



Edwinstree School
LAMDA SPEECH & DRAMA LESSONS

Dear Parents

Exam Stars is offering to provide lessons in Performance and Communication following the London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art (LAMDA) syllabus which includes the option for students to enter examinations.

The lessons are taught in small groups and offer a variety of examinations in: **Performance** (Acting, Devising Drama & Mime), **Communication** (Speaking Verse and Prose, Reading for Performance & Public Speaking), and **Musical Theatre**.

A broad range of life skills are developed during the sessions and will support your child in the future, including: improved confidence in speaking, listening and answering questions, expanded vocabulary, greater fluency, ability to receive feedback constructively, enhanced self-expression, and increased ability to memorise and recall information. These critical skills will enhance the learner's self-confidence to engage and contribute fully, whether at school, in further education, in work, or in the community: in other words, empowering an individual to fulfill their potential. Students will also gain UCAS points from grade 6 onwards.

We are offering the following lessons:

- **After School Sessions:** which will take place from 3:30-4:15pm (days of the week to be decided). Lessons will be offered to children from Years 5-8. These 45 minute sessions will provide the children with stimulating speech exercises and activities as well as prepare the children using the LAMDA Acting. Examinations will be optional. These lessons will cost **£5 per session** and will be invoiced per term (10 lessons per term).

N.B. Examination fees are usually between £20-30 and exams will take place either during the school day or at a local school or village hall at a weekend.

If you are interested in your child participating in our lessons please complete one of our application forms and return it to the school office. Lessons will be arranged on a first-come first-served basis as spaces are limited.

Should you have any queries about the lessons please contact lamda@starlightstars.co.uk.

Kind regards,

Alexandra James
Principal Tutor and LAMDA Coordinator