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Resource Links for Teachers

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POETRY

Aotearoa New Zealand Poetry

Best New Zealand Poems bestnewzealandpoems.org.nz/

Poetry New Zealand poetrynz.net/

New Zealand Poetry Society poetrysociety.org.nz/

Paula Green's New Zealand Poetry Shelf nzpoetryshelf.com/

Chris Tse christse.co.nz/

Bryan Walpert (American poet living in Aotearoa) bryanwalpert.com/

Mohamed Hasan (From Auckland and Cairo) mohamedhassan.co.nz/

Poet Laureate poetlaureate.org.nz/

Hone Tuwhare (History), teara.govt.nz/en/biographies/6t1/tuwhare-hone

Hone Tuwhare (Charitable Trust), honetuwhare.org.nz/

Tayi Tibble, poetryfoundation.org/poets/tayi-tibble

Jane Arthur, janearthur.co.nz/

Hera Lindsay Bird, heralindsaybird.com/

Ben Brown, poetryfoundation.org/poets/ben-brown

Glenn Colquhoun, glenncolquhoun.net/

Janet Frame, janetframe.org.nz/

Patricia Grace, read-nz.org/writer/grace-patricia/

Ian Wedde, anzliterature.com/member/ian-wedde/

Marty Smith, martysmithnzpoet.com/

Kapka Kassabovacom, kapkassabovacom.wordpress.com/

Nicole Titihuia Hawkins, nzpoetryshelf.com/tag/nicole-titihuia-hawkins/

Children's Poetry

The Children's Poetry Archive childrens.poetryarchive.org/

Paula Green's New Zealand Poetry Box nzpoetrybox.wordpress.com/about/

International Poetry

Poetry Foundation poetryfoundation.org/

Poetry Archive poetryarchive.org/

Protest Poetry

Poets.org poets.org/protest-poetry

poetryfoundation.org/collections/101581/poems-of-protest-resistance-and-empowerment

teara.govt.nz/en/photograph/407/a-poem-for-whina-cooper

readpoetry.com/poetry-and-protest-6-poets-who-are-literary-activists/

Queer (Aotearoa & International) Poetry

essawrites.wordpress.com/poetry/

OUT HERE: AN ANTHOLOGY OF TAKATĀPUI AND LGBTQIA+ WRITERS FROM AOTEAROA

aucklanduniversitypress.co.nz/out-here-an-anthology-of-takat-pui-and-lgbtqia-writers-from-aotearoa/

Chris Tse christse.co.nz/

Slam/Spoken Word (Aotearoa & International)

buttonpoetry.com/

newzealandpoetryslam.com/

worldpoetryslam.org/

Pacific Peoples Poetry

poetryfoundation.org/collections/142017/pacific-islander-poetry-and-culture-5913874061754

Karlo Mila, nzepc.auckland.ac.nz/pasifika/mila1.asp

Tusiata Avia, nzepc.auckland.ac.nz/pasifika/avia1.asp

Selina Marsh, selinatusitalamarsh.com/

THEATRE

Aotearoa New Zealand Theatre

Te Ara, History of Māori Theatre teara.govt.nz/en/maori-theatre-te-whare-tapere-hou

Playmarket, playmarket.org.nz/

Major Plays by RNZ, rnz.co.nz/collections/drama-online

Te Pou Theatre, tepoutheatre.nz/

Taki Rua Productions, takirua.co.nz/

Massive Company, massivecompany.co.nz/

Red Leap Theatre, redleaptheatre.co.nz/

Pacific People's Theatre

The Conch, theconch.co.nz/

Queer Theatre

Wicked (Musical), wickedthemusical.com/

The Boys in the Band, goodreads.com/en/book/show/320012

Last Summer at Bluefish Cove: A Play in Two Acts, goodreads.com/en/book/show/380968

The Laramie Project, goodreads.com/en/book/show/136531

Greek Theatre

theatrelinks.com/greek-playscripts/#greek-plays

Commedia dell'arte

britannica.com/art/commedia-dellarte

Shakespearean

Shakespeare's Globe, shakespearesglobe.com/

Shakespeare's Globe Centre New Zealand, sgcnz.org.nz/

Globe Theatre, Britannica, britannica.com/topic/Globe-Theatre

Melodrama

theatrelinks.com/melodrama/

guides.ucf.edu/THE331x/melodrama

Stanislavski & The System

Stanislavsky, britannica.com/biography/Konstantin-Stanislavsky

Stanislavsky's System, britannica.com/art/Stanislavsky-system

Antonin Artaud/Theatre of Cruelty & Peter Brook (Influenced by Artaud)

theatrelinks.com/theatre-of-cruelty/

Bertolt Brecht/Epic Theatre

theatrelinks.com/epic-theatre/

Jerzy Grotowski/Poor Theatre

theatrelinks.com/poor-theatre/

Naturalism

theatrelinks.com/naturalism/

Realism

theatrelinks.com/realism/

Theatre of the Absurd

theatrelinks.com/theatre-of-the-absurd/

National Theatre: Five Truths

youtube.com/watch?v=2OD7phopWWk&list=PLIWWXA9UI3I9My_3YynABPFONultXty9

Useful Resources

Theatre Folk

Theatrefolk is the Drama Teacher Resource Company. We are your one stop shop for Plays, Resources, and Curriculum Support - all specifically designed for High Schools and Middle Schools.

We are the creators of the Drama Teacher Academy (DTA), a provider of curriculum materials, educational resources, and professional development designed just for middle school and high school drama teachers.

Founded in 1994 by playwright, Lindsay Price, and actor, Craig Mason, Theatrefolk is committed to supporting theatre teachers, students and education worldwide.

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Theatre Links: Thousands of Categorized Theatre Resources

Theatre Links is a specialised directory with categorised resource pages. Each page contains a well-research and curated collection of external websites, academic articles, YouTube clips, images, and other related content on a wide range of theatre-specific topics. Individual resources are objectively annotated and linked for your convenience.

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