

TANTRUM

Tantrum Youth Arts
in your school

SECONDARY
SCHOOLS



“The program is having a very positive impact on our students and we would welcome Tantrum to our school again next term.”
- Dungog High School

2024

At Tantrum, we are makers. We make from the ground up, from the experiences of young people, from the stories in our community, from the world around us. We make award-winning theatre and performance that is collaborative, contemporary, ambitious and engaging.

Our dynamic Schools Workshops will energise and inspire your Drama students to make their own performance and build the confidence to own their ideas and trust their artistic instincts.

All workshops have flexible duration. We can work with your timetable. Prices start from \$400 + GST.

GROUP DEVSING / PLAYBUILDING

Get up and make in this active and fast-paced devising workshop. Try out a bunch of new devising techniques to take your group's ideas to the next level. Using a watch-and-do method of devising, find out how to use simple devices to identify plot or character holes and help drive story. This highly practical and hands-on workshop puts students in the roles of both performer and audience, helping them pull out questions that audiences might be asking themselves as the performers are creating on the fly. This workshop is ideal for Preliminary or HSC students looking to kickstart or propel their devising process.

Curriculum Links:

Stage 4/5 Outcomes: 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 2.1, 2.3

Stage 6 Outcomes: 1.1, 1.3, 1.4, 1.6, 1.9, 2.5

VERBATIM THEATRE

This workshop provides a practical exploration of verbatim theatre for HSC Drama students. The workshop provides unique insight into the artistic process and challenges of creating theatre using the words of actual people. Students will gain a greater understanding of the ethical considerations, and the tension between authenticity and theatricality that verbatim theatre practitioners must negotiate, as well as many experiential exercises and practical tools for developing their own verbatim theatre work.

Curriculum Links:

Stage 6 Outcomes: 1.2, 1.3, 2.2, 3.3, 3.4

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IMPROV

This workshop sets up the crucial foundations of improvisation and puts them straight into practice. Students will experiment with characters and scenarios as they develop strengths in supporting their fellow actors to make quick choices and commit to offers. Students play with a range of improvisation exercises and end with a quick-fire round of improv games which can be further explored in the drama classroom for weeks to come.

Curriculum Links:

Stage 4/5 Outcomes: 1.1, 1.2, 2.1

Stage 6 Outcomes: 1.1, 2.1, 2.2, 2.5

DRAMA TASTER

Want to drum up students for Drama electives? This all-in, super fun taster for Drama will spark students' creativity through practical activities in movement, improvisation, group-work, and more. Students will also have the opportunity to discuss pathways to professional creative practice with Tantrum's workshop facilitators, who are all practicing artists and contemporary performance makers. Designed for Year 10 students or even English classes as a taster for Drama selection for HSC.

SCHOOL SPORT

Tantrum's facilitators run weekly physical theatre workshops across schools in the Hunter as a sport option, providing students with a program of physical activity while also giving them a creative outlet. Get in touch to find out more.

TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

In these full-day TPD sessions, teachers explore a range of topics and performance styles such as devised performance, voice, movement, verbatim, improvisation, and more. Our TPD days are highly practical, collaborative, and social. Curriculum links and resources are provided to take back to your own classroom settings.

In 2024 our offerings include Devising Day with Drama NSW in April, and a suite of PD programs with established theatre makers in Terms 2-4.

Sign up to Tantrum's Schools E-News to find out about upcoming Teacher Professional Development days.



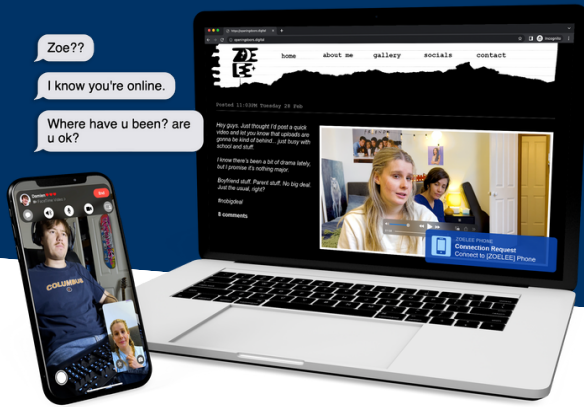
"The resources were exceptional. I have already reworked a unit I plan to teach with Year 8 and Year 10 to include ideas from the day."
- Maitland High School

Book a Tantrum schools workshop today.
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OPENING DOORS: DIGITAL

Opening doors to healthy, respectful relationships



IN SCHOOL RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS PROGRAM: DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & IMAGE-BASED ABUSE

Opening Doors: Digital is an interactive, online experience that aims to educate and empower young people to engage in healthy, respectful relationships. Through an innovative, multimedia storytelling format it addresses the issues of domestic violence and image-based abuse.

Schools in the Hunter, Lake Macquarie and Central Coast are invited to register for a FREE place in the Opening Doors: Digital program.

To receive a funded place in the program you will need to nominate one class (up to 30 students) to take part in the program in Terms 1 or 2, 2024. Tantrum will support the delivery of the program for that class, attending your school on the nominated date/time to co-facilitate with the classroom teacher.

This free pilot program is made possible thanks to funding from the NSW Government through the Stronger Country Communities Programme.

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Register for Opening Doors: Digital today.
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