

Frequently Asked Questions

Where are classes and performances held?

Our classes and rehearsals are currently held at our Lake Forest Park location. You can find us upstairs in the Lake Forest Park Towne Centre, toward the back near the stage and mural. Performances may take place at a few different venues, depending on the cast and production. Some shows are held right at the Lake Forest Park Towne Centre stage, while others may be performed at venues like the Edmonds College Black Box Theater or the Aspire Theater. We're always exploring new performance spaces, so keep an eye out for additional venue announcements in the future!

Do you offer financial aid or scholarships?

Yes, we offer scholarships for students who qualify for free or reduced lunch programs. Families can provide documentation showing their eligibility, and we use that to help determine scholarship availability. We're committed to making our programs accessible and do our best to support families in need. If you're interested in applying, please contact us for more information on how to submit documentation and request financial assistance.

What is the difference between your Mainstage and Kids Series?

Our Mainstage productions are designed for kids who are passionate about theater and ready to take on a bigger commitment. These shows involve more lines, choreography, and music to learn. Rehearsals are typically held twice a week, totaling around 60 hours of rehearsal time. Our Kids Series productions are geared toward elementary-aged children who are just beginning their theater journey or prefer a smaller commitment. These rehearsals are held once a week and add up to approximately 30 hours in total. If you're unsure which program is the best fit for your child, feel free to reach out to us via email—we're happy to help guide you!

What should students bring or wear to class?

Whether your student is attending an audition, rehearsal, or one of our dance or acting classes, they should come prepared with a few key items. These include jazz shoes, a pen and pencil, a highlighter, and their script if applicable. Students should also wear comfortable clothes they can move in and bring a water bottle. Depending on the time and length of the class, a snack may also be helpful. Being prepared helps students stay focused and get the most out of their class time!

What type of classes do you offer?

At Seattle's Performers, we don't just put on shows—we also offer a variety of classes! In the past, we've offered voice, dance, and acting classes. We typically run a few weeks of each class throughout the year, and we occasionally host one-off specialty classes as well. Be sure to check our website regularly for the latest updates. All classes are taught by our experienced instructors, each with a strong background and passion in their area of expertise.

What age groups do you serve?

We offer programs for kids of all ages! Parents' Night Out shows feature younger performers (ages 6–10), while regular season shows typically include two casts of students ages 10–16. Our elite groups are for advanced performers ages 8 and up. In the summer, we offer fast-paced intensives for ages 10–16 and more relaxed camps for ages 6–12. Have questions about age requirements or group placement? Email us —we're happy to help!

Do students need prior experience to join?

Not at all! No prior experience is required to participate in our camps, classes, or most productions. We welcome students of all skill levels and aim to create a supportive environment where everyone can learn and grow. For some of our full productions, previous experience can be helpful due to the pace and structure of rehearsals, but it is never a requirement. We're here to help every student build confidence, develop new skills, and have fun on stage!

How do I register for a class or camp?

We use a service called 6crickets to handle registration for all of our shows, classes, and camps. Registration typically opens a couple of months before the event start date. When you register, you'll create a 6crickets account and enter all your student's information, which helps us stay organized and ensures we have everything we need to support your child. You can find the registration link on our website—just look under the section for either camps or shows, depending on what you're signing up for. You can also subscribe to our monthly newsletter, which includes up-to-date registration links for any current offerings.

How do you cast your shows/What is the Audition Process? For camps and classes, we use a relaxed, "getting to know you" style audition process. These help us learn more about each student's personality, comfort level, and interests in a fun, low-pressure environment. For full productions, we hold more formal auditions. About a month before auditions, we send out an audition packet that includes monologue options, song choices, and detailed instructions to help students prepare. This allows everyone time to get comfortable with the material and come in feeling confident. We aim to make the process supportive and educational for performers of all experience levels.

What happens if my child misses a class or rehearsal?

For productions, we ask that students not miss more than three rehearsals, as consistent attendance is important for learning blocking, choreography, and cues. If a child misses more than three, we may need to adjust their role or limit their participation in certain scenes. To help students stay caught up, we take videos of what was covered during each rehearsal. If your child will be absent, please let us know in advance so we can share the footage and help them review at home.

What is your cancellation or refund policy?

If a cancellation is made more than two weeks before the start of a camp or class, a refund will be issued minus a \$50 non-refundable registration fee. If a cancellation occurs less than seven days before the start of the camp or class, no refund will be given. For summer camps, no refunds will be issued after June 15, as most camps are full by March. However, we are happy to offer full class credit toward a future program.