

The 2017 Treehouse Troupe Presents

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NEW KID

Written by Dennis Foon

Directed by Emily Aguilar

October 17 through December 7, 2017

ABOUT THE PLAY

New Kid follows a young protagonist, Nick, from an imaginary country called Homeland, as he moves to a new country with his family. Once there, he and his family are faced with the daunting task of learning a new culture and language, all while navigating bullying and xenophobia from the community. We, the audience, are put in Nick's shoes, as we are also unable to understand the language of this new country. Tasked with struggling alongside our protagonist, this timely story explores relevant social issues facing many young people and families today. New Kid is a play by award-winning playwright, novelist and screenwriter, Dennis Foon. This inventive play has won numerous awards throughout the world, including the British Theatre Award. It is one of the most frequently produced plays in Canada.

Run Time: 1 hour

Recommended for grades K-8

BOOK A PERFORMANCE

call or email Emily Aguilar at emilyat@bgsu.edu, 419-374-3143

or by going to: <https://tinyurl.com/treehousetroupe>

ONE PERFORMANCE:
\$125

TWO PERFORMANCES:
\$200

WHEN YOU BOOK A PERFORMANCE, YOUR SCHOOL RECEIVES:

- A live theatre performance of NEW KID
- Pre-show and Post-show lesson plans designed to deepen and extend engagement with the play and meet Ohio Academic Content Standards
- The option of booking a free 30 minute pre-or post-show workshop with the Treehouse Troupe

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