



School & College Days



Royal Exchange Theatre have been presenting matinees specifically for schools and colleges. These days are for schools and colleges to get exclusive access to the building, filled with workshops and Q&A's with our cast, creatives and staff here at the theatre.

What Will The Days Include?

We will be welcoming various schools and colleges from around the country, as we host a full day of activities within the theatre. In the morning we will be bringing everyone together in the main theatre space to do a workshop with some of the cast and creatives. Next your students will learn about all the wonderful careers in the arts available to them, from costume, make up, lighting, sound and more through workshops and demonstrations. In the Great Hall there will also be a live resource pack of the shows, with costumes on display, production shots, information and more. Then we will all come back together to watch the show, followed by an exclusive Q&A with the cast and creatives.

We are really looking forward to welcoming you to special day of events. The days events will be between 9:30 - 17:30 with a 13:30 show time.



Pricing

Full Day - £20 per ticket

Show and Q&A only - £15 per ticket

1x free teacher ticket per 15 students

Capped at 30 tickets per school

Schools & Colleges in our Local Exchange Areas can request free tickets, subject to availability. Other Schools & Colleges who require financial assistance can apply for support with tickets and transport via our Arts Pot scheme, more information and criteria in form.

Timeline

1 December - Bookings Open

5 February - Bookings Close

6 February - We will confirm your school or colleges places on the event/s by this date

28 February - Reservation deadline - please ensure you confirm final numbers and any access requirements by this date (we understand this is summer holidays so try to confirm before or as soon as you're back in the autumn)

5 March - Payment deadline

Important

Please note that the booking request form only registers your interest in the event and does not confirm your attendance. We are expecting a high volume of interest for these days, so please be quick confirming your interest. If your school or college has been successful your tickets and attendance will be confirmed with an email from the Royal Exchange, after the 5 February deadline.

A TASTE OF HONEY
By Shelagh Delaney
Directed by Emma Baggott

15 March – 13 April
Press night Wednesday 20 March – 7.30pm The Theatre

Director Emma Baggott (WONDERFUL WORLD OF DISASSOCIA, Theatre Royal Stratford East / SOCIAL CARE WORKER'S PLAY, Almeida) makes her Royal Exchange debut with Shelagh Delaney's iconic play. This sharply observed portrait of working-class life in Salford in the late 1950s was a daring piece of theatre, not only for its gritty realism and honesty, but also for placing two resilient women at the centre of the drama. Delaney's astute character observations have stood the test of time, and A TASTE OF HONEY remains an urgent and powerful play for the 21st Century. Running from 15 March to 13 April this is a stunning portrayal of the intricate relationship between a mother and daughter who, despite their sharp bickering, are both holding on for that Taste of Honey.

