



Winchester Theatre Arts

PETER PAN

INFORMATION PACK

Every summer, at the end of the school year, Winchester Theatre Arts presents our annual full-school production. It is one of the highlights of the WTA calendar and involves students from across the school, from our youngest preschool performers through to our graduating Class 11 students.

Alongside the main cast of characters, each class performs their own choreographed section woven into the story. The result is a vibrant, energetic show involving hundreds of students, beautiful costumes, imaginative sets and a huge amount of teamwork.

The next few months will go quickly. Please read on for the key information you will need in this initial stage of show preparation

KEY DATES

Sunday Run-Through Rehearsals Begin

- 17th May – different classes are called on different Sundays. The full rehearsal schedule appears at the end of this information pack.

Costume Week

- Monday 15th June – Sunday 21st June

Ticket Sales Open

- 1st July

Full School Dress Rehearsal

- Thursday 30th July – mandatory for all performers

Show Performances

- 31st July – Evening Show
- 1st August – Matinee and Evening Show
- 2nd August – Matinee and Evening Show

Younger classes perform in selected shows, while students in Jazz & Tap 4 and above perform in all shows. Specific show allocations for younger classes are listed below.

YOUNGER CLASSES - SHOW ALLOCATIONS

Date	Rehearsal/Show	Younger Classes Allocation
31st July	Friday Eve	Jazz&Tap 3 (not Jazz 1 or Jazz&Tap 2)
1st August	Saturday Matinee	Jazz 1 and Jazz&Tap 2 (not Jazz&Tap 3)
1st August	Saturday Eve	Jazz&Tap 3 (not Jazz 1 or Jazz&Tap 2)
2nd August	Sunday Matinee	Jazz 1 and Jazz&Tap 3 (not Jazz&Tap 2)
2nd August	Sunday Eve	Jazz&Tap 2 (not Jazz 1 or Jazz&Tap 3)

ATTENDANCE EXPECTATIONS

Regular attendance at classes and rehearsals is essential for a successful production. Rehearsals allow students to practise their routines, work together as a team and build confidence ahead of performing on stage.

We understand that occasionally unavoidable conflicts occur. If your student must miss a rehearsal, please report the absence through the Parent Portal.

- Click here: <https://app.gostudiopro.com/online/winchestertheatrearts/>
- Click on the Info menu and select Attendance.
- Click on the black button to "Report Absence"
- Follow the steps to select the student, class and dates expected to be missed.

If more than three sessions are expected to be missed, please contact us so we can discuss arrangements.

IMPORTANT - The following dates are mandatory:

- Dress rehearsal – 30th July
- All allocated show performances – 31st July to 2nd August

Unfortunately, students who cannot attend these dates will not be able to participate in the production.

REHEARSAL FEES

There are 10 scheduled Sunday run-through rehearsals.

- £4 per rehearsal
- Maximum total £40 per student

STUDENTS IN JAZZ & TAP CLASSES 5 AND UPWARDS ARE CALLED TO ALL 10 RUN-THROUGHS. FOR OTHER CLASSES, PLEASE CHECK THE REHEARSAL SCHEDULE FOR THE SUNDAYS YOUR STUDENT IS CALLED.

Fees are divided across four payments: April, May, June and July and are added to your regular tuition payments.

COSTUME FEES

Costume hire is £10 per costume.

The number of costumes varies depending on the class and their role in the show.

Costume fees will be divided across four payments in April, May, June and July.

Some incidental costume items need to be purchased separately e.g. Name labels, tights and socks. Detailed costume information will be provided prior to costume week.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support of Winchester Theatre Arts.

The summer show is always a magical experience for our students and we cannot wait to bring Peter Pan to the stage together.

If you have any questions at all, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

The WTA Team

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CLASS REHEARSAL SCHEDULE



Date	Time	Rehearsal	Called	Venue
17th May	11:45 - 14:15	Act 1 run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 4, 5, 6 Junior Musical Theatre, Singing, Senior Drama	Weeke Community Centre
24th May	11:45 - 14:15	Act 2 run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 3, Street	Weeke Community Centre
7th June	11:45 - 14:15	Full run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 3, 4, 5, 6, Junior Musical Theatre, Singing, Senior Drama, Street	Weeke Community Centre
14th June	11:45 - 14:15	Act 1 run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 4, 5, 6, Singing Jazz & Tap 2, Ballet 1*, Ballet 2	Weeke Community Centre
21st June	11:45 - 14:15	Act 2 run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 3, Junior Musical Theatre, Senior Drama, Street	Weeke Community Centre
28th June	11:45 - 14:15	Full tech run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 3, 4, 5, 6, Junior Musical Theatre, Singing, Senior Drama, Street Jazz & Tap 3, Ballet 1*, Ballet 2	Weeke Community Centre
5th July	11:45 - 14:15	Full run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 3, 4, 5, 6, Junior Musical Theatre, Singing, Senior Drama, Street Jazz & Tap 4, Ballet 2 12:45 - 13:45 Jazz 1	Weeke Community Centre
12th July	11:45 - 14:15	Full tech run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 3, 4, 5, 6, Junior Musical Theatre, Singing, Senior Drama, Street	Weeke Community Centre
19th July	11:45 - 14:15	Full tech run through	Jazz & Tap 5 and up, Ballet 3, 4, 5, 6, Junior Musical Theatre, Singing, Senior Drama, Street	Weeke Community Centre
26th July	11:45 - 14:15	Full run through	All 12:45 - 13:45 Jazz 1	Weeke Community Centre
30th July	14:00 - 18:00	Dress rehearsal	All 16:00 - 17:30 Jazz 1	Rose Theatre

*Ballet 1 – Students in Ballet 1 should attend the rehearsal for their Jazz class (either Jazz 2 or Jazz 3).
Students who only attend Ballet 1 should come to the Jazz 2 rehearsal.