

ISTA Performing Arts Academy, Shanghai

Artistic programme

AIMS	<p>An 9 week course of master classes and workshops bringing talented and driven students and artists together in a spirit of collaboration focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ skills in each of the chosen disciplines (theatre, music, dance or theatre technology);➤ skills across the disciplines;➤ devising new work;➤ performance. <p><i>While students choose one main discipline, they will also experience and learn skills in all four disciplines.</i></p>
BENEFITS	<p>In addition to the skills and knowledge gained in the performing arts, the young people completing this course will develop:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ confidence;➤ leadership skills;➤ creative thinking skills;➤ ability to work as a team;➤ ability to excel under pressure and high expectations. <p><i>All Academy graduates will receive an ISTA Performing Arts Academy certificate upon completion of the programme.</i></p>
INTERSHIPS	<p>With thanks to the support of our patrons, all Academy graduates will have the opportunity to apply for summer internships in the international music and film industries and also in local Shanghai events.</p>

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WHO CAN APPLY?	<p>The ISTA Performing Arts Academy is open to all young people aged between 11-18 who are passionate in one or more of the performing arts and who can commit to the 8-week course.</p> <p><i>A letter of application is required upon registration. All tuition is delivered in English.</i></p>
ARTISTS	<p>All sessions will be led by the following ISTA artists: Theatre – Darren Scully Music – Anne Drouet Dance – Jez Gregg Theatre technology – Rui Cunha</p>
PATRONS	<p>We are delighted to welcome our patrons for the Academy and look forward to these talented individuals leading master classes and offering their experiences and resources to enhance the programme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">»» John Altman (multi award winning composer and musician)»» Neil Corbould (double Oscar Academy winner)»» Michael Luevano (Executive Director, International Division at Shanghai JUSS Event Management Company, Tournament Director or Shanghai Rolex Tennis Masters)