



# CENTRAL YORK PERFORMING ARTS

PARENTAL GUIDE

## ABOUT CLUE!

### **SYNOPSIS** (from <https://broadwaylicensing.com>):

Based on the iconic 1985 Paramount movie which was inspired by the classic Hasbro board game, Clue is a hilarious farce-meets-murder mystery. The tale begins at a remote mansion, where six mysterious guests assemble for an unusual dinner party where murder and blackmail are on the menu. When their host turns up dead, they all become suspects. Led by Wadsworth – the butler, Miss Scarlet, Professor Plum, Mrs. White, Mr. Green, Mrs. Peacock and Colonel Mustard race to find the killer as the body count stacks up. Clue is the comedy whodunit that will leave both cult-fans and newcomers in stitches as they try to figure out...WHO did it, WHERE, and with WHAT!

### **WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW**

"CLUE" is generally suitable for most children ages 10+. It contains mild themes of murder, deception, and some innuendos making it best for children around middle school age and older, with parental discretion advised for younger kids due to the potential for suspenseful content.

#### **Violence:**

While the violence in "Clue" is typically not graphic, it does involve the concept of murder, with multiple characters being "killed" during the play. Classic clue weapons are mentioned and shown multiple times in the show. There are some scenes that include gun shot sound effects.

#### **Intrigue and Deception:**

The core mechanic of the play is figuring out who committed the murder, which could be considered intense for younger children.

#### **Language:**

There are some references to drugs and alcohol, mild innuendo and sexuality.

Overall, "Clue" is considered a fun and engaging mystery play for a wide range of ages, but parents should assess their child's sensitivity to them

### **RATING:**

AGE 10+ (Parental Guidance Suggested)

Target Audience Middle+High School | College and Adult

Genre Comedy with some Dramatic elements