

Education at THE NEW GROUP

My Story: Transforming Personal Stories for College Applications

Learn to show your best self! Using theater techniques including improvisation and playwriting, these intensive classes offer teens the chance to create and refine their own personal stories for use in the college application process.

Each student will create at least two “monologues” that can be used as Common Application essays, and learn to answer questions about themselves as compelling stories. Students will engage in collaborative theater exercises to free up their ability to communicate, and present their work in written and oral form for feedback from professional theater artists.

Cost: Free

Where: On Zoom- Must have compatible device

When: Thursdays, 4 to 6 pm EST

- **Section 1:** September 24, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
- **Section 2:** November 5, 12, 19, December 3, 10, 17

To apply: Go to TheNewGroup.org/My-Story and fill out an online application for this free program. With additional questions, email Education@TheNewGroup.org.

Instructor: Liza Miller



NYC-Based
Actor, Singer &
Teaching Artist



Join Liza on Zoom!

Liza Miller is an actor, singer, and Lead Teaching Artist of The New Group's Scene 1 Teen Ensemble. She creates and facilitates programs and curriculum with arts education organizations that work in partnership to provide after-school and in-school residencies, and summer theatre and music programming for the NYC DOE. Liza also runs her own private voice and acting studio in NYC. Training: Master's in Classical Acting, LAMDA; Bachelor of Music, Vocal Performance in Musical Theatre, NYU Steinhardt. Liza is currently pursuing her MS.Ed in Educational Theatre as an Arthur Miller Foundation Scholar.

As an actor, her credits include: Theater: *The Golden Bride* (National Yiddish Theatre Folksbiene), *Twelfth Night* (The Schoolhouse Theatre), *Warsaw* (Alvin Ailey & NYMF), *Booth! The Musical* (Skirball Center for Performing Arts), *The Who's Tommy* (Debaun Center for Performing Arts), *Flim Flam* (York Theatre), *Chicago* (Weathervane Repertory Theatre), *Jacques Brel* (Provincetown Playhouse), *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* (Chicago Theater w/ Donny Osmond). Film: *Mr. Blue Sky*. TV: “We The People” (NBC).

The New Group is an award-winning, artist-driven company with a commitment to developing and producing powerful, contemporary theater. Learn more at TheNewGroup.org and follow us on social media at [@TheNewGroupNYC](https://twitter.com/TheNewGroupNYC).

