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THORN PARK
SCHOOL
FOR
DEAF
CHILDREN

Dear Nageena/Youthdeafinitions,

I am writing to thank you for inviting us to your production of 'Ruby Gloves'.

Our Primary and Secondary pupils all really enjoyed the show. They were excited to see deaf actors signing. The acting, costumes and deaf orientated story line were all really good. (I really enjoyed the show myself as did all the other staff!).

The children understood all the story because of the signing and this really pleased them. It was good to have deaf actors as this also encourages our young people to have confidence acting and gives them something to aspire to.

The children enjoyed meeting the actors afterward and also enjoyed seeing other deaf children in the audience and meeting them. One Primary pupil who has recently gone deaf and just joined us was amazed and thrilled to see there are other deaf children at other schools.

It was great to have a fully accessible party for deaf children.

Thank Michael Pufford

Head of Secondaries

