

DAISY FARRIS DANCE COLLECTIVE

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Education and Outreach Pack:
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DAISY FARRIS DANCE COLLECTIVE (DFDC) is a dance theatre company creating work that holds collaboration and participation at its heart.

DFDC brings together a team of outstanding dancers, visual artists, composers and filmmakers to create work that crosses artistic borders.

DFDC aims to engage the local community in the creation and performance of their work.

DFDC's current work is based on The Princess Alice disaster, a tragic boat crash that occurred on the Thames in 1878. Hundreds of people lost their lives and the local community of Woolwich found themselves thrust into the heart of one of Britain's most tragic peacetime disasters.

DFDC have recently completed a research project working with different community groups to explore The Princess Alice narrative. As part of the project, performances took place at the National Maritime Museum and Tall Ships Festival. DFDC are now working on developing the choreography and engaging more participants in the creative process and performances.

"Emotive and absorbing choreography, fabulous dancers, wonderful experience- more like this please"- Audience Member

WORKSHOPS

DFDC are offering workshops to groups of all ages and abilities, based on their current work- The Princess Alice Disaster.

Workshops will explore elements of the narrative through dance and physical theatre. Participants will learn repertoire and be given creative challenges to develop their own response to this tragic story.

Workshops can be adapted to suit the age and ability of the group and are suitable for KS2 and above (8+ years).

Curriculum Links:

- History- Victorian history and local history.
- English- understanding and reimagining stories.
- Citizenship- community action and support.
- Personal development- developing identity, confidence and collaborative skills.

Key aims:

- To develop participants movement vocabulary and their confidence expressing themselves physically.
- To allow participants to explore their own creativity through creative tasks and challenges.
- To develop collaborative and team building skills.
- To discover how dance can be used to tell stories.
- Participants will learn about an important part of local history.



GET IN TOUCH

To book a workshop please contact Artistic Director, Daisy Farris.

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Prices:

- 1 group workshop- 1.5 hours= £150
- Half day (up to 3 hours)= £300
- Full day (up to 5 hours)= £500
- Week residency= £2000

For Half Days and Full Days the time can be spent intensively with one group or split between several groups. If DFDC work intensively with one group then we can offer a contemporary dance technique class as part of the package. This also applies to residencies.

Bespoke:

DFDC are able to offer bespoke workshop packages to suit your requirements. If you would like further information, or to discuss options, please get in touch via email or phone.

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