

QUEENSLAND THEATRE

Theatre Residency Week Brisbane 2022

Monday 19 September– Saturday 24 September
Stuartholme School, Toowong.

Theatre Residency Week (TRW) is an intensive theatre camp for students in Years 9–12. It is the longest running theatre program of its kind in Australia and over the past five decades, young artists from all over the country have attended the camp and participated in workshops, masterclasses, and other performance activities. Queensland Theatre is proud of the impact this program has had and continues to have across generations of theatre makers.

Students live on campus at Stuartholme School, Toowong, in its boarding facilities and spend each day developing their acting skills, with workshops and activities. Students work towards creating a group performance for a live audience, which families and friends can come watch on the final day. In the evenings, students are engaged in an exciting social and cultural program, including an excursion to see live theatre and opportunities to network with leading artists from across Queensland.

How is it supervised?

In the daily workshop program, students choose core group activities to suit their interests. Each of these core groups (usually a maximum of 20 students) are facilitated by experienced Teaching Artists, carefully selected by Queensland Theatre. For their pastoral care, participants are divided into House Parent Groups of approximately 15 students.

All of House Parents are experienced in working with young people. All staff onsite have a Working with Children Check by the Queensland Government, and several staff will be trained in first aid. Students are always supervised, and staff exercise their utmost duty of care in the undertaking of the week, but we also require students to exhibit their best self-care and respect during the week.

What does it cost?

Cost: \$895

Inclusions:

- core group and afternoon workshop tuition
- 5 nights' accommodation in dorm style rooms
- all meals, including morning and afternoon tea
- tickets to a live theatre production and a touring in-school performance
- all-inclusive social and cultural program, including networking opportunities, a panel with theatre artists and other social activities.

Payment plans are available.

Theatre Residency Week Brisbane Scholarships

Queensland Theatre's Remote and Regional Scholarship

For students who live over 200km from Brisbane and would benefit from financial support to gain access to TRW Brisbane. This scholarship pays for the program cost only.

The Artistic Director's Emerging Artist Scholarship

For students who demonstrate a passion for theatre and are interested in a career in the performing arts industry. This scholarship pays for the program cost only.

Queensland Theatre's Indigenous Scholarship

For Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students who are interested in developing their acting and stagecraft skills. This scholarship pays for travel to/from TRW Brisbane and the program cost. All Aboriginal and Torres Strait students (Year 9–12) are welcome to apply.

How to apply for a scholarship:

- Indicate on your online application that you intend to apply for a scholarship.
- Attach a letter (200–250 words) or submit an online link to a video or audio recording (5 minutes max.) explaining why you would benefit from a scholarship. Please include which scholarship you are applying for. If you choose to write a letter, please address it to Alana Dunn, Project Officer of Education, Youth and Regional Engagement at Queensland Theatre. If you choose to submit an online link to a video or audio recording, please test the link prior to submitting. You may also wish to attach additional documents like a supporting reference letter or CV.
- Applications for scholarships close on Friday 15 July 2022. Scholarship outcomes will be announced by Friday 29 July 2022. Please note: Applying for a scholarship, and awaiting the outcome of the application, does not secure or hold a place at TRW. If you would like to reserve a place at TRW, whilst you await the outcome of your scholarship application, you must pay a \$145 deposit to hold a place. This deposit is fully refundable in the event of being awarded a scholarship or cancelling your booking (prior to Friday 12 August).

Applying for Theatre Residency Week Brisbane:

Places for Theatre Residency Week Brisbane are now at capacity. Registrations from our waitlist will be informed on a first come first serve basis on any places that become available:

<https://form.jotform.com/220868844876878>

For further information please contact Alana Dunn, Project Officer of Education, Youth and Regional Engagement, on adunn@queenslandtheatre.com.au or (07) 3010 7653.