

Much Ado About Shakespeare!

Summer Workshop
Trinity Valley School
7500 Dutch Branch Road
Fort Worth, TX 76132

General Application

All applicants must provide a current photograph or snapshot.

Please print or type:

Name _____

Address, City, Zip Code _____

Email Address (to expedite communication concerning acceptance) _____

Telephone number(s) personal cell (we text for everything!)

Your cell _____ **Your home -** _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ **Gender:** ____Male ____Female

Name of Parent or Guardian (students under 18) _____

School _____ **Grade in 2021-2022** _____

List theater productions in which you have participated during the last two years:

Play	Location	Part or Tech
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1. _____

2. _____

References: For students who do not attend, nor have graduated from Trinity Valley School, nor have participated in *Much Ado About Shakespeare*:

- **A letter of recommendation** from a teacher or family friend who can speak candidly about you. Please have these letters emailed to us or you can deliver them in a sealed envelope at the time of auditions. If you are auditioning via video, it is best to have your letter emailed to either Dr. or Mrs. Carlson at the addresses below.

Please read the following and sign:

EXPECTATIONS:

- You are expected to arrive to your class at least five minutes before class so we can get started on time and then be present throughout the rehearsal process.
- You are responsible for all parts assigned to you in our production of *Twelfth Night*. **Lines must be memorized** by the due date set by your director.
- You will be expected to **dress comfortably, but modestly** during classes and the rehearsal process.
- **Costumes will be decided during production and provided for you.**

AUDITIONS are a three-day process. First, you will present a memorized Shakespeare monologue or sonnet, then our director will assign a specific part from this summer's play for you to prepare for **CALLBACKS**. **Every student who reads will be cast in the show.** **AUDITIONS are Wednesday & Thursday, 1:00 – 4:00 on May 26 & 27.** And **CALLBACKS are Friday, May 28, 1:00 – 4:00.** You must email either Dr. or Mrs. Carlson prior to auditions to receive a timeslot for your audition.

- **All Cast members are expected to memorize a Shakespeare monologue or sonnet**, which will be worked on during some of the workshop sessions. Please contact us if you need help choosing your monologue or sonnet.
- **You must call or email** us the date and time you plan to appear for your audition: 817-456-8925 or carlsona@trinityvalleyschool.org or carlsond@trinityvalleyschool.org
- **During Auditions** you will be given a copy of the script, *Twelfth Night*.
- **Parts will be announced** via email, text, or phone.
- **Workshops** begin on **July 6 at 12:00pm.** Workshops continue **Monday through Friday, 12:00 – 3:00pm, until July 21.**
- **Each student may participate in an adjudicated Monologue performance on Friday, July 16, 12:00 – 3:00.**
- **Rehearsals begin Tuesday, July 6 at 3:00pm, and continue each weekday evening until 6:00pm.** During the last week, we will schedule rehearsals as needed during the 12:00 – 3:00 class times and regular rehearsal times will be extended until 9:00pm. Performances usually run 90 minutes to two hours.
- **Performances are July 21, 22, 23, and 24 at 7:30pm.**

While attending the Much Ado About Shakespeare! Summer Workshop, I understand that I am under the authority of Trinity Valley School and will conduct myself with kindness and a spirit of cooperation. **Being punctual for all classes and evening rehearsals and performances is necessary. I understand that I am part of something greater than myself and I am integral to the success of this performance. Therefore, I will do everything I can to make sure I am ready for each rehearsal and for showtime!**

My attendance at the Workshop is my own responsibility; if I am absent or late to class or rehearsal, I must inform either Dr. or Mrs. Carlson. Also, there will be no opportunity to make-up missed workshops.

Signature of Applicant and Date

Print applicant's name

Signature of Parent (students under 18)

Date 2021

Don or Anna Carlson

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DATES at a GLANCE:

May 26 & 27, AUDITIONS 1:00 – 4:00

May 28, CALLBACKS 1:00 – 4:00

Auditions and Callbacks will be held in Zoom. **You must sign up prior to auditions to receive an invitation.**

July 6 - 21, 2021 Classes run **12:00 – 3:00** on the TVS campus.

July 6 – 21, 2021 Rehearsals run **3:00 – 6:00** on the TVS campus.

July 16 - 12:00 – 3:00 Monologue Adjudication

July 21- 24 – SHOW TIMES – are at 7:30pm

Cast Party is after our final performance and all **CAST & CREW MEMBERS** are invited – of course we will be practicing social distancing. Location to be determined.