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Presents
Dance Maven: A Dance & Literacy Project



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Dance Maven: A Dance & Literacy Project with Primary Schools
By Waggle Dance Co.

Funded by Arts Council England
& Edmonton Community Partnership (2024)
Delivered in Enfield schools, designed for KS1 & KS2 (Years 3–6)

Mission: Education through character –
inspiring creativity, confidence & collaboration in young people.



What We Do

Dance Maven explores the relationship between dance & dyslexia.

Delivered with professional dancers, Moving Art Management (producers), composer Tom Haines and researcher Dr. Siobhan Mitchell.

Focus on cross-lateral movements – engaging both sides of the brain to support literacy & learning.

Key Features:

- In-school workshops co-created with pupils & teachers
- Movement “sentences” and group choreography
- Sketchbooks for pupils to reflect on dance & learning
- Local library visits to strengthen literacy & community connections



Impact for Schools

Benefits for Pupils:

- Improved literacy skills through embodied learning
- Development of strength, balance, coordination & dance technique
- Growth in teamwork, confidence, and creativity
- Support for SEMH (social, emotional & mental health)

Inclusive Approach:

- Designed to support children with learning differences (including dyslexia)
- Safe, brave space for exploration and collaboration
- Monitored & evaluated by a specialist researcher, final report shared with schools



Call to Action

Who We're Looking For:

- United Learning schools & London primaries (Years 3–6)
- Teachers who want to integrate creative movement & literacy into their curriculum

Opportunities for Schools:

- Bring professional dancers directly into your classrooms
- Co-create a performance to be shared with peers, families & community
- Be part of cutting-edge research into movement-based learning

Next Step:

Get in touch to bring Dance Maven to your school.



Workshop Options

GOOD £1200
6 x workshops

*One half day = 1 session
over 6 weeks = 6 sessions
1 x facilitator
Waggle Dance leader to project
manage total delivery.*

BETTER £1800
6 x workshops
including Q&A &
sketchbook for pupils
***resources incl.**

*One half day = 2 sessions
over 6 weeks = 12 sessions
2 x facilitators
Waggle Dance leader to project
manage total delivery.*

BEST £2400
6 x workshops
including Library visit
Q&A & sketchbook
for pupils *resources
incl.

*One full day = 2 sessions
over 6 weeks = 12 sessions
3 x facilitators with professional
performance
Waggle Dance leader to project
manage total delivery.*

All prices include planning time, consultation, delivery & post-workshop discussion.



Thank You

Please get in touch to discuss your needs and our services in more detail.

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