

YouthAware Educational Theatre • New Conservatory Theatre Center

Post-Performance

Handout for Teachers

OUTSPOKEN



By Prince Gomolvilas • Directed by Sara Staley • Stage Manager Wes Wollet
Starring Jesus Fuentes, Cindy Morales, Jeffrey Ramos,
Zack Scott and Keisha Washington

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A Play About Diversity and Respect for Teens.

Thanks for attending a YouthAware Educational Theatre program. We hope you'll take some class time to continue discussion about the play and the issues it addresses, and/or have your students generate writing based on their experience with the program. Some further discussion questions are provided below. Please help us out during the performance and post-play discussion by monitoring students and removing any disruptive audience members.

More Questions to Write About or Discuss After the Play...

- Is discrimination still happening today? Against who and why?
- Do you ever find yourself wearing a mask, or trying to be someone other than yourself? Why?
- What are the consequences of changing who you are to please others?
- How do people often react when someone acts outside the expectation of what they "should" be?
- Do you have any clubs on campus (like a Gay Straight Alliance) that celebrate diversity?
- What can you do at your school to make sure that every student feels safe and welcome no matter who they are or what they believe in?
- What can you do to still feel proud of who you are, even when others try to label you, stereotype you, or put you down?

Everyone has a voice. It's time to listen.



We'd love to receive your feedback!

Your comments help us to develop this program and secure funding for future YouthAware performances.

Please mail any letters from students and/or teachers to the address below or email sara@nctcsf.org

***You may also give us your feedback by taking our online survey at: <http://www.nctcsf.org/outspoken.html>



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