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Entertain your **IMAGINATION!***



## **JUNIOR FILM AND TV ACTING**

The Zoo Kids Junior Acting Film and TV Level One course enables children to have a great time while essentially building their self-esteem, confidence, and skills in acting and auditioning.





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### LESSON A

During the first class students will enjoy getting to know each other by the use of drama games, speech challenger and theatre drama games and theatre sport techniques.

The importance of confidence will be discussed and students will have the opportunity to perform in a group as well as individually.

This class focuses on:

- Camera work
- Personal introduction to camera
- Building Confidence
- Self esteem
- Improvisation

**HOMEWORK:** Students are to prepare their personal introduction

### LESSON C

This is a very exciting lesson where students will start to develop and learn the group acting piece for graduation. The techniques behind working in front of a camera are discussed and taught in this class. Also we will focus on making a good first impression. We only have one chance to make a good impression. Groups are chosen and the kids are supplied with the personalised script for the performance.

Individual characters are discussed and developed for the group monologue using the 'hot seat' game.

**HOMEWORK:** Learn monologue and build character.

### LESSON B

**Auditioning and Understanding the Industry**

#### WARM UP GAMES

The following will be filmed and reviewed:

- Piece to camera- Your I.D and presenting yourself.
- The improvisation audition.
- Do's and Don'ts with working with other actors.
- The Audition- understanding each step.
- Taking direction and asking questions.
- Different types of auditions.

**HOMEWORK:** Practice introduction to camera

### LESSON D

#### Understanding Character Acting

This lesson students will really put their drama skills to the test! It will be a very expressive and creative class.

- Understanding, what a monologue is?
- What is a duologue?
- Character building
- Bringing feeling into a character
- Group performing and improvisation
- What is 'Over Acting' ?
- Run through of group performance.

**HOMEWORK:** Read over their TV commercial monologue.

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### LESSON E

#### Building Personal Strength

#### WARM UP GAMES

- How to learn lines.
- Relaxation as a habit.
- Techniques for relaxing and winding down.
- Techniques for mind clearing and energy building.
- Discovering personal strengths and weaknesses.
- Run through group performance.

**HOMEWORK:** Wardrobe and props for graduation.

### LESSON F

This lesson will focus on the areas teachers feel their students need to concentrate on further. The Kids Club will also have input as to what they would like to spend more time on.

- Characterisation
- Camera work
- Drama presentation; TV commercials and Monologues

**HOMEWORK:** Practice their introductions and TV commercial monologues.

## GRADUATION!!

This is the day all students have been working hard towards, while having a lot of fun on the way! The first half of the lesson the kids will have their final practice before performing their introductions and group performance in front of family and friends.

**Graduation also offers a free professional photo shoot both group and individual head shots providing a great opportunity to update kids photos.**

All kids and parents will be invited to make an appointment with their Agent to discuss the course with feedback and evaluation.

**Course Duration: 7 weeks (inc graduation) Course Cost: \$395.00 + GST**