



Geordie Theatre

Description

Canada's longest running and furthest reaching annual theatre tour

Geordie Theatre is a professional theatre company that has been presenting **live English productions** for young audiences since 1980. Pushing artistic boundaries with provocative and important stories, Geordie delivers more than 200 performances each season. Since our inception, we have performed for over 2.5 million children, teens and their families.



Around the World in 80 Days (2017-18), photo: Andrée Lanthier

We celebrate theatre's powerful impact by working with emerging and established professional artists from various disciplines and cultural backgrounds to create works that are provocative, relevant and enchanting; inspiring dialogue between communities, children and parents as well as teachers and students of all ages.

Geordie offers exciting, insightful theatre that is sure to transport all audience to new worlds and stories!

We are committed to developing and adding new excellent works for *Theatre For Young Audiences* to the Canadian canon. We continuously build relationships with and extend our audience through inclusive practices and by visiting far away communities in Quebec and abroad.



Pinky Swear (2017-18), photo: Andrée Lanthier

2Play Tour

Geordie's annual seven-month [**2Play Tour**](#) (the longest in Canada) makes its way across Quebec, Ontario and New Brunswick, visiting schools, libraries and community centres. Geordie annually visits such communities as the Eastern Townships, the Lower North Shore, the Gaspé, the Magdalen Islands, the Abitibi and the Outaouais. Often, our shows are the only theatre these communities are exposed to.



The Little Prince (2008), photo: David Babcock

Mainstage

Through Geordie's [*Mainstage Series*](#), an annual season of plays for family audiences presented in downtown Montreal, the company allows its young audience to have contact with new perspectives and widen their horizons through the lens of live performance. Geordie offers exciting, insightful theatre that is sure to transport all audiences to new worlds and stories!

'Confidence, Creativity, and Craft are central to our teaching philosophy.'

Geordie Theatre School

Geordie is the only company with a theatre school that offers professional theatre training to over 200 kids and teens a year. Through the acclaimed [Geordie Theatre School \(GTS\)](#), children and teens have the opportunity to build a solid foundation in acting taught by exceptional professional artists where the fundamentals of Confidence, Creativity, and Craft are central to our teaching philosophy.



GTS Final cabaret (2018), photo Andrée Lanthier

The [Geordie Theatre School After School Program](#) provides children and teens with the opportunity to build a solid foundation in acting in the comfort of their own school! Our teachers are professionals passionate about fostering the next generation of artists and inspired leaders while further nurturing their love of theatre. Our multi-level classes provide students with a memorable experience that will increase their confidence, creativity and craft. The GTS After School Program can be tailored to meet the needs of your school and your students.

GTS Bursary Fund

The [GTS Bursary Fund](#) offers scholarships to youth from lower economic and marginalized backgrounds and allows them the opportunity to engage in the performing arts with professional artists. The GTS Bursary allows even more youth to increase their Confidence, Creativity and Craft through a dynamic introduction to theatre.

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