



Love Drunk

Two boys and a girl: David, Marko and Lee are the best of friends. One night, at a party, things go terribly wrong and the friendships will never be the same again.

LOVE DRUNK is a fast paced, action packed theatre performance with live singing/rap, breakdancing and loads of laughs.

The show is suitable for students in years 9, 10, 11, 12 and tertiary level. The play deals with youth culture and relationships. Within this context, date rape and issues of drug and alcohol use and abuse are explored as a platform for post performance discussion and analysis.

An education package of post performance discussion notes will be included.

Why a show about this for teenagers?

“The underlying causes of sexual violence and the inadequate responses of the criminal justice system have been linked to prevailing attitudes about sexuality and gender roles that disadvantage women. Prevention measures should therefore be directed primarily towards young men and women during adolescence when they begin having intimate relationships.”

- Laura Russo, for the Australian Institute of Criminology

REVIEWS

“ A fast moving and action packed performance that deals with a range of issues facing teenagers today. A must- see play for senior students.”

Romany Cicavelli, Keilor Downs S C

“...riveting ensemble work that packs a punch...puts the audience in the drivers seat with its insightful exploration of moral behaviour among young singles.”

Brett Mahoney, Strathmore S C

“Exceptional positive feedback from students. The performers had the students focused from the start and it generated very positive discussion.”

Phil Hallinan, Buckley Park SC

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Love Drunk - Feedback from schools.

Extremely relevant, brilliantly performed, absolutely riveting!! Easily the best in-school performance I've seen in 22 years of teaching.

Sorell School (Yr 10), TAS

Students loved it and wanted to see it again. The feedback/discussion session immediately after was excellent and proved an integral part of the show.

The Friends' School (Yr 10), TAS

Fantastic presentation of issues that concern these students – brilliant, awesome, thought-provoking. I personally thought it was the best performance for students I had seen in the 20 years that I have been teaching.

Reece HS (Yr 10), TAS

The students loved it. It didn't seem to have that cringe factor that so many productions do. It provided excellent opportunities from which to launch discussion and topic focus groups.

Eltham College (Yr10), VIC

Loved it! The performance said so much to the students that would be impossible to get across to them in words. We will be re-booking you next year.

St Paul's Anglican Grammar (Yr10), VIC

Entertaining and challenging. The characters were believable, recognisable and thought-provoking. It was described by a Yr 12 boy as "awesome" and "the best performance I've seen at school"

Timboon P-12 (Yrs 9-12), VIC

Excellent – the students were riveted. The depth of interest and understanding of the issues was great. The performers' energy, enthusiasm and professionalism was excellent.

Hoppers Crossing SC (Yrs 9-10), VIC

Very impressed – particularly appreciated the humour with which the cast was able to present a serious topic. Most students were eager to discuss issues in subsequent sessions.

Newhaven College (Yrs9-11), VIC

Brilliant. Amazing performance that totally engaged students about stuff that really matters in their lives. Very challenging – making students questions really important stuff.

Brentwood Sec Coll. (Yr10), VIC

Performers were able to captivate the audience – I could not believe the silence and attention.

Ararat Community College (Yr10), VIC

Their appreciation of the issues were clearly demonstrated during our small group discussions. Our plan is to host the play annually for your Year 9 students.

Brauer College (Yrs 9-10), VIC

Sensational performance! You guys had our kids in the palm of your hands. Some have not seen live theatre before, so to see it in our school at such a professional level on such relevant teenager issues was most rewarding.

Mt Compass (Yrs 9-12), SA

An excellent way to pass this information on to students. Our girls responded brilliantly to this show which deals with true, real and confronting issues.

St Peter's Girls' School (Yrs 10-11) SA

The students were spellbound - it was aimed specifically at their culture. The performers were able to give messages about the consequences of drugs, alcohol consumption and badly managed relationships that were far more effective than any teacher could deliver in class.

Thomas More College (Yr 10), SA

On a theatrical level, it was great for senior drama students to experience a show so 'minimalist' in its approach and yet so successful in conveying the message.

Grant HS (Yrs 9-12), SA

"Students were in awe!! Totally engaged, entertained and genuinely moved by the performance. They went on a roller-coaster ride of emotion for the entire show and all loved it!

Pt Dalrymple School (Yrs 9-10), SA