

**Discuss the different animals the students have seen in 'The Lion King' and identify the different human characteristics that were displayed.**



## AFTER SEEING THE SHOW

### DISCUSSION TOPICS

**You will also want to give students an opportunity to discuss their theatrical experience. A few discussion points are suggested here...**

- Who was your favourite character and why?
- Which were your favourite parts of the musical? Why?
- Did you look more at the animals, or at the people controlling them?
- What was it like, being able to see the people who were operating the puppets?
- What were your favourite puppets and why?
- Would you change any of the puppets? How? Why?
- When Scar told Simba about the Elephant Graveyard, what could he have said to Scar rather than deciding to go there?
- What was your favourite song?
- What was Simba's relationship with his father like?
- Why was what Scar did wrong?
- What could he have done instead?
- What do you think Rafiki would have said to Nala if she had asked her what she should do?
- What lessons does Simba learn?
- What is Rafiki's role in the community?



Mufasa



Rafiki – original costume sketch