

Virus Protection Protocol

Schools Matinee Covid Protocol

Introduction

Following Government Guidelines, procedures have been put in place at The New Wolsey Theatre in order to remain 'Covid Secure' and to prevent the spread of infection. As a school visiting NWT we request that you read the information below and help us adopt these procedures when you visit us.

Minimising Risk

In an effort to minimise the risk of infection and transmission of Covid-19, The NWT are employing the following guidelines for the schools matinee performance.

- We will ask you to follow current government guidance at the time regarding the use of face masks
- The seating plan will be carefully allocated by our box office team to ensure ample distance is kept between each school group.
- Upon arrival at the theatre your group will be met outside by one of our friendly ushers who will escort your group, as a whole, to their seats.
- At the end of the performance, each school will be released one at a time.
- We will have separate spaces allocated for each school where you can meet during the interval but we would ask that you remain in your seats for as much time as possible.
- Each school will have a different set of toilets allocated to them so that there is no potential for cross contamination between bubbles.
- Sanitising stations will be placed throughout the building and we would encourage everyone to use these at regular intervals.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact the box office on **01473 295 900**