

## Course details

### Course title

Film & Media: Musicals - Strife, Low Life and High Society

### Course code

Q00010253

### Course date

Start: 19/09/24

End: 21/11/24

### Number of classes

10 sessions

### Timetable

Wed 18th Sep, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 25th Sep, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 2nd Oct, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 9th Oct, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 16th Oct, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 23rd Oct, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 30th Oct, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 6th Nov, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 13th Nov, 10:15 to 11:45

Wed 20th Nov, 10:15 to 11:45

### Tutor

David Price

### Fee range

Free to £56.70

### How you'll learn

You'll join a small group of fellow learners for classes at the venue indicated. Some materials may be provided in our virtual learning environment.

Got it!

In venue

## Venue

The Wycliffe Rooms  
Freemasons Hall  
George Street  
Lutterworth  
Leicester  
LE17 4ED

## Level of study

Beginners

## Course overview

In this course you will learn about the history, life and times behind a number of musicals.

## Course description

Elements you will learn about include:

- Fiddler on the Roof and Jewish traditions from Eastern Europe
- Gypsy and the death of Vaudeville
- Singin' in the Rain's" satirical look at the end of the silent era;
- How Guys and Dolls and Chicago reflect the criminality of the Prohibition era;
- Miss Saigon and the fallout from American involvement in Vietnam, and how the musical compares with the opera on which it was based, Madam Butterfly;
- Cole Porter, his life and his musicals.

## What financial support is available?

We don't want anything to stand in your way when it comes to bringing Adult learning within reach so if you need anything to support you to achieve your goals then speak to one of our education experts during your enrolment journey. Most of our courses are government funded but if you don't qualify or need alternative financial help to access them then let us know.

## What other support is available?

All of our digital content, teaching and learning activities and assessments are designed to be accessible so if you need any additional support you can discuss this with the education experts during your enrolment journey and we will do all we can to make sure you have optimal access.

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