



Performance Type

Four actor forum theatre play



Topics Addressed

Bullying and cyberbullying



Duration

60-90 minutes, including active interventions after scripted play



Audience Size

Maximum 100 students

About Forum Theatre

This action-oriented education program uses interactive forum techniques to transform students from passive spectators into active participants, or 'spect-actors'. Students are encouraged to role play as they explore real-world scenarios and develop strategies for dealing with social issues and health pressures that affect their day to day lives.

The program fosters resilience and encourages youth to speak up and confidently enter into conversation about issues that concern them.

Synopsis

Everyone else seems to know exactly who they are - so confident in their identities. But Jez isn't so sure. There is a part of him that he doesn't feel comfortable acknowledging - even to his family and best friends.

Standing Out examines bullying and aggression, especially in regards to LGBTQI+ students. Using interactive Forum Theatre, students are encouraged to examine the impace of bullying on youth mental health, explore how they can be supportive to their peers, and celebrate diversity.

Concepts Addressed

- Ethical behaviour and responsibility
- Self-acceptance, respect of self, and concern for others and their rights
- Social and civic responsibility, care and compassion for self and others
- Understanding, tolerance, and inclusion
- Sensitivity to and concern for the wellbeing of other people, and finding constructive ways to manage conflict

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