

Theatre Arts 7th and 8th



Welcome to Theatre Arts!

We are delighted to be working with you this year. By using theatre as our guide we will discover how far our mind can take us through our imagination. It is our desire that you will find this class as a way to escape into a new world of exploration each day, and discover how theatre is used in our everyday lives.

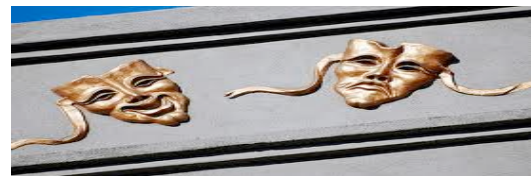
How the numbers add up...

1. Participation/Daily work- 40%
2. Performance/Assessments- 60%
3. Quality work is expected and clearly demonstrates your best effort. If a grade is not satisfactory you will be given the option of a content equivalent assignment to better your assignment grade.
4. In the event of an absence, it is the responsibility of the student to make up missed assignments.
5. Students will be provided with a Choice Manager that you will use to guide your work through each performance unit. Criteria will be established per unit of study. Students will be given the option to demonstrate their mastery of a topic in both performance and written expression. Rubrics are the main assessment tool that will be used measure student progress.

A Success!

In order to be successful in this class appropriate behavior must be exhibited. The Theatre Arts program uses the campus discipline management plan. The goal of this plan is to encourage students to make appropriate choices and to be responsible for their actions and the resulting positive or negative consequences. If a problem occurs students will be warned of the inappropriate behavior. If the behavior continues parents will be notified via phone call or email. If the problem still continues students will be referred to the office and the appropriate consequence will be assigned. In addition students must bring the following supplies everyday:

- Agenda (record important performance dates; restroom, library, and locker pass)
- Pens or pencils



Drama Club will produce the murder mystery:
"The Murderous Mansion of Mr. Uno"
 this year.

Informational Meeting: Sept. 6th -7th During
 Lunch Bunches and Sept. 7th 4:05-4:15

Auditions: September 13-15

Performances: December 13 & 14

Technology Use

There will be many times when students will be using technology for class assignments. Students must follow district guidelines when using technology. It is not appropriate to play games, access social media, access sites unrelated to the assigned task, or participate in any forms of mistreatment while utilizing technology for class projects. Violation of Acceptable Use Guidelines will result in being banned from technology use school wide, as per, district policy.



Daily Procedures

Enter the room and read the agenda posted. Go to your assigned seat and follow warm-up instructions for the day. During the class period students are to follow SLANT guidelines, appropriate attention getting procedures, group expectations, and audience etiquette.



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