

ADVANCED ACTING II, III, IV

MS. PIERCEY

2023-2024

Contact Information

Teacher: Mrs. Piercey
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Room: Auditorium

Class Fee

TAG Membership fees:
\$5-member
\$10-Patron
\$20- STAR member

Acting at LCHS is created to help students in the development of their stage experience. They will participate in a variety of projects and performances. They will perform, memorize and enhance all the skills needed to excel in theatre. *They will also be asked to view/attend a performance each semester to turn in for a grade.

Grading Information

Grades are measured from the following categories:

- **Participation:** 50% of your grade. Each student that follows all class rules and procedures, stays on task and keeps a positive attitude will succeed in this class. Points are subtracted if students cannot meet those expectations.
- **Project Grades:** Each project is assessed using a Rubric. This is 25% of your grade..
- **Assessment:** Written tests are given once each 9 weeks. This is 25% of your grade.

Supplies

Mandatory Supplies

- ★ Please bring a pen or pencil to class EVERYDAY
- ★ 3 ring binder for handouts and notes.
- ★ Tennis Shoes

Optional

- Personal clipboard
- Technology (only when approved)

*Our Theatre wish list!



Things NOT to bring to my class

- Food (NEVER in auditorium!)
- Drinks (water only)
- Outside Drama!
- BAD ATTITUDES
- "I cant's"

What We Do in Class

Each 9 weeks we will focus on a selected play or musical.

Some plays/Musicals include:

Peter and The Star Catcher

Clue/

The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night time

Monologue and scene work

Advanced Drama Course Description

Welcome to Advanced Drama!!! I am looking forward to a new year! Theatre is such a fun and challenging art to learn. This year is going to be focused on Improv, scene work, and knowledge of specific theatre styles.

The only thing I ask is that you have a desire to learn and a positive attitude. As a teacher my job is to teach you about Theatre and show you all the doors it can open. I will not be grading you on how awesome of an actor you are. I also, will not accept any ego you may have. So, check that at the door! You will ONLY be graded on EFFORT and PARTICIPATION. This means that if you put your best foot forward and just try you will succeed and do well.

We will have a mixture of ages and levels of abilities in this class but everything we learn will benefit all of you no matter how much you came in knowing. The students that have a natural ability or advanced ability will learn just as much as a student with no natural ability or experience. The key is to look at yourself and see how much you grow as an individual and NOT to compare yourself to anyone else in the class including me!

I am looking forward to a new and exciting school year!

Mrs. Piercey

Class Requirements

1. Come prepared, on time and ready to learn
2. Follow all rules and procedures and listen to directions
3. Respect the teacher and your peers
4. Have a positive attitude, stay on task and do your best
5. Do NOT criticize or direct other students.

TECH THEATRE I, II, III, IV

MRS. PIERCEY

2023-2024

Contact Information

Teacher: Mrs. Piercey
Email: pierceyam@lee.k12.ga.us
Room: 810, Auditorium

Class Fee

Tech supply fee:
\$15.00
(This is for project materials
and paint brushes)

DESCRIPTION:

This technical theatre class explores the definition, design, and use of theatre sets, props, costumes, makeup, lights, and sound. Each level of tech theatre will enhance the different aspects of design. They will learn how to properly use and safely operate all the equipment in the scene shop and auditorium. ***They will also be asked to view/attend 1 performances each semester outside of LCHS and write an evaluation for a grade.**

Grading Information

Grades are measured from the following categories:

- **Participation** and in class work are graded. The student is graded on how well they follow the rules and procedures, stays on task and keeps a positive attitude. Points are subtracted if students cannot meet those expectations each day. This is 50% of your grade.
- **Project Grades:** Each project is assessed using a Rubric. This is 25% of your grade.
- **Assessment:** Written tests are given once a semester. This is 25% of your grade.

Supplies

Mandatory Supplies

- ★ Please bring a pencil or pen to class EVERYDAY
- ★ 3 ring notebook or folder.
- ★ Closed toe shoes

Optional

- Change of clothes
- Technology when approved.
- Theatre wish list below!!



Things NOT to bring to my class

- Food (Never in the Auditorium!!)
- Drinks (water only)
- Personal DRAMA
- BAD ATTITUDES
- "I cant's"

What We Do In Class

All the projects we will be doing this year will be based on different design elements. Some projects include:

- Lighting design and sound design
 - Costume/makeup design in a certain period
 - Set design for a show of choice.
 - Research on technical theatre careers.
- *Also, students are required to attend set construction days for the shows at LCHS.**

Theatre Tech Course Description

Welcome to Technical Theatre!! In this class we will learn how to focus on our strengths and how to strengthen our weaknesses. We will learn basics and build on the knowledge we already have. Our lessons will include learning how to safely operate the tools in our shop and what we can create behind the scenes!

As a teacher my job is to teach you about technical theatre and show you all the things you can do with it. I will not be grading you on whether you are incredibly talented in set construction or lighting design, you will ONLY be graded on EFFORT and PARTICIPATION. This means that if you put your best foot forward and just *try* you will succeed and do well.

We will have a mixture of ages and levels of abilities in this class but everything we learn will benefit all of you no matter how much you came in knowing. The students that have a natural ability or advanced ability will learn just as much as a student with no natural ability or experience. The key is to look at yourself and see how much you grow as an individual and NOT to compare yourself to anyone else in the class including me!

I am looking forward to a new and exciting school year!
Mrs. Amanda Piercey

Class Requirements

1. Come prepared, on time and ready to learn
2. Follow all rules and procedures and do not direct or criticize other students.
3. Respect the teacher and your peers
4. Have a positive attitude, stay on task and do your best
5. Use materials and tools properly

FUNDAMENTALS OF THEATRE-9TH GRADE

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Room: B-hall-205

Class Fee

TAG Membership
\$5-member
\$10 Patron member
\$20-STAR member

Description

This class serves as an introduction to theatre. Students will investigate theatre as a whole by exploring the techniques and origins of a wide variety of theatre arts in various cultures and periods.

***Students will be asked to view/attend a performance each semester outside of LCHS and turn in a performance evaluation for a grade!**

Grading Information

Grades are measured from the following categories:

- **Daily Grades:** In Class work and participation are a grade. Each student that follows all class rules and procedures, stays on task and keeps a positive attitude will succeed in this class. Points are subtracted if students cannot meet those expectations each day. This will be 50% of your grade.
- **Project Grades:** Each project is assessed using a Rubric. This is 25% of your grade.
- **Assessment:** Written tests count for 25% of overall grade.

Supplies

Mandatory Supplies

- ★ Please bring a pen or pencil to class EVERYDAY
 - ★ 3- ring notebook or folder.
 - ★ Journal/composition book.
- Theatre wish list below if you wish to donate to the department. Thanks!



Things NOT to bring to my class

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- Personal DRAMA
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- "I cant's"

What We Do In Class

This class will emphasize on learning to perform in front of an audience.

Some performances include:

- Technical Theatre Projects
- Monologues
- Scene work
- Improvisation
- Winter Performance at LCHS

Class Requirements

1. Come prepared, on time and ready to learn
2. Follow all rules and procedures
3. Respect the teacher and your peers
4. Have a positive attitude, stay on task and do your best.
5. Do NOT direct or criticize other students.

Fundamentals of Theatre Course

Description

Welcome to the Fundamentals of Theatre! We will be going through the basics and origin of theatre as a whole. You will have an understanding of stage etiquette, improv, acting tips and some tech theatre elements. You do not need any requirements in acting to take this course.

As a teacher my job is to teach you about theatre and show you all the things you can do with it. I will not be grading you on whether you are an amazing performer, you will ONLY be graded on EFFORT and PARTICIPATION. This means that if you put your best foot forward and just try you will succeed and do well.

We will have a mixture of levels and abilities in this class but everything we learn will benefit all of you no matter how much you came in knowing. The students that have a natural ability or advanced ability will learn just as much as a student with no natural ability or experience. The key is to look at yourself and see how much you grow as an individual and NOT to compare yourself to anyone else in the class including me!

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