



Q: What do you do in each class?

A: Our classes begin with fun, energizing, warm-up activities that challenge our students' imaginations, and awaken their creative minds. This is followed by speech, during which students hone their articulation, projection, vocal expression, and volume control skills. After speech comes creative movement, which encourages students to explore the effective use of body language, including posture, facial expression, physical levels, and motion dynamics, to enhance their dramatic storytelling. Once voices and bodies are warm, it's time for our main lesson, during which students apply their creative thinking, speech and movement skills to perform short scenes (either scripted or improvised) in front of their peers, in an open, supportive environment. Each class is concluded with fun, high-energy activity.

Q: Do students put on a play at the end of the session?

A: At the end of each Fall Session, families are invited into their students' Drama Kids classroom to participate in a fun, engaging lesson, and see what it's all about! At the end of each Spring Session, students perform a Spring Showcase. This is a short theatrical performance, where students are given the chance to demonstrate the skills they've learned in class.

***CUSD classes will receive video highlights at the end of each session in lieu of live presentations.*

Q: Will my student have the same teacher all year?

A: Yes. Barring extremely unusual circumstances, Drama Kids teachers instruct their classes for the duration of the school year. (Fall and Spring Sessions).



Q: Can my student try a class before I enroll?

A: YES! We welcome trial classes at our studio location. Please email dramakidsca2@gmail.com or call 949-288-6889 and we will be happy to assist you in setting up a trial class for your student.

***Trial classes are not available for CUSD or SVUSD in-school classes.*

Q: Can I watch class?

A: For the comfort of other students, Drama Kids is a drop-off class. However, we encourage families to join us for Family Fun Favorites lessons, and Showcase performances.

Q: Where are your classes located?

A: We have classes available at various locations across South Orange County. Our studio location is in San Juan Capistrano, just off the 5 freeway. We also offer classes at many schools in both the CAPO and Saddleback Valley districts, as well as several Homeschool/Charter campuses. You can find these classes listed on our website under the "Class Schedule" tab. You can also view that page directly by clicking [HERE](#).

Q: How much does it cost?

A: Tuition costs are specific to each location, due to each class' unique schedule and the number of classes provided. Tuition prices are listed next to each class on the "Class Schedule" tab.



Frequently Asked Questions



Q: Do you accept Charter Funds?

A: Yes, we are an approved educational vendor with Valiant Prep Academy, Excel Academy, iLead, Inspire, Summit, Compass, Springs, Sky Mountain, and several others. If your charter is not listed, please reach out to our office. We can typically move through the approval process quickly. We are happy to bill charters monthly, or upfront for the full semester. PO's and Enrichment Certificates should be emailed to dramakidsca2@gmail.com

Q: Do we need to wait until the new session to enroll? Can we enroll today?

A: Drama Kids has open enrollment at our SJC studio location, provided there is space available in the class. Tuition will be adjusted for missed classes. Enrollment in our in-school locations typically closes after the second week of each session, and will not be prorated for missed classes.

Q: Are there any additional costs besides tuition?

A: Drama Kids asks that some simple (and inexpensive) costume pieces used in our Winter Showcase and Spring Performances be provided by students' families.

Q: Are there scholarships available?

A: Yes, scholarships are available to those who qualify. An application process is required to determine eligibility. Please send an email to dramakidsca2@gmail.com to request a scholarship application.

Q: My child really loves to perform. Do you offer musical theatre classes?

A: We sure do! We are proud to offer musical theatre in our exclusive Drama Kids "Take 2" Performance Academy classes. Click [HERE](#) for more information.



Q: What is "Take 2" Performance Academy?

A: "Take 2" Performance Academy is a musical theatre program that students can take in addition to their Drama Kids Workshop or Acting Academy class. For more information, click [HERE](#) or select "Take 2 Performance Academy" under the "Class Schedule" tab.

Q: Are there any prerequisites required for "Take 2" Performance Academy?

A: All students in our "Take 2" Performance Academy class must be concurrently registered in a Drama Kids Workshop or Acting Academy class. No exceptions will be made to this prerequisite, as these essential skill building classes are crucial to the success of our "Take 2" Performance Academy productions. We are proud to offer back-to-back as well as combo classes, to make scheduling as convenient as possible.

Q: How can we bring Drama Kids to our school?

A: Drama Kids is always looking for new class locations! Please send an email to dramakidsca2@gmail.com or call our office at 949-288-6889 to learn how you can become a Parent Ambassador and help us bring Drama Kids to your child's school.

If you have any additional questions,
please feel free to contact our office

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