



Friday 25 September 2026

ACT! Festival at Bedford Modern School

Dear Parent/Carer,

Welcome back for another exciting year for the Drama students here at Lincroft Academy.

The first main event for our Year 10 GCSE students will be a play performed in the theatre at Bedford Modern School. This festival is called 'Act '26'. It will allow students from different schools in and around Bedford to stage a short play within the same genre. The genre for this year's festival is 'Detectives'.

On Monday 5th October 2pm-3.30pm your child will participate in a free Drama workshop led by a professional actor (Hannah Conway) at Bedford Modern School. The workshop will be full of tips, tasks and skills to support students and teachers in staging a mini performance. Following this the students will devise and rehearse during their GCSE lessons. The performance will be on the evening of Monday 16th November.

Students will be required to wear school uniform and should also bring a sensible drink and snack.

All children can arrive as normal for the school day and will meet in the Main Hall at 1.30pm where we will travel to Bedford Modern School by mini-bus and return to school by 3.30pm.

Each school will then be presented with their play text and return to their schools for an intensive rehearsal period. The schools will return to Bedford Modern School on Monday, 16th November 2026 for an afternoon rehearsal and evening performance that will be open for parents and friends to attend. Further information on this will be available nearer the time.

Please acknowledge that you are happy for your child to attend, using the link below, at the earliest opportunity.

[Bedford Modern's ACT! 26 - Consent Form - Fill in form](#)

Yours sincerely

Mr P Wildman

Head of Performing Arts



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