

The Dance Center

Theater Production Expectations Agreement

COMMITMENT: By signing up for Theater Production your student is committing to being a part of the team. They are committing their presence and involvement with the production from start to finish.

ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY: Theater Production meets once weekly, therefore attendance is **MANDATORY**. The purpose of Theater Production is to mount and perform a full show, and each student must treat each class as **REHEARSAL**. It is also expected that each student arrives **ON TIME**.

UNDERSTUDIES: Every student will be cast in a role. Some roles will consist of multiple characters. New this year: We will be casting understudies for the lead roles in each show. This is due to the lack of at home preparation and multitude of students missing each rehearsal. Understudies **ARE NOT GUARANTEED TO PERFORM**. This is a learning tool as all Broadway and touring companies have understudies in case of unforeseen circumstances.

MISSING REHEARSAL: If for any reason a student will not be at rehearsal you must contact our Front Desk Team. Missing a rehearsal means your student may not be blocked or choreographed into a musical number or scene. Additionally, if a student misses 5 or more rehearsals their role(s) may be given to their understudy or another student at the discretion of the directorial team.

AT HOME PRACTICE: Students **MUST** set aside time to review the material learned in rehearsal each week. It is expected that when students return to rehearsal they have mastered whatever material was focused on the prior week. If a student fails to adhere to offbook dates or displays a lack of progression due to little or no practicing between rehearsals, their role(s) may be given to their understudy or another student at the discretion of the directorial team.

PARENTAL ASSISTANCE: Each student will receive a script with lyrics and dialogue that they must memorize. Parents or Guardians of our younger students (1st thru 3rd grade/non-readers) should expect to assist with the learning and practicing of the material.

Student Signature

Parent Signature