

It's Showtime!

Dear Parents,

I hope you are all well.

Please find below lots of information to read about with regards to our upcoming Tozer show in May.

Show Timetable

This term until mid May will be dedicated to rehearsing for our Tozer show performances which are on the 2nd & 3rd May 2026 at the Palace Theatre in Mansfield.

Our Tozer show which we only do every two years is a very important event in the Tozer diary!

It gives the students of all ages a chance to all come together to rehearse and perform in a professional working theatre with the largest audience they have ever experienced before.

All the students achieve so much from taking part in the show, from developing more confidence, forming new friendships and making special memories to look back on as they grow and develop.

It's a special part of the Tozer journey and a privilege to be a part of.

The preparation for a show on this scale has been ongoing for a while & the staff & I will be asking for your patience and co-operation during a very busy evolving rehearsal schedule.

The timetable for this first half of the term will include continuing to train technique/strength & performance skills while introducing some ideas for show numbers.

The full show rehearsal timetable will begin after the February half term. It will be advertised on the website & through the Tozer newsletter next week.

We will then hit the ground running with full on show rehearsals from Monday 23rd February.

As with any production, the schedule may alter slightly at short notice as the term moves on, but we will try and keep this to a minimum or give as much notice as possible.

We will try and keep to the current evenings and all day Saturday.

There may be individuals who will be required for extra rehearsals outside of these days depending on whether they are invited to do solo's duets or trios.

These students will be notified via a separate email.

IMPORTANT...

Commitment:

For those who are new to being part of the Tozer Show routine there are a few details which you will need to know and a reminder for others who have done many shows....

Please note that as the show rehearsals rely on team work & commitment, all students are expected to attend **all** rehearsals as far as possible.

It is impossible for work to be created when pupils are missing, the whole group is affected and problems arise with over running of rehearsals due to re-blocking for those who have missed.

We very much appreciate everyone's commitment for rehearsals and the show, there will be exceptions such as illness or very special family occasions, we understand that- however, please keep these to the absolute minimum.

If a student misses several rehearsals they will have to understand that they will possibly be pulled from any part of that number depending on how many rehearsals missed. We have to remain fair for the majority who do not miss.

If for any reason your child has a legitimate reason for being absent please inform me by email as soon as possible so we can work around.

Show Costumes:

Most of the costumes are sourced & ordered by the school and paid for by parents, there will be costumes needed for every number your child is in. A deposit for costumes will be required by everyone and the deadline for this is **Saturday 31st January 2026** so we can get organised with ordering the hundreds of items needed.

There will be some costumes that can be recycled from past shows if possible and those will be sourced on an individual basis.

Please factor this into your budget as no-one will have a costume until it is paid for and once they are ordered **cannot** be returned or refunded.

If anyone drops out after costumes have been ordered you will still be liable for paying.

All costumes will be available on our 'Costume collection day' scheduled for sometime in April (to be confirmed nearer the time) when the remaining balance for costumes will be payable.

This system creates hours of work for the staff & myself, but is successful for the pupils all having the correct costumes & looking their best on stage. I will try to advertise costume costs as we go along as they will be more expensive this year than before due to rising costs and deliveries.

(Please put money aside each month if possible so that your child has their costumes without any hassle).

If you would like your child to reduce the quantity of show numbers they are included in due to costs, please let me know asap before costumes are ordered and cast lists are advertised.

Costume deposit:

1 number in show- £30 payable (= 1 subject studied at the school)

2 numbers in the show- £60 payable (= 2 or more subjects studied)

3 or more £75 payable (= 3 or more subjects studied)

Please pay cash or transfer to **TOZER SHOW ACCOUNT**

Details of how to pay are on the attached consent form.

Please also note as always every lesson/rehearsal your child takes part in during the show term will need to be paid as a term's tuition or direct debit as per any normal term.

Vocal students doing Musical Theatre in the show will be required to pay for any extra rehearsals in addition to their Tuesday class. Those involved will be notified.

We are into our third week of term so termly fees are due now please!

February Half Term Rehearsals:

When we have a show term we sometimes rehearse through the February half term break in order to keep the consistency & momentum of rehearsals going, but this time we will only **add** rehearsals for the first Saturday of half term **Saturday 14th** February and have the following week off and resume rehearsals on **Monday 23rd February**.

Easter holidays will be more intense with rehearsals during the day, but not across the Easter weekend.

Break up after rehearsals on March 28th (9 days break)

Added Easter rehearsals during the day from **Tuesday 7th April until 10th April** -this added daytime timetable will be released nearer the time.

Younger students will not be required everyday.

As all half term and Easter rehearsals are extra lessons & not part of the termly fees each rehearsal will be charged at £5 pp for **each** show number rehearsal. This will need to be paid in cash in a named envelope at the beginning of each day.

If this system can be followed it would help enormously in order for our rehearsal period to run efficiently allowing more time spent on rehearsing show numbers.

Chaperones:

In order for the show to be performed we will need plenty of dressing room chaperones/parent helpers for the tech rehearsal on the 2nd May and both performances on the 3rd May.

If you hold a licence from Notts CC to chaperone or are willing to get involved with helping please let me know. We have a few on the list already, but we need many more. If we don't have the required number of chaperones/helpers the show will not happen.

These regulations are put in place by Notts CC and are to protect our children and must be adhered to.

Please note if you offer to help you will **not** be chaperoning your own child or children, someone else will be allocated.

There are two shows and a tech rehearsal to cover so please help!

I also need help with costumes & props if anyone can offer time, skill and help please let me know as soon as possible.

Show tickets will be available to purchase in late February from the box office at the Palace Theatre Mansfield, please visit their website to purchase or call the Box office.

Thank you all so much in anticipation for your support and help and here's to another successful term & a well awaited fantastic show!

Regards,
Miss Haynes & Tozer staff

Costume deposit payment details & Consent form attached

TOZER SHOW 2026

CONSENT FORM

It is very important that we have full commitment from all the students for the show.

This consent form is your notice of agreement for our production in May 2026 and the rehearsal period.

Please fill in & return this form with your show costume deposit no later than **Saturday January 31st 2026**

Any queries please email Miss Haynes

Email: contact@tozerstudios.co.uk

NAME OF CHILD (if you have more than one child in the school please add all names on this form)

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SHOW DEPOSIT (amount).....

Please enclose payment OR pay online via Bacs
(please delete as appropriate)

Cash OR Bacs payment

Tozer Show account NOT Tozer Fee Account for classes

Barclays bank

Sort code: 20-50-21

Account number: 10501948

Date of Bacs transfer:.....

Are you able help at the theatre with chaperoning children Saturday 2nd May or Sunday 3rd May? YES/NO

If yes, please give details of availability

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Parent signature:.....

Date:.....