

Would your child like to take LAMDA lessons at Hobletts Manor Junior School?

### What is LAMDA?

LAMDA stands for London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art. Completing a LAMDA programme is the speech and drama equivalent of a music grade.

### Why LAMDA?

LAMDA is an amazing way to develop self-confidence, physical presence, and a strong speaking voice.

The LAMDA programme is used to improve the following skills:

- to read easily, fluently and with good understanding •
- to expand vocabulary to improve powers of self-expression
- to improve confidence in speaking and listening
- to memorise and recall information
- to research and create persuasive formal presentations
- to create and defend positive discussion
- to engage in constructive informal conversation
- to build skills in working both independently or cohesively as part of a team.

### How does LAMDA work at Hobletts Manor Junior School?

- If you wish to sign up - 30 minute group lessons (groups are max 6 students) will be scheduled on Friday afternoons so that curriculum lessons are not missed by participants. Lessons will occur within the normal school hours, just the same as taking Guitar or musical instrument lessons.
- There are 10 lessons per term.

### What do the lessons involve:

- Drama warm up.
- Drama games to improve skills and technique.
- LAMDA training following the LAMDA programme with a view to take one LAMDA grade per academic year (however this element is optional).

### Pricing:

Lessons are: £80 per child per term. Payment Plans are available on request.

### Who Delivers the Lessons?

The lessons are delivered by professional teachers from PS Theatre. More information can be found on their website <https://www.pstheatre.co.uk/meet-the-team>

### How to sign up:

Please email: [jen@pstheatre.co.uk](mailto:jen@pstheatre.co.uk) to sign up or if you would like any further information. Registration and payment is directly with PS Theatre and they will liaise with the School Admin and Class Teams.

Thank you so much, we look forward to working with you!  
Miss Jennifer Smyth.