

Build My Reel

Screen Acting classes



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For kid's year 3-7
Only \$25 a class!

Classes available in Lesmurdie & Roleystone Term 1 & 2 2018

Class Types:

Lesmurdie

Beginners: Every Tuesday 4-5:30 for 10 weeks

Intermediate: Every Thursday 4-5:30 for 10 weeks

Roleystone:

Beginners: Every Monday 4-5:30 for 10 weeks

Intermediate: Every Wednesday 4-5:30 for 10 weeks

Before the term begins students will have the opportunity to meet with their teacher Jade Chamberlain on a set day during the holidays. Jade will chat to the students individually about their previous experience and what they are hoping to achieve from the class. Students will be asked to learn lines from a short one-page scene as an exercise. The purpose of this is to help place the students in the correct class.

Beginners Class:

This class is designed for students who don't have previous experience in acting for the screen. Students will learn about improvisation, taking direction, how to make the most out of an audition, understanding basic story concepts and building characters. On set etiquette will also be covered. This class is ideal for students wanting to develop their confidence and imagination as well as learn the basics of screen acting.

Intermediate Class:

This class will cover the content explored in the beginner's class but will go deeper as students learn about character journeys and arcs, character objectives, redirection and alternate deliveries. Students will develop their instincts and will learn the important questions to ask in creating a three dimensional character for screen.

About the Teacher:

Jade Chamberlain

I am a passionate film Director, Producer and Screenwriter. I began my career at the age of 9 as an actress before deciding to change to life behind the camera as a film maker at the age of 15. I have completed my 3 year Bachelor's degree in Film at ECU and was able to participate in some WAAPA acting units. I have also studied various courses at The Film Television Institute and Sydney Film School.



My recent short film 'My Name Is Grace' has won a total of 24 International awards at film festivals in America, Canada, New Zealand, Japan, Sweden, The UK and Australia. The film had its premier screening in Los Angeles. The photograph above is me with child actor's Keala Kern and Bella Freeman during a rehearsal. During my time as a child actor I was able to absorb a lot of information about the craft of acting for screen. I feel this has benefited me as a director as I find it easier to collaborate with actors as a result of years of training.

In between 2008- 2010 I did weekly acting classes with Filmbites Youth Film School and Ali Roberts studios. I also had weekly voice accent classes with WAAPA teacher Luzita Ferreday. I completed workshops with acting teacher Phil Thompson through WAYTCO and participated in Victor Trevino's Acting techniques class. I did a one week casting and acting course with casting director Christine King. I studied with Actors Now and flew to Sydney to work with US casting directors Joseph Middleton and Lisa beach. I was in a total of 12 short films.

I have been in the shoes of a kid wanting to make it into the film industry. I want the opportunity to teach kids everything I learned from years of acting and film making.

