



The Guide for Teachers, Students and Groups Visiting the Theatre Royal Bath
Main House and Ustinov Box Office: 01225 448844 the egg: 01225 823409
www.theatreroyal.org.uk

THEATRE Main House
ROYAL Ustinov
BATH the egg

RISK ASSESSMENT INFORMATION

The Theatre Royal Bath is committed to providing its audience with a safe environment and an enjoyable visit.

Before you come your school/college/university or organisation may wish to conduct its own risk assessment. While the Theatre Royal cannot write a risk assessment for you, we will help with information that you feel is relevant. There is not a generic risk assessment available for attending a performance.

The three theatres and Front of House areas are designed for public use. We have a dedicated House Management Team who manages the safety of the public.

Children, young people or vulnerable people remain the responsibility of teachers, guardians, chaperones and must be accompanied at all times during their visit. We ask that there is one teacher for every nine students and during the performance teachers sit amongst their students.

The Theatre Royal Bath has policies, procedures and working practices in place and fire risk assessments are undertaken for each area of the buildings. In our dedication to the safety of our visitors and staff we will in particular ensure the following:

- Public areas will be kept clear of hazards
- All emergency exit routes will be clearly marked and free of obstruction
- All electrical equipment will be PAT tested and regularly assessed
- Any productions featuring strobe or loud gunshot effects will carry a visible warning
- Under licensed conditions we are not permitted to do anything that would endanger our audience

We are licensed by Bath & North East Somerset Council as a place of entertainment and comply with guidance given to us by our local authority, including advice given on the minimum standards of fire protection and maximum number of people permitted to be in the building at any one time. We are also advised on the number of fire exits, fire protection systems, permitted building and scenery materials and regularly practise safe evacuation of the public and staff.

We are regularly inspected by Bath & North East Somerset Council and the Fire Authority and in addition we have our own inspections conducted by qualified staff.