



# DRAMA EXPLORER

## FALL 2018 AFTER SCHOOL DRAMA PROGRAM

### Clarendon Elementary

### THEATRE TIME MACHINE

*Play, create and explore with a themed drama workshop*

#### JUST THE FACTS!

**Dates:** Sept. 20- Dec. 13

**Grades:** K-2

**Day:** Thursday

**Time:** 3:30-4:30 pm

**No Class Dates:** 11/22, 11/29

**Location:** 107

**Fee:** \$270

(Limited scholarships available)

**Registration begins Sept. 3, 2018**

Registration link will be provided to all students on the waiting list.

**Email Kathleen to get put on the waiting list.**

Questions?

Contact **Conservatory Programs Manager**

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Together, we'll travel through space and time and use drama games and activities to learn more about different periods in history. Our time-traveling actors will visit a medieval castle, play on the Vaudeville stages of the late 1890's, act with the ancient Greeks and sing with the cowboys of the American West. Who knows where (or when) we'll land?! This activity encourages storytelling, cooperation, spontaneity and physical activity in a fast-paced format.

On the final day of class, parents will be invited to a behind-the-scenes look at our drama workshop games and activities.





## WHY DRAMA?

Drama builds confidence

Drama helps concentration

Drama helps develop language and communication skills

Drama encourages children to cooperate

Drama promotes empathy and helps children understand the world around them

Drama is an emotional outlet

Drama assists with physical development

Drama develops creativity

Drama nurtures friendships

Drama gives children an appreciation of arts and culture

Drama promotes creative problem-solving and decision making

Drama challenges you to think on the spot

Drama is FUN!

## About Drama Explorer

How do you know if you like something unless you try it? We give students a chance to explore dramatic play and acting with a new theme every session. Past themes include: Circus, Dream Factory, Fairytales, Heroes & Villains and Time Travel.

## About NCTC

For over 35 years, New Conservatory Theatre Center has provided our San Francisco community with after school drama classes, in-school residencies and performance training at our Civic Center/Hayes Valley facility. We also invite students to enjoy FREE Family Matinee performances and YouthAware Touring productions throughout SFUSD. Click here to learn more about our programming: <http://www.nctcsf.org/classes>

## Our Teaching Artists & Philosophy

Our professional teaching artists are just that... artists who teach. They are active in the theatre world as performers, directors or playwrights and have degrees in Theatre or Education. Regular professional development and training keep our staff at the top of their game.

Ensemble-based work is at the heart of training at NCTC. Our concentration is on the "whole kid" and helping them develop life skills that guide them in and out of the theatre world.

