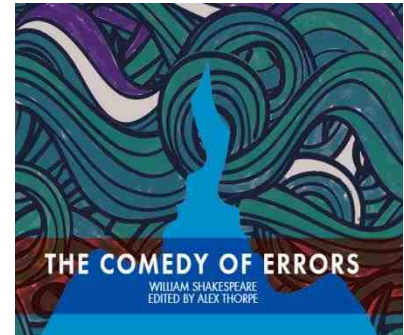


Opportunity for you pupils to watch and interact with the First Encounters production of Comedy of Errors at Sydenham Primary School in the Autumn Term 2018 (Tuesday 16th October at 1.30pm). This is a 90 minute child friendly version of the play. A teacher pack will be provided to support pupils to understand the play and they will have an opportunity to participate in the performance alongside the cast



2x full INSET days with an RSC practitioner teaching RSC rehearsal room techniques linked to 'Romeo and Juliet'. One in October will focus on collaborative drama and performance. The other in December will focus on writing and reading Comprehension. You may send 2, 3 or 4 members of staff to these days (depending on uptake of the programme) who can then use the RSC pedagogies, techniques and resources given within your school.

These INSET days will be held at Sydenham Primary School and will include lunch and refreshments.

1x FULL DAY workshop with an RSC practitioner in your own school. The focus will be working with a select year group, preparing them for a collaborative Associate Schools performance in the Spring Term. Dates to be discussed.



1x RSC actor to visit your school in the Spring Term, for an hour, to conduct a question and answer session.

Support, if needed, in planning a Topic on Romeo and Juliet in the Spring Term.

Contributions towards cost of travel, in order to take part in a collaborative performance based on Romeo and Juliet.

2x full day workshops (Summer Term) with an RSC practitioner to support you as part of the Playmaking festival **if** you choose to be part of the network **ensemble** performing Romeo and Juliet at RSC The Oher Place in July 2019. Setting of these workshops to be discussed. Contribution towards cost of travel depending on uptake of programme.





Termly RSC network meetings (September 2018, November 2018, April 2019 and June 2019) with all the other schools in our network to discuss our work in school and the impact this is having on language, thinking, reading and writing skills. (To be held in schools across the network) This will involve some simple data collecting and case-study evidence. These meetings will also give teachers the opportunity to reflect on CPD and discuss and plan for collaborative performances. (Supply to be funded by own school)

Support in building a network of Shakespeare ambassadors; a group of pupils who will lead and support staff with the delivery of Shakespeare in the National Curriculum. These pupils will be trained and supported to become spokespeople within their own school community and potentially gain other opportunities such as participating in additional events, workshops, exhibitions or even be filmed for the local news!

<https://www.rsc.org.uk/education/associate-schools-programme/becoming-an-associate-school>



Additional Opportunities available at schools own cost:

Eligibility for additional RSC INSET and training as an Associate School at the Clore Learning Centre in Stratford. This is costed at a residential rate of £250 and non-residential rate of £180. Please contact the RSC directly.

You may wish to sign up to watch a Schools Broadcast of Romeo and Juliet in the Autumn Term on 21st November as a precursor to our Topic.

(free of charge) You can do so here: <https://www.rsc.org.uk/education/schools-broadcasts>

Pupils may wish to collate their learning through the project and gain the recognised accreditation of the Arts Award. Participating in this programme will provide evidence for the Discover or Explore qualification <http://www.artsaward.org.uk/site/?id=64>

If you wish, we can also offer an optional 1 day free session to support in your journey to apply for the Arts Mark accreditation

<http://www.artsmark.org.uk/>



The cost of joining our RSC Associate Schools network is £500 for 2018/19 payable by December 2018