



SPARK TO STAGE

Over three Zooms in July and four days in August, create your own theatre show from first ideas to final performance - on a professional stage!

For 14-15 year olds in the Essex County Council area

This summer, create a theatre show from first ideas to final performance on a professional stage!

You'll meet the rest of your pop-up theatre company online in three zoom sessions to kick off the creative process and choose a theme. Then over four days face-to-face, you'll bond as a group, devise, improvise and script scenes, rehearse and refine, and finally stage your show in front of friends, family and other invited guests.

This is a fantastic opportunity to work with exceptional professional theatre practitioners, Harriet Smith of Ignition Arts and Charlie Sturgeon of P4HE. They'll help you work together, but every word, every important decision, will come from you.

Supported by Essex County Council's Year of Opportunity, it's **open to those who will be aged 14 or 15 in August and who live in Essex excluding the Havering, Thurrock and Southend authority areas.**

TWO PROGRAMMES AVAILABLE:

Towngate Theatre, Basildon

Wednesday 5th - Saturday 8th August

Mercury Theatre, Colchester

Tuesday 11th - Friday 14th August

Cost: just £60 (or £30 for Pupil Premium recipients)

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There will be an info Zoom for would-be participants and their parents to find out more.

For info, go to: www.p4he.org/sparktostage



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