

In 1974, the Trust presented a highly successful Australian tour by America's National Theatre of the Deaf and, realising the need for a similar company here, set about the nurturing of the Theatre of The Deaf, which was established in 1979.

Based in Sydney, the Theatre of The Deaf is the only professional deaf theatre group in Australia, and is administered under the direction of the Trust.

THE TRUST'S THEATRE OF THE DEAF



The company consists of deaf and hearing actors working together in a theatrical form which interlinks sign language, mime, visual communication, gesture and voice. This format has proved very popular with both hearing and deaf audiences.

The Theatre of The Deaf performs in schools, on television and with community groups, as well as mounting its own productions for adult audiences in theatres throughout the country. The entertaining and informative programmes it devises especially for performance in schools have proved popular with both primary and secondary students.

If you would like to see a performance of this unique theatre in your school, please contact



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