

ACT ONE DRAMA GROUPS - Information pack Sept 2026 - July 2027.

Act One Juniors

Age range	Ages 7-11
Where	St Josephs Hall, Cromer Road
When	Monday evenings, 17.00-18.00. (Term time only, exclusions apply. Dates listed below)
What's involved	These are informal, fun sessions to build confidence, make friends and play. The sessions include drama games and exercises, devising and script work.
What's required	Anyone can just turn up to these sessions (no audition required), all we need is for a parent or guardian to fill out a registration form at the start of their first session.
Payment	£5 per session per child. Cash or card payment accepted (occasionally the card machine will not be available). Annual pass available at a discount: £150 for the year to be paid to Box Office by 4th September 2026.
Opportunities	We try to provide one or two performance opportunities each year, you will also have access to audition information from the theatre with regards to panto or musicals.
Other	Upon filling in the registration form you agree for your information to be shared with the theatre, this means we can contact you by email if there are any updates, cancellations, special offers, rehearsal/performance information or relevant opportunities that you might like to hear about.

Focus Juniors - Audition Only

Age range	Ages 10-14 (or school years 6 to 9)
Where	St Josephs Hall, Cromer Road
When	Monday evenings, 18.15-19.15. (Term time only, exclusions apply. Dates listed below.)
What's involved	This is a group for young people who think they might like to work in the performance industry in the future. Sessions will build skills and confidence, working to a more focused syllabus. These sessions will be fun but focused.
What's required	Entry to Focus Juniors is by audition only. Auditions will be held once a year at the start of the year. If offered a place, we ask for parents/ guardians and young people to read through and sign an agreement that sets out our expectations and commitments to each other. A registration form will need to be filled out at the start of the year.
Payment	Annual cost of £300 per year. Can be paid in full at the start of the year or in two instalments of £150 via standing order.
Opportunities	Focus group will provide at least one additional performance opportunity on top of the Act One standard groups. You will have access to audition information from the theatre with regards to panto or musicals.
Other	Upon filling in the registration form you agree for your information to be shared with the theatre, this means we can contact you by email if there are any updates, cancellations, special offers, rehearsal/performance information or relevant opportunities that you might like to hear about.

Act One Seniors

Age range	Ages 12-18
Where	St Josephs Hall, Cromer Road
When	Wednesday evenings, 19.00-20.00. (Term time only, exclusions apply. Dates listed below.)
What's involved	These are informal, fun sessions for young people to come together, to find their people. They involve drama games/exercises, devising and script work but also build confidence and create friendships.
What's required	Anyone can just turn up to these sessions (no audition required), all we need is for a parent or guardian to fill out a registration form at the start of their first session.
Payment	£5 per session per child. Cash or card payment accepted (occasionally the card machine will not be available). Annual pass available at a discount: £150 for the year to be paid to Box Office by 4th September 2026.
Opportunities	Act One Seniors will get at least one performance a year, to be held at Sheringham Little Theatre. You will have access to audition information from the theatre with regards to panto, musicals or any other appropriate opportunities. We are also introducing an ambassador program where young people can volunteer to assist with the younger group, building confidence and leadership skills.
Other	Upon filling in the registration form you agree for your information to be shared with the theatre, this means we can contact you by email if there are any updates, cancellations, special offers, rehearsal/performance information or relevant opportunities that you might like to hear about.

Focus Seniors - Audition Only

Age range	Ages 15-18 (or school years 10 to 13)
Where	St Josephs Hall, Cromer Road
When	Wednesday evenings, 20.00-21.00. (Term time only, exclusions apply. Dates listed below.)
What's involved	This is a group for young people who think they might like to work in the performance industry in the future. Sessions will build skills and confidence, working to a more focused syllabus. These sessions will require focus and dedication.
What's required	Entry to Focus Seniors is by audition only. Auditions will be held once a year at the start of the year. If offered a place, we ask for parents/ guardians and young people to read through and sign an agreement that sets out our expectations and commitments to each other. A registration form will need to be filled out at the start of the year.
Payment	Annual cost of £300 per year. Can be paid in full at the start of the year or in two instalments of £150 via standing order.
Opportunities	Focus group will provide at least one additional performance opportunity on top of the Act One standard groups. You will have access to audition information from the theatre with regards to panto or musicals. We will be working on audition craft throughout the year and, if required, will arrange for experienced, guest tutors to come into sessions to assist with drama school audition preparation.
Other	Upon filling in the registration form you agree for your information to be shared with the theatre, this means we can contact you by email if there are any updates, cancellations, special offers, rehearsal/performance information or relevant opportunities that you might like to hear about.

Term dates:

Monday Nights - Act One Juniors & Focus Juniors.

September: 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th

October: 5th, 12th, 19th

November: 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th

December: 7th

CHRISTMAS SHOW (ACT ONE JUNIORS & FOCUS JUNIORS) - SHERINGHAM LITTLE THEATRE - 14TH DECEMBER

January: 11th, 18th, 25th

February: 1st, 8th, 22nd

March: 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd

FOCUS GROUP PERFORMANCE (FOCUS JUNIORS) - THE HUB, SHERINGHAM LITTLE THEATRE - 5TH MARCH (Friday evening)

April: 19th, 26th

May: 10th, 17th, 24th

June: 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th

July: 5th

SUMMER SHOW (ACT ONE JUNIORS & FOCUS JUNIORS) - SHERINGHAM LITTLE THEATRE - 7TH-10TH JULY

Wednesday Nights - Act One Seniors & Focus Seniors.

September: 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th

October: 7th, 14th, 21st

November: 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th

December: 2nd, 9th

CHRISTMAS SHOW (ACT ONE SENIORS & FOCUS JUNIORS) - SHERINGHAM LITTLE THEATRE - 14TH DECEMBER

January: 13th, 20th, 27th

February: 3rd, 10th, 24th

March: 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th

FOCUS GROUP PERFORMANCE (FOCUS SENIORS) - THE HUB, SHERINGHAM LITTLE THEATRE - 5TH MARCH (Friday evening)

April: 14th, 21st, 28th

May: 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th

June: 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th

SUMMER SHOW (ACT ONE SENIORS & FOCUS SENIORS) - SHERINGHAM LITTLE THEATRE - 7TH-10TH JULY

****PLEASE NOTE THAT ADDITIONAL REHEARSALS MAY BE SCHEDULED IN THE RUN UP TO PERFORMANCES***