



Information for Schools Visiting The National Theatre

Before your visit

We recommend that your group includes one teacher, or accompanying adult, for every ten group members.

For information about the performance, on anything from lighting effects to running times, please phone the Box Office on 020 7452 3000.

We do not produce Risk Assessments for groups attending a performance. For guidance on conducting your own, please download the Risk Assessment Information for Schools

Arriving at the theatre

We suggest you aim to arrive 45 minutes before the advertised start time in order to locate the right venue, your seats and other facilities.

All bags must be left in the free cloakrooms before entering the auditorium.

Latecomers, for most performances, will be admitted at a suitable break. If you arrive after this point you may be asked to stand.

School groups are welcome to bring their own drinks and snacks to consume in the front-of-house areas, or on our terraces overlooking the Thames.

In the auditorium

Do not take food and drink into the auditorium apart from sealed bottles of water.

Please ensure your group sits in the correct seats. The row and seat number are printed on each ticket. Teachers should seat themselves amongst the group and, if possible, at the ends of rows.

Please remind your group that disturbances or noise, however small, can be distracting for the actors as well as other members of the audience. Check that mobile phones, MP3 players, etc are turned off.

After your visit

We would love to hear what you think of the performance and your visit to the NT. Please do get in contact with us at learning@nationaltheatre.org.uk or on 020 7452 3388

We have a wide range of resources that accompany our productions and give an insight into theatre-making at the NT which can be found [here](#).

We look forward to seeing you at the NT soon.