

Hello! And so we've made it to the final week!

I hope you've enjoyed it as much as I have.

At start of the session we played a game called 'Your camera's frozen'.

You can watch me explain how to play this game in the video below (and hopefully you can play at home too!)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OpiPA-NnCaw>

We spent the majority of today's session working on the final pieces that everyone had brought in. We worked in smaller groups and then in a big group to give each other feedback and encouragement. When we were working in smaller groups we asked the following questions;

Does the structure of what has been written work?

If not, what can we do to change it?

Who is the character telling this story? (it may be you or it may be one of the other characters you created, or maybe it shifts between a few different characters)

Why is the character telling the story? Who are they talking to?

Why don't you ask yourself these questions when working on your piece? It may be a good idea to get a family member or friend involved to help you talk through your ideas.

Make sure you are also thinking about all the things we have worked on – the character, the physical movement work, the voice- when building up to your final version.

We also thought about things like costume ideas for the character, and where it would be best to perform the piece at home so we get a real sense of who is telling us this story.

Finally we performed it to the rest of the group and Adam (Artistic Director of The Space). It would be great if you could perform it for your loved ones at home, and maybe even film it and send it in to us so we can see what you have been working on!

I really hope you've enjoyed this course and learnt some new things, whilst having fun and using some of your creativity!

Well done – you have now officially written your own short play! Maybe this is the start of something even bigger....