A Virtual Theatre Show for Schools & Nurseries



The Magic of Live Theatre In Your Classrooms

June/July 2022

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WE GET CHILDREN
INVOLVED AND ENCOURAGE
THEM TO COME DRESSED
FOR THE SUMMER
OR AS A SEA CREATURE!

ABOUT THIS SHOW

The McDougalls, stars of children's entertainment on stage and screen are making a **Big Splash** in a spectacular summer show!

Everyone's favourite children's theatre company returns with a brand new virtual musical show guaranteed to entertain and enthral...

Wave hello to Max, Auntie Aggie and Morag the Rabbit, and swim deep under the sea for an enchanting adventure. Something fishy is going on in the mystical underwater kingdom, and the mermaids and deep-sea creatures need help. Help The McDougalls save the sea.

A spectacular stage show streamed to your school or nursery, packed with singalong songs, colourful characters and bucket loads of audience participation.

Why not dress up as a sea creature? Or dress for the beach? Use our activity pack for a truly interactive experience.

HOW IT WORKS

This virtual experience is designed to safely bring the magic of live theatre into classrooms or assembly halls. It costs $\pounds 50$ per school/nursery/centre and includes:

1) THE SHOW

A unique URL log in for your school/nursery/centre to access the show from 13 June - 29 July 2022. The show lasts one hour and you can create your own schedule as to when to play it to each group or class. It is designed to feel like a trip to the theatre. You can send it onto pupils at home too - to make sure they don't miss out.

2) ACTIVITY PACK

A downloadable resource for classes including printable activities tied in with the curriculum. Full photocopying licence included.

THROUGHOUT THE EXPERIENCE, we would love teachers to tweet photos and videos of classes enjoying the show using #TheMcDougalls and @TheMcDougalls.

Our team will be on hand throughout the performance days to answer technical questions. Please note: schools, nurseries and centres booking the virtual show are responsible for ensuring the experience is conducted in line with COVID-19 government guidance in your building and area.



CREATE YOUR OWN VIEWING SCHEDULE: 13 June - 29 July 2022

COST: £50 package for the whole school/nursery/centre

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"WE'RE THE MCDOUGALLS AND WE'RE GOING TO HAVE SOME FUN"

ABOUT THE COMPANY

The McDougalls: a music and theatre company from Scotland, producing and touring engaging and interactive theatre shows for children and their families.

Our company's sell-out stage shows pack major city centre theatres, concert halls, arts centres and festivals across the UK, blending the educational with the entertaining into a magical live theatre experience.

For many young audiences, a trip to **The McDougalls** is often their first taste of live theatre. Our productions have become a box office highlight of theatres across the country, and for audiences, a biannual trip to see our latest show has become the ultimate 'day out with the kids'. Our albums, digital music and online TV shows have gained a popular reputation with children across the globe. The musical adventures of **The McDougalls** now enthral young fan bases in the USA, Spain, Greece and Australia.

From headquarters in the West of Scotland, our work is created and performed by award-winning duo

Ruairidh Forde and Ryan Moir, who consolidate backgrounds in theatre production, primary education and children's television into a fun-filled, unique musical act.

From a one-off show created for Irvine's Harbour Arts Centre in 2014, the concept has evolved into a nationwide touring operation: an unrivalled brand of live entertainment capturing the imaginations of thousands of children.



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WHAT OUR AUDIENCES SAY:

"With the colourful sets, the energetic characters and the wonderful music, this is 5 star family fun!"

UK Theatre Net

"It's the best and funniest children's show ever. Children absolutely loved it."

Audience Member

"The hallmark of a great children's show is the family interaction. While the kids were singing and dancing, the rest of the family got involved in the fantasy too. Theatrical magic."

Cilla and Artie, The Singing Kettle

"A fun-filled musical stage act designed to entertain and enthral. A magical theatre experience."

The Scotsman

"Full of festive songs, audience participation and laughter."

Familiesonline.co.uk

"A terrific live theatre experience for little ones and their families."

What's On Stage

"The girls LOVED it. Thank you for a fantastic afternoon. It was a perfect performance."

Small House Big Trips, Parent Blogger

"An action packed performance!" **BroadwayWorld**

"Fantastic show. Children and staff just loved it. Would highly recommend."

Cumbernauld Primary School

"Five star family fun." The List









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