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GeriActors Community Workshops & Classes

GeriActors is an intergenerational theatre company based in Amiskwacîwâskahikan (Edmonton).

Adhering to the principles of creative aging, we believe that seniors' engagement in the arts leads to significant health benefits, an overall sense of well-being and a marked increase in social engagement.

Our programs seek to challenge stereotypes, promote authentic views on aging and bring people together to share in meaningful discussions about lived experiences.

Community Workshops & Classes

We offer customized programs in acting, improv and storytelling at seniors centres, residences, community leagues, libraries and more! Whether participants have a history in the theatre, have a dream of performing or just want to try something new, this is the perfect place to start.

Accessibility

- Our programs can be adapted by our professional theatre facilitators to suit all abilities and needs.
- Having us facilitate theatre programs in your community helps increase accessibility by reducing transit time.
- Subsidies for our programs may be available.





Contact us

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Acting



Diving into a scene or a monologue, participants will learn how to explore a script, develop unique characters and collaborate with their fellow actors, while engaging in entertaining drama games.

Performance Storytelling

Take your stories from the telling to the performance. Through theatre games, a bit of improv, laughter and a whole lot of fun, participants will share stories and watch them come alive!

Improv

Learn how to create characters and make up stories on the spot. Participants will start with the basics of improv, working towards building a strong foundation in improvisational theatre. "No scripts and no plans – all you need is YOU!"

Here are a few options for our workshops and classes:

One-time Workshop

One session 60 minutes

Participants will have the chance to experience a short theatre program in a safe and fun environment.

Cost: \$165

4-week Class

Weekly sessions 90 minutes each

Participants will be introduced to and build upon various performing techniques, sharing what they learned with the rest of the class.

Cost: \$715

8-week Class

Weekly sessions 2 hours each

Participants will build various performing techniques and share their work for family and friends during the final class.

Cost: \$1,815

Helpful Notes:

- For optimal experience, we prefer to limit the number of participants to between 15-20 people.
- Organizations are responsible for providing a space.
- Costs may change to support specific needs including travel and program length.
- Not quite what you are looking for? Our programs are flexible and can be offered in a variety of genres and lengths. Contact outreach@geriactors.ca to find out more about workshop opportunities.