

BABY BALLET



Teaching the basic principles of ballet through a fun and creative class. Incorporating animals, colours, characters, story-telling and props to encourage creative learning, engaging with their bodies and developing muscle strength.

CREATIVE MUSIC & MOVEMENT

Exploring music from our favourite nursery rhymes, Disney songs or musicals and combining with movement to teach rhythm, melodies and singing. An expressive class to help build self-esteem and encourage creativity.



"Gems have been professional, polite, enthusiastic and just excellent to work with. The teachers are kind and caring with our children and putting on performances for parents and staff. I would highly recommend using Gems Performing Arts in your school."

- Ms Keen, Senior Mistress Lower Riverston School

DANCE

We offer classes in **Ballet, Jazz, Hip-Hop/Street, Contemporary, Tap, Breakdancing.**

We can cater these classes to the children's preferences, for example they may like to try a different genre each term, or combine two different dance styles.

- An exciting form of exercise
- Building core muscles and good posture
- Communicating with our bodies and others
- Learning the values and skills of creativity, problem solving and risk taking
- Dancing to our favourite songs
- Learning about other cultures of dance



DRAMA

- Exploring poems, short stories, novels and play scripts.
- Playing games to improve focus and concentration
- Improvising skills to improve interacting with other children
- Learning to be independent and to think for themselves
- Listening to others and sharing
- Making mistakes in a safe environment and without humiliation
- Pushing themselves in new ways which builds confidence and self-esteem.
- Becoming good speakers and learn to memorise



MUSICAL THEATRE CLUB



Combining the skills we learn in dance, drama and singing
Working on popular musicals and linking text to song

- Learning how to work together as a team
- Building confidence and self-esteem
- Working creatively, using the music and people who inspire us
- Working towards a performance to parents and friends at the end of term with music, costumes, props and lights

SINGING GLEE CLUB



- Learning how to sing exciting repertoire including pop, musicals, disney, gospel.
- Learning to use our mouths and bodies in new and disciplined ways
- Tongue twisters to build muscles to improve speech
- Learning basics in breathing, rhythm and melody
- Listening to one another and working as a team
- Expressing ourselves and exploring the music that we love to listen to
- Improving our confidence and self-esteem

INTERESTED ?

If you are interested in an After School Club, then we would be very happy to come into your school and discuss how we could help. We firmly believe in collaboration and working with each school to fulfill their individual needs. We could even set up a free class one day to see how your pupils enjoy one of our classes.

- Classes can vary from 30 to 90 minutes
- Classes can be split into different age groups
- **End of term performances:** We like to finish each term with a performance to family and friends so that the children can show what they have learnt with us. We find this is hugely rewarding for the children as it builds their self-esteem performing to a small audience and it gives them a sense of pride in their work. This also involves the parents in our club, and they can watch their child's progress, and have an opportunity to gain individual feedback.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Gems Performing Arts is a fully fledged Performing Arts company offering a complete range of subjects to varied age groups. We have been delivering exceptional classes to children in South London for the last six years. Our core competency is offering after school classes, but we also run a Saturday School and regular Holiday Clubs.

We are a team of young professionals and feel passionately about the benefits that participating in Performing Arts can bring to students of all ages. Most children attend our classes as they enjoy performing and want to learn new skills, but more importantly, to shake off their shy tendencies, to grow in confidence and to interact with other children. We care about each "Gem" and love to watch them grow in confidence in a supportive environment. We aim to have a personal relationship with all children, teachers and parents to ensure that we can provide feedback to help towards the development of your students.

All of our team are highly trained and experienced performers and teachers. Our mission is to provide children with an enjoyable learning experience that they will never forget and where each individual gets every opportunity to fulfil his or her potential. All the Gems Performing Arts team are young, local, full of energy and passionate about teaching. All teachers undergo a full CRB Police Check and are covered by Insurance.



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