



**present a drama-based regional challenge  
for A Level language students**

## **All the World's Your Stage!**

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2018  
Nottingham Girls' High School**



**All the World's Your Stage** is specially aimed at Year 12 and Year 13 students who are studying **languages** and who would like to develop in particular their **speaking and creative writing skills**.

### **Overview**

Losing yourself in another character can be an excellent way of developing confidence in speaking, especially when you have a team around you. Students will be supported throughout this one day workshop to produce a short play in French, German or Spanish, exploring themes that are relevant to their studies. There will be emphasis on both writing and speaking skills. The day will culminate in a showcase of linguistic talent as teams perform their plays, and there will be a prize for the most outstanding team.

We are delighted to be hosting this event at Nottingham Girls' High School in their brand new drama building, which offers a fantastic and inspirational venue.

### **Outline of the day**

The day will include:

- A keynote talk from the theatre world
- Workshops on writing and performing
- Performance of the short plays that the students have written
- An opportunity to talk to international business people

During the day, Business Language Champions will be on hand to advise the students and help with language issues.



## Who can take part?

You are invited to send any number of A Level students from **Years 12 or 13** who are studying **French, German or Spanish**. Students will be allocated into teams with a common language. We realise that some schools will have low numbers of students studying languages at A Level and for this reason we are happy to accept individual students who are able to travel independently to the venue without an accompanying teacher. We hope this will make the event more viable for you.



- Registration deadline:** Up to Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2017 on a first come, first served basis.
- Applications:** Please submit the names of the students, their Year Group, and the language(s) they are studying. Each student should also send 100 words in their target language on what they would like to get out of the day (this can be sent later). Remember to include contact details for your school. Note that we will only reserve places against receipt of names, but you are welcome to advise us of your intention to take part so that we can keep you informed.
- Cost:** This event is £25 per student and will include lunch and refreshments.
- Timing:** The day will run from 9.00a.m. (registration) for a 9.20 start to 3.30p.m.
- Terms:** Please note that once the invoice has been issued, the full amount will be charged in the event of cancellation unless the place can be filled by another school or student.

**Please send your application electronically to:**  
*Sally Fagan, Business Language Champions*  
Email: [sally@blcevents.co.uk](mailto:sally@blcevents.co.uk)

### Checklist for applications:

- Name(s), year group and language(s) studied for each student
- 100 word application from each student in their target language (note this can be sent later)
- Name and address of your school
- Name and email for the main contact
- Mobile or telephone number for the main contact



**If you have any queries about this challenge please ring Sally Fagan on 01949 860167 or 07967 699614 or email [sally@blcevents.co.uk](mailto:sally@blcevents.co.uk)**

***We would like to thank Nottingham Girls' High School for hosting this event!***

***"All the world's a stage and most of us are desperately unrehearsed."  
— Seán O'Casey, Irish dramatist, 1880 - 1964***