



## DECLARATION AND APPLICATION FORM FOR LAMDA LESSONS 2023/24

CHILD'S FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL : \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

**Lessons are available in the following subjects:**

### **Musical Theatre**

Depending on the grade, pupils perform contrasting musical pieces of their choice, as well as a short devised introduction in character and a monologue, with the emphasis on performing through song.

### **Speaking Verse & Prose**

Designed to develop the skills necessary for effective communication of novels and poetry. Develops a strong speaking voice and memory skills. Designed for individual candidates.

### **Acting**

Developing acting skills required for communicating character and context. Developing a strong, expressive speaking voice and good memory skills by learning and performing monologues and duologues. Designed for solo, duologue or group performances.

### **Miming**

Gaining an understanding of non-verbal communication by exploring physicality and movement, and putting it into a dramatic performance. Designed for solo or duo performances.

### **Reading for Performance**

Developing a recital around a theme of the pupil's choice and developing an introduction, links and a conclusion to tie it all together. Prose and verse selections do not need to be learnt. Designed for individual candidates

### **Shakespeare**

A new qualification in three levels designed to allow pupils to focus purely on some of the best Shakespearian speeches and study the language used.



LAMDA is the UK's largest Speech and Drama board and a nationally recognised qualification in communication and performance, which is why we feel they are an important element of a full education.

LAMDA examinations are designed to improve standards in communication through spoken word and to support the creative, intellectual and social development of the individual as a whole. LAMDA examinations are about achievement and provide an opportunity to develop important life-skills, such as self-confidence and the ability to communicate clearly.

Examinations will be held within school at least twice a year. Pupils will be advised by their teacher about the best time to enter for an examination. Examination fees are in addition to timetabled lessons and will correspond to the grade being taken and will be billed by the school once a pupil has been entered. These are listed in full on the LAMDA website. Once a pupil has been entered for an examination, LAMDA will charge the examination fee and any withdrawals will not be entitled to a refund. If a pupil is ill on the day of the examination, LAMDA will provide a Transfer Credit Voucher for half the amount of the exam to be used to retake the exam.

These lessons should not solely be entered into, as an extra-curricular taster for Drama as there are Drama clubs during activity sessions which would be more suitable for this.

### **Cancelling tuition**

A full term's notice must be given in writing. There is no need to reapply for lessons each year as it will be assumed the student is continuing unless we have had a term's notice.

**PLEASE ARRANGE LESSONS in \_\_\_\_\_ @ £24.50/30 minute session**

**COMMENCING : \_\_\_\_\_ TERM 20\_\_\_\_**

**Please sign overleaf after reading full terms and conditions and return to Front Office.**



## Contract for the Provision of LAMDA Lessons

### Terms and Conditions

#### General:

1. The Lessons will be of 20 minutes length unless a different length lesson is agreed in writing between the Parent and the School.
2. The School will timetable the Lessons which will usually take place during the school day or before or after school.
3. The School will plan on 30 lessons per year. If Lessons are started at any time other than the start of the year, then number of Lessons will be reduced pro-rata.
4. If the parent requests additional Lessons to the planned number then these will be at the discretion of The School.
5. Lessons will take place on The School's premises and at no other location.
6. Lessons will be given by a teacher who is in the opinion of The School a person of the necessary qualification and experience for the level of the Lesson being undertaken and on whom full safer recruiting checks have been completed. The School will have the final decision in the choice of teacher.
7. The School may substitute the nominated teacher by another teacher but will inform the Parents of this. Such substitution may be temporary or permanent. Substitution of the teacher is not an event that will terminate the contract.
8. All drama tuition delivered by The School is based on the assumption that the Pupil will work towards and undertake public exams. The Teacher will decide when The Pupil is ready to undertake such exams. The cost of these exams will be charged to the Pupil's account by The School.

#### Payments:

1. The Parent will pay the rate for the Lessons as advertised for the particular academic year on the Chafyn Grove website.
2. Fees for The Lessons will be charged in arrears at the end of the term during which The Lessons are provided.
3. Fees will be charged for Lessons which are missed due to sickness or other occasions when The Parent withdraws the child from school, unless such Lessons can be re-timetabled by The School at no loss to the teacher.

#### Termination

1. This contract is automatically terminated if the pupil is withdrawn from the school for any reason.
2. Notice to The School for termination of the education contract will be considered to be notice to terminate LAMDA Lessons.
3. The parent may terminate this contract by giving a full term's notice in writing. This notice must be received by the first day of term.
4. This contract will continue from one academic year to the next unless terminated in accordance with the above conditions.

Signed:

..... Parent

..... Name (printed)

..... Date