Technical Theatre 3
Course Syllabus
2026-2027

Teacher: Mrs. Alysa Spence

Campus: Central High School

Location: SW116

Schoology Access Code: TBD

Course Description:
Students will demonstrate their knowledge of technical theatre, by creating production designs and practicing technical skills that they learned previously in Tech Theatre II. Students will learn design techniques, theatre history, and script analysis.

Tech Theatre 3 TEKS

Grading Procedure:
60% major tests and projects
40% journals, quizzes, homework, and class work
(I drop 1 minor grade every grading period, but no major grades)

San Angelo ISD Grading Guidelines

First Semester Exam: Comprehensive for first semester

Second Semester Exam: Comprehensive for second semester

Exemptions: Students have the opportunity to be exempt from **fall and spring semester** final tests if they have no more than 3 absences and a grade of 80 or above. (3 tardies equal 1 absence)

Late Work: Students may receive full credit for assignments turned in on time. Assignments that are turned in late will receive a reduction of 10%, 20%, and 30% on the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd late days respectively. After the 3rd day, the teacher has the option to give you a 0.

Policy for Make-up Assignments: Students have the number of days absent plus one to complete assignments (the counting begins the day the student returns to the class missed) Make-up work is the student's responsibility. All missed assignments will be put in a cubby at the front of the class. Example: You missed Tuesday and Wednesday…Come in on Thursday and get the assignment(s) from those cubbies.

Materials Required:

Blue or black pens

#2 pencils

Wired Headphones

Charged Chromebook and Charger

Course Objectives:

-To increase students' skills as theatre technicians and designers

-To further develop technical, management, and organizational skills

-To prepare students for the possibility of higher education

Room Etiquette

Passes: Requests will be considered at appropriate times and when the instructor is not delivering information. Students are required to ask first, and then create a Hall Pass on their device through Minga.

Dress Code: All students are expected to abide by the SACHS dress code.

Safety Protocols: We will abide by all mandated and/or suggested protocols as they are presented to us and participate in safety drills throughout the year to ensure the safety of all during various dangerous situations.

You will be given a scene shop safety rules agreement. I expect for it to be signed and for you to abide by all safety protocols that are outlined.

Electronics: Cell phones can not be visible or in use during the school day (8:20-4:09). In alignment with HB 1481, students will NOT be permitted to use personal electronic devices—**including cell phones, smartwatches, wireless/bluetooth earbuds and headphones, tablets, or gaming devices**—while on any San Angelo ISD campus during the school day. Any adult on campus who sees a student with a device out or in use will:

1. Confiscate the device
2. Secure it in a designated location
3. Submit a referral to the administrative office

Food and Drinks: You may have water in class and it can be kept at your desk. You may only have snacks in class, make sure trash is thrown away. Do NOT bring your Chick-fil-a, Canes, Whataburger, McDonalds, etc., into my class.

Tardies: Students arriving after the tardy bell without a pass will be given a TCU (Tardy Counted Unexcused). Excessive tardiness will result in a parent phone call and a discipline referral. Note: Arriving to class more than 10 minutes late will result in an absence. This is state law.

3 Tardies - Parent Contact

5 Tardies - Detention

7 Tardies - Referral

Expectations in the Classroom:

1. Be courteous and respectful to everyone.
2. Follow directions.
3. Attend class every day; be punctual and prepared.
4. Do your best.
5. Obey all class rules, as well as those in the district/school handbook.

Tutorial Schedule:

Monday - BOBCAT BLOCK Tuesday - 7:40- 8:10AM, 4:15 - 4:45 PM Wednesday - BOBCAT BLOCK Thursday - BOBCAT BLOCK

Phone Number: (325) 659-3400 x 437 E-mail: **alysa.spence@saisd.org**

Conference: **M-F, 10:50-11:39 AM, SW116**

Sign below to acknowledge the rules and expectations in Mrs. Spence's Tech Theatre 3 Class. Please return the signed syllabus to Mrs. Spence through email or in person.

Parent Signature	**Date**
Student Signature	**Date**