

Fundraiser with Salt and Oil [Darius Young Shakespeare Fundraiser | Salt & Oil \(saltandoil.nz\)](https://saltandoil.nz)

Kia ora, my name is Darius Martin-Baker.

I am an ex Tauraroa Area School student (2021) who has had the incredible honour of winning a spot, alongside 23 other young New Zealanders, with the Shakespeare Globe Centre New Zealand - SGCNZ Young Shakespeare Company.

What this means is a once in a lifetime opportunity to travel to the United Kingdom in July and participate in a three-week intensive series of workshops, talks, and mentoring, plus the chance to watch performances at the Globe and attend 12 rehearsals with a Globe Director, and then perform for the public on the Globe Stage.

I then get to bring this amazing learning back home to Northland to share either through directing a student performance of a SGCNZ Shakespeare Festival or through workshops, working as a mentor with students, teachers or theatre groups. "By sharing our experience, we get to inspire and be a role model for young people in the community."

I am passionate about performance arts and see this as my future, I would like to make the most of this opportunity. The cost to attend this programme is NZ\$10 000. Through working and fundraising I am almost halfway there, however still short NZ\$6000. I have reached out to local organisations to ask for help. Salt and Oil have very kindly offered to support me through their regular Feel Good While Doing Good online fundraising programme. I would be most grateful for any support you can give me and them for their kindness. Thank you.

Boosted Link: <https://boosted.org.nz/projects/get-darius-to-the-globe>

Facebook Link: <https://www.facebook.com/100004507003764/videos/504786561181497/>

Thank you for all of your effort, it is truly appreciated!

