



General Course Information Course Name: MS Theatre Arts

Department: Fine Arts Grade Level(s) 6-8

Duration/Credits: Prerequisites:

BOE Approval Date: 03/14/2019 Course Code: M7101

Course Description: The student in Theatre Arts will develop performance and presentation skills and will examine various aspects of modern and improvisational theatre. The student will view performances and have the opportunity to attend live performances.

This class can be taken and repeated multiple times; it will be modified to meet student needs.

Course Rationale: This course promotes cooperative problem solving, the use of technology, career exploration, analysis and speaking skills. Students will develop an appreciation for the theatrical arts and will understand the importance of art in life.

Course Objectives: ● The student will practice aspects of performance on a daily basis. ● The student will collaborate with classmates to develop a public performance piece. ● The student will read scripts and view performances. ● The student will have opportunities to create performances and make connections to the principle components of theatre. ● The student will visit a performing arts venue.