



Seven Visions

Reconciliation Through Theatre – Virtual School Tour

Imagine streaming right to your desk or classroom while witnessing reconciliation played out before your eyes! We invite our audience to join us in experiencing a multi-media style performance utilizing theatre, music, dance and visuals created by the stories from over 70 Indigenous Youth. At the end of the performance one of the actors will act as a facilitator to interact live with the students to discuss the themes in the show.

Seven Visions was created through workshops held with Indigenous youth from seven partner organizations, exploring their view on reconciliation and what this means to them. This new, interactive play shares youth experiences, talents and stories allowing for important dialogue from Indigenous perspectives. The performance is followed by a chance for the audience to intervene and propose solutions to the challenges in the play. We hope to encourage youth to use their voices and actively participate in reconciliation moving forward.

We acknowledge that these are challenging times and are finding that art and performance can be great for morale. While health and safety remain our number one priority, we're excited to be booking our digital winter school tour! We want to be ready to safely share live theatre with students as a way to allow them to once again participate in important community-building. We are working with schools and community organizations, to be flexible, respect any school division protocols, and will provide this experience 100% virtually. We will provide support with any technological concerns or needs.

The video is delivered through YouTube, and interaction through Streamyard and YouTube comments. This requires internet access, and a login to YouTube using a Google account.

Recommended for ages 13+

Cost: Sliding Scale from \$0-\$400, Pay What You Can Afford

Length: The play itself is 45 minutes, with a 15 minute or 30-minute live interaction option. We recommend booking the full 75-minute slot to allow time for intervention and discussion.

When: January 4th-29th, 2021

For more information or to book a performance please contact production@sarasvati.ca or call 204-306-5303.

Digital Options:

A – Remote to each individual via a YouTube Link, interactions can happen in real time using the chat function which can be brought up onto the screen.

B- Viewing Party, multiple individuals can watch together on the same screen via a Live Stream Platform, teachers can facilitate questions or interactions

C – The play provided as a pre-recorded video that will allow for flexibility and provides the option to book the live intervention separately to take place over YouTube and/or Live Stream Platform