



## Pilot Connects - Stage One

### **Crongton Knights**

**by Alex Wheatle, adapted for the stage by Emteaz Hussain.**

**Winner of the *Guardian* Children Fiction's Prize 2016**

**Shortlisted for the YA Book Prize 2017**

*Life isn't easy on the Crongton Estate and for McKay and his mates it's all about keeping their heads down but when a friend finds herself in trouble, they set out on a mission that goes further than any of them imagined.*

*Crongton Knights is about the friends you'll never forget and how lessons learned the hard way can bring you closer together.*

"Alex Wheatle is an inspirer. He is a vital writer. He is a prince among men. Long may he reign."  
Lemn Sissay

This teaching package consists of;

- A high-quality **webcast** of the production (recorded with an audience in March 2020)
- A new teaching pack with separate sections for English and Drama with fully resourced lesson plans, a suggested plan for a full half term of teaching *Crongton Knights*, student hand outs and links to additional resources. Lessons focused specifically on the GCSE written exam, and for using *Crongton Knights* as a stimulus for the GCSE Devising Drama Component.
- An online webinar and Q & A with Pilot's Artistic Director (and co-director of the show) and Pilot's Education Consultant exploring the text and how to use it with students – either live or if more convenient access to the recording.
- Opportunity to book workshops (either via Zoom or in school if possible) with a range of creatives – covering areas such as character development, design, beatboxing, directing and writing.

Cost - : State Schools : £200 + VAT

Private/Independent Schools £400 + VAT

(the cost allows 1 academic year access to webcast September 2020 – August 2021, unlimited use of the teaching pack).

**To purchase the Pilot Connects *Crongton Knights* pack please email [education@pilot-theatre.com](mailto:education@pilot-theatre.com) or call 01904 635755.**

Additional workshops : subject to availability of creatives to be booked separately through Pilot  
£250 + VAT 2 sessions (full day)  
£175 + VAT 1 session (up to 2 hours)

For further information about the production see Pilot's website:  
[www.pilot-theatre.com/past-work/crongton-knights](http://www.pilot-theatre.com/past-work/crongton-knights)