to make sure this is the right place for each individual student.

What do I need to wear for my trial classes?

We suggest wearing loose and comfortable clothing, such as a tracksuit and trainers (or soft shoes). Remember, we move and dance, so your clothing needs to allow you to do this!

When will I find out if I've been successful?

We'll write to you at the end of your trial to inform you of the outcome. Hopefully, we will be sending you an invitation to join our Triple Threat Academy! Fingers crossed!

How much are my two week trial classes?

It costs £50.00 for your trial. This covers two 3 hour classes over two weeks during which time you'll join in with the class as normal, make new friends, learn new skills and techniques and decide if we're the place for you! You can pay this online or over the phone by card on **01253 309 060**.

I'm ready to book my trial classes – what do I do now?

Book Online

Visit our website www.scrematheatreschools.com and click on **JOIN US** in the top menu. Select the link **TTA TRIAL SESSIONS - BOOK NOW!** Fill in the trial application form.

By Phone

Call the Scream Team during office hours and we'll process your booking and take a payment over the phone.

I've completed my trial classes. What happens next?

We hope you had lots of fun at your trial classes! Once we receive feedback from all your teachers, the Principal will send you an email. We'll aim to do this within a week. Hopefully it will be an invitation to join us permanently, the first step to your bright new start with Scream Theatre Schools!



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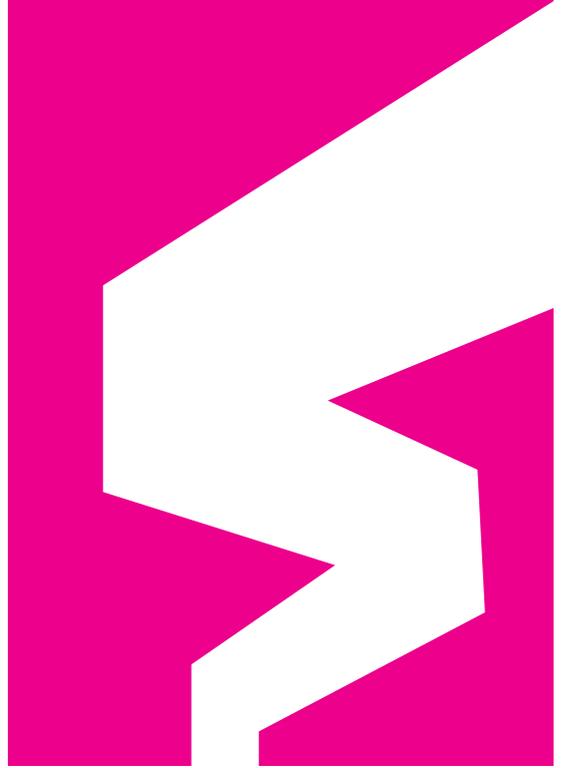
At Scream Theatre Schools, we take equality extremely seriously. Therefore, it is important that all students wear our Scream Theatre Schools uniform in order to maintain balance and order among the students. School Uniforms help to eliminate bullying due to the fact that everyone is dressed the same and children cannot be teased for wearing something unusual or different.

Throughout our academies, all of our students are required to wear our Scream Theatre Schools T-Shirt as a minimum.

When placing your order, you have the option to customize T-shirts and Hoodies by printing your name or nickname on the back.

You'll receive a Uniform Order Form once you've been accepted to the Triple Threat Academy but you can also **order on the website** at **screamtheatreschools.com**.

Uniform orders usually take around 14 days and will be given out at the start of the class. Please allow extra time for personalised items.



YOUR PAYMENT OPTIONS

At Scream Theatre Schools, we have a selection of payment options for our Triple Threat Academy:

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OPTION 1

Twelve Months @ £72.00 per month
Includes payment over July and August

Total of £864.00 per year

OPTION 2

Ten Months @ £87.00 per month
No payment Month 11 or 12

Total of £870.00 per year

OPTION 3

Termly @ £288.00 per term
3 terms Over 12 months

Total of £864.00 per year

OPTION 4

One off payment for full 12 months
Includes one month free!

Total of £792.00 per year

IMPORTANT NOTE:

With the weekly equivalent of each three-hour session being just £24.00, if you choose either the Option 1 or Option 2 payment plan, you will always be a little behind because of the discounted monthly cost.

Therefore, if you choose to leave us, you will be required to make up the deficit to ensure that every week attended has been covered at the appropriate weekly fee.



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS...

Q Is it good value for money?

A We believe that our fees accurately reflect the high standard of training that our students gain from our experienced industry professionals and are in line with other theatre schools. This is also similar to other dance schools that charge per 35-minute lesson, whereas, at Scream Theatre Schools, it proportionately works out at £8.00 per hour!

Q What is the commitment period?

A All students are required to sign up for a minimum term of 12 months. Our ethos is that we 'Create Confident Children'. We can only do so with commitment and dedication to the training. Give us a year and we can give your youngster the confidence and skill set to take on the world.

Q Is there a cooling off period?

A The two week trial classes act as your cooling off period, before we give you the option to sign up for a twelve-month commitment. It is your choice whether you go ahead and accept the place (if offered) but please ensure you are aware of your obligations if you proceed.

Q My child has joined, but it isn't working out. Where do I stand?

A Firstly, we understand some youngsters have difficulties when adapting to new environments or joining established groups, this is human nature! We ask that you make us aware of any problems and we can iron these out. Stick with it! We'll help! Secondly, if you have completed the trial classes, accepted a place and joined, then you are now in a twelve-month commitment, as per the Terms and Conditions you will have signed. You can, however, exit at the end of the second month. If you pass the milestone without notifying us of your intention, then you are committed to the full extent of the contract.

Q Do you offer discounts for siblings?

A Yes! We offer a 25% discount for the second child, third child etc. from the same-parent families.

Q Is there a registration fee?

A There is a £15.00 Registration Fee that applies to all students. You will hear more about this in your welcome pack if you are successful.

Q Are there discounts if you pay months in advance?

A We currently offer discounts if you wish to pay termly or annually. If you would like to discuss this further, please call **01253 309060** and a member of The Scream Team would be more than happy to help.

Q Do you accept everyone who completes the trial classes?

A No. We are very fortunate in being over-subscribed and able to be very selective when offering a place within our Centre of Excellence. However, we always love discovering new talent and helping this to develop, at whatever stage it is. You do not have to be a great performer already – it is our job to help you!

Q Do students take exams?

A Students at Scream Theatre Schools may take optional examinations, during some of our terms, dependent on the curriculum (exams are optional as examination fees are payable). We offer a fully rounded training of a professional standard. Our workshops are full to the brim with high quality teaching with a heavy dash of fun! Outside the Triple Threat Academy, we offer one-to-one LAMDA and vocal lessons. For further information, please call the Scream team on 01253 309060 or email Info@screamtheatreschools.com.

Q Do students take part in productions?

A We have several key dates that feature in the school's calendar, every year, including our highly successful OSCARS acting showcase and competition, as well as our end-of-year Presentation Day, all of which offer our young students the chance to demonstrate their talents and skills to a wider audience. Previous productions include Billy Elliot- The Musical, The World of Roald Dahl and Heroes & Villains. Our productions do carry an entry fee of £20.00 - £25.00 for every student. For photos from our productions, please check out our social media pages.

Q Do you offer free tasters sessions before I book the trial classes?

A From time to time, Scream Theatre Schools offers free Open Days for the general public to come and see us in action. These are the only free tasters available. However, if you attend an Open Day, you do still need to book the trial classes at a later date. This is the only path for entry to our Triple Threat Academy.

Q If my child joins the theatre school, will Scream Management represent them?

A Unfortunately, no, not automatically. Our sister company, which operates from MediaCityUK and London, represents a large proportion of our students for professional work on TV, Film and Stage and works very closely with us in developing our curriculum to reflect the needs of the industry but attending Scream Theatre Schools does not guarantee representation by Scream Management. If you are interested in joining the agency, please visit www.ScreamManagement.com and register your interest. You'll then be invited to attend an informal workshop with agents at their offices in MediaCityUK. Good luck!

Q Can I join Scream Theatre Schools when the term has already started?

A Yes! Our trial classes may be booked at any point in the year. Starting part way through a term may mean that it won't be possible for the student to partake in some activities. However students can still participate in all classes and the creative team will do all they can to ensure all new students can take full advantage of the opportunities available.

Q How will I know how my child is getting on?

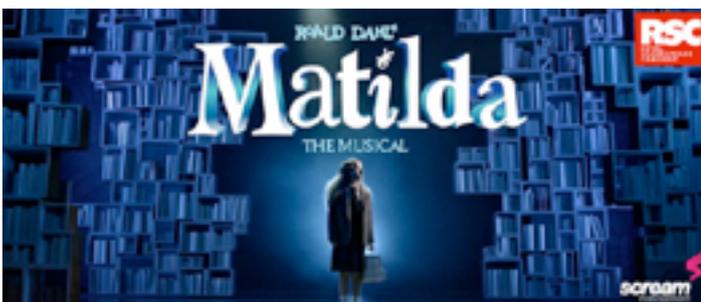
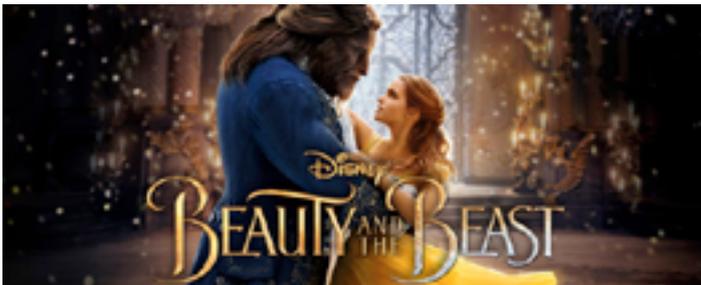
A One of the most important things is to know how your child is getting on and identifying areas for further development. This is why we provide an annual progress report from our teachers and school management team, which will offer constructive feedback in the areas of acting, singing and dance. Where appropriate we will also comment on behavior.

Q Is my child safe at Scream Theatre Schools?

A Your child's safety is of paramount importance to us and your child will always be overseen by a member of the Scream team who has an up-to-date DBS check (the new-style Criminal Record Bureau). If you wish to be sent our Child Protection Policy, please email Principal@ScreamTheatreSchools.com.

SUCCESS STORIES

SCREAM THEATRE SCHOOLS ARE PROUD TO HAVE HELPED IN THE CAREERS OF YOUNG PERFORMERS WHO HAVE APPEARED IN TV, FILM & THEATRE PRODUCTIONS. VISIT OUR WEBSITE OR FOLLOW US TO LEARN MORE.



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If you have any other burning questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Scream team on **01253 309060** and we'll be more than happy to answer your questions.

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