

# Investigating 'An Inspector Calls': Conventions and stagings of modern plays

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St James the Less, 4 Moreton Street, Pimlico, London SW1V 2PS



**Sessions led by leading academics**  
David Houston, Staging and Acting 'An Inspector Calls'

**Learn how to bring dramatic texts to life in the classroom**  
**Explore the impact of stagecraft and dramatic form**

- Increase your confidence in analysing the form and dramatic structure of a play by delving into GCSE texts: *'An Inspector Calls'*, *'Blood Brothers'* and *'The Crucible'*.
- Discover how an understanding of staging and theatricality enhances students' interpretative possibilities.
- Examine plays from different angles and perspectives and deepen students' analysis skills and outcomes.

## Prices (subject to VAT at 20%)

£195 (Schools Programme members)  
£295 (non-members)

£145 (places from the same department)

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## This day is for you if:

- You want to enhance students' analysis skills and introduce them to new perspectives beyond the written text.
- You would like to learn transferable skills to help analyse modern plays in the classroom.
- You want to improve engagement and learning outcomes through theatrical activities.
- You would like to gain access to resources and activities to use in the classroom and beyond.

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# Speakers

*Putting you in touch with up to date subject knowledge*



**David Houston** trained at the London Centre For Theatre Studies and is the founder and artistic director of Drama Impact. He has worked in mainstream theatre, television and in education for over twenty years. David has delivered thousands of classical and contemporary curriculum set text performances and interactive workshops as well as drama and issue based texts.

## Teacher Leader

*All of our days are developed and led by practising teachers*

This day will be led by **Victoria Walker**, Deputy Headteacher at St John Fisher Catholic Comprehensive School. Victoria read English Literature at University College, Oxford, and is a Founding Trustee and Council Member of the Chartered College of Teaching.

## Workshops

*Workshop 1:* **Bringing the stage to the schoolroom: Ideas for teaching Priestley's drama in English lessons**

*Workshop 2:* **The play's the thing: Getting students to think and write well about drama**

**“Fantastic mix between course content, subject knowledge and classroom practice.”**

- 2018 English CPD participant



### About The PTI

**We know that for every student in every school, every teacher matters.**

The PTI is a charity run by teachers, for teachers. We re-engage teachers with their specialist subjects, inspiring them to bring enthusiasm into class and raise the aspirations of their students.

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