



WHY WE CHARGE FOR PRODUCTIONS

Ever wondered why we charge fees to be involved in our productions? Here is an **example breakdown** of the full production costs for our **Shrek Jr production** in June 2025.



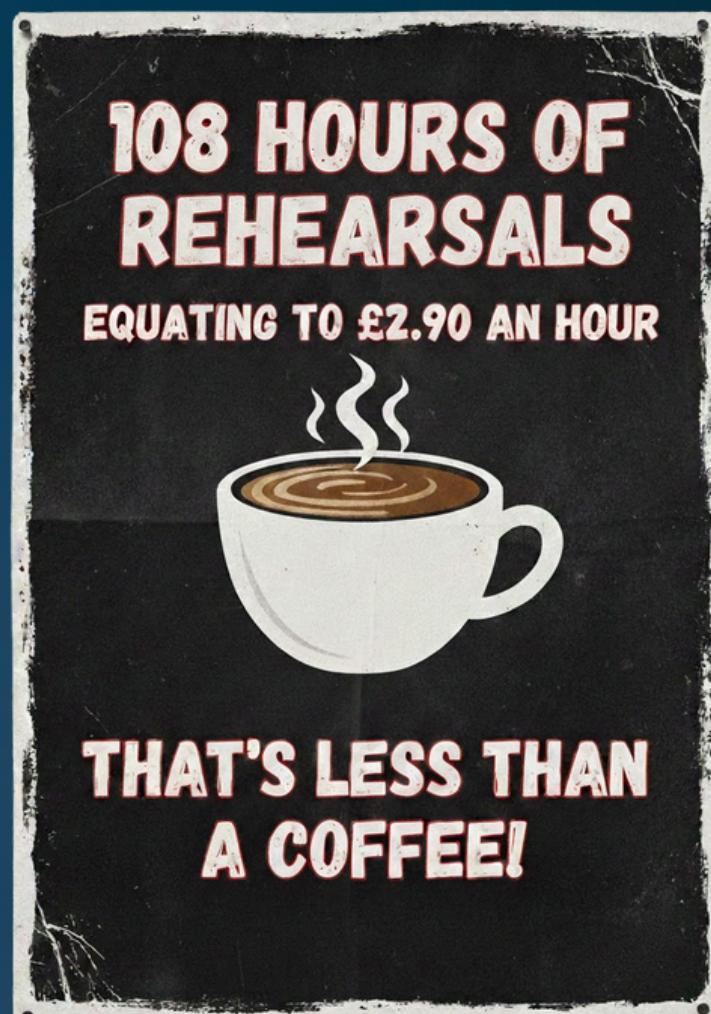
Production fees per child: £313*

**monthly plans are always available*

Rehearsals

Staff wages: **£5,097**

Room hire: **£2,290**



Production expenditure

Shrek licence agreement: **£495**

Theatre hire (including tech/marketing): **£6,223**

Set hire: **£7,368**

Costume hire: **£2,029**

Prosthetics: **£610**

Programmes: **£635**

Marketing material: **£170**

Promo trailer: **£450**

Show photography: **£200**

Cast and crew t-shirts: **£919**

MTI royalties: **£1,674**

Additional staff wages (Hair & Make-up, Props, Wardrobe): **£2,101**

Total production expenditure: **£30,261**

At Performers Theatre Company, we **pride ourselves on offering high quality opportunities**. Our full-scale productions require significant time, expertise, and resources to ensure every child has a high-quality and rewarding experience. Costs such as professional direction, choreography, costumes, sets, lighting, sound, and venue hire all contribute to the standard of our shows. **Quality does have a price**, and **participation fees help us maintain the level of excellence** we strive to provide.

We are committed to keeping our productions affordable and inclusive and will never allow finances to be a barrier for a child to take part. However, fees must come from somewhere to sustain these standards and ensure we can continue offering an exceptional and enriching experience for all.