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Theatre Arts, Part 2

ATTENTION

Grading may take up to 7 days at semester end and during the summer semester!
Submit your last assignment two weeks before your school's semester ends.



The prerequisites for this course are: Theatre Arts, Part 1

How to Take This Course

Complete all the quizzes and the assignment in each unit. Once the quizzes for a unit are complete, you will have access to the unit test. We recommend you complete the unit assignment before you attempt the unit test; the assignment will help you prepare. You will receive the grade for a unit after you have been enrolled in the course for at least 30 days, all unit tests are completed, and your assignments are graded.

Allow 3-4 school days for an assignment to be graded. To understand the course grading, read the full course instructions.

Course Instructions

How This Course Works & Suggested Timeline

Submitting Your Assignments

Ask The Teacher

Meet your teacher for this course and ask a question.

Need help with the course? We offer online tutoring; find more details about it here.

WAIVER/TEST-OUT QUIZ — Completion

You are required to take this quiz before you start the course. To prepare, read the course instructions and the "submitting your assignments" document, watch the video on the how this course works page and review the suggested timeline.

Learning Objectives & Standards Met By This Course

Unit 1: Find Your Method: Acting Styles in Action

In this unit, you will:

- Compare major acting methods and the practitioners who developed them.
- Apply acting techniques to develop believable characters and performances.
- Analyze how different acting approaches influence performance choices.
- Evaluate the strengths of various acting methods for different roles and situations.
- Reflect on personal experiences to begin developing an individual acting process.

Unit 1 Study Guide

This study guide will help you preview the concepts and guide your learning as each new skill or concept is introduced. Use this study guide as the foundation of your notes. You may use it on the unit quizzes, unit tests, and course final.

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Quiz 1.1 — Completion

1.1 From Pretend to Powerful: Stanislavski's Method

Quiz 1.2 — Completion

Quiz 1.3 — Completion

1.2 Imagination Over Memory: The Stella Adler Approach

1.3 React, Don't Plan: The Meisner Technique

Quiz 1.4 — Completion

1.4 Behavior Before Drama: Uta Hagen's Approach

Quiz 1.5 — Completion

1.5 Next-Gen Acting: Modern Coaches & Techniques

Quiz 1.6 — Completion

1.6 Find Your Fit: Developing Your Acting Style

Unit 1 Assignment: Finding Your Process — Completion

Unit 1 Test

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Unit 2: From Mic to Marionette: Exploring Performance Styles

In this unit, you will:

- Compare the performance techniques used across a variety of theatrical performance styles.
- Apply genre-specific performance skills to create believable and engaging performances.
- Analyze how movement, voice, collaboration, and storytelling techniques change across different performance genres.
- Evaluate which performance skills are most effective for different theatrical styles and performance situations.
- Reflect on personal strengths and interests to identify performance styles and skills for continued growth.

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Quiz 2.1 — Completion

2.1 Adapting the Performance: Acting for Different Genres

Quiz 2.2 — Completion

2.2 All Voice, No Stage: Spoken Performance Styles

Quiz 2.3 — Completion

2.3 Story in the Moment: The Art of Improv

Quiz 2.4 — Completion

2.4 Emotion in Motion: Dance & Storytelling

Quiz 2.5 — Completion

2.5 Triple Threat: Acting, Singing & Dancing

Quiz 2.6 — Completion

2.6 Bringing the Inanimate to Life: Puppetry in Action

Unit 2 Assignment: Retell the Tale — Completion

Unit 2 Test

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Unit 3: The Magic Behind the Curtain

In this unit, you will:

- Explain how technical theatre professionals work together to bring a production from concept to performance.
- Analyze how the technical elements of a production guide technical theatre choices to support the story and shape the audience's experience.
- Analyze how the director's artistic vision guides technical theatre choices to support the story and shape the audience's experience.
- Identify the roles, responsibilities, skills, and creative processes used in technical theatre.
- Recognize how communication, creativity, organization, adaptability, and problem-solving contribute to a successful production.

Unit 3 Study Guide

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Quiz 3.1 — Completion

3.1 It Takes a Crew: Inside the Tech Team

Quiz 3.2 — Completion

3.2 Turning Ideas into Action: The Director

Quiz 3.3 — Completion

3.3 Organized Chaos: The Stage Manager's World

Quiz 3.4 — Completion

3.4 Paint with Light: The Art of Stage Lighting

Quiz 3.5 — Completion

3.5 Volume, Vibes & Voice: Theatre Sound Design

Quiz 3.6 — Completion

3.6 Wardrobe & World-Building: Costume Design

Quiz 3.7 — Completion

3.7 From Bare Face to Bold Character: Stage Makeup

Quiz 3.8 — Completion

3.8 Setting the Scene: The Power of Set Design

Unit 3 Assignment: The Design Pitch — Completion

Unit 3 Test

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Unit 4: From Stage to Screen: Performance Reimagined

In this unit, you will:

- Compare how acting and directing techniques adapt from stage to screen.
- Explain how film crews collaborate to bring a production from filming through post-production.
- Analyze how filming locations and technical choices shape the story and audience experience.
- Explore film production and post-production careers, responsibilities, and skills.
- Recognize how changing audience platforms, shifting technology are creating new challenges and opportunities in film.
- Recognize how creativity, collaboration, adaptability, and problem-solving prepare filmmakers for a changing industry.

Unit 4 Study Guide

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Quiz 4.1 — Completion

4.1 Live Crowd or Camera Lens? Acting Differences

Quiz 4.2 — Completion

4.2 From Blocking to Camera Angles: Directing Differences

Quiz 4.3 — Completion

4.3 Behind the Camera: The Film Production Team

Quiz 4.4 — Completion

4.4 Cut, Copy, Create: Film Post-Production

Quiz 4.5 — Completion

4.5 From Red Carpet to Ring Light: The Future of Film

Unit 4 Assignment: The Stage & Screen Challenge — Completion

Unit 4 Test

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Unit 5: From Passion to Profession: The Final Act

In this unit, you will:

- Explore career opportunities and pathways in performance, technical theatre, film, directing, and producing.
- Explain how skills, experience, professionalism, relationships, and networking contribute to building a career in the entertainment industry.
- Compare ways a performance can develop experience, create opportunities, and earn income.
- Develop strategies for preparing for future arts opportunities through training, experience, connections, and career planning.
- Recognize how theatre develops transferable skills that can support success in other careers and everyday life.
- Reflect on how theatre can continue to provide creativity, connection, enjoyment, and personal growth beyond the classroom.

Unit 5 Study Guide

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Quiz 5.1 — Completion

5.1 Show Business: The Industry Behind the Art

Quiz 5.2 — Completion

5.2 The Working Performer: Career Paths in Acting & Beyond

Quiz 5.3 — Completion

5.3 Build It, Light It, Shoot It: Tech Careers

Quiz 5.4 — Completion

5.4 From Vision to Victory: Directing & Producing Careers

Quiz 5.5 — Completion

5.5 What's Your Next Act?: Planning Your Arts Career

Quiz 5.6 — Completion

5.6 The Real-World Rehearsal: Theatre Skills That Apply Everywhere

Unit 5 Assignment: From Stage Skills to Life Skills — Completion

Unit 5 Test

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Final Exam

You will have access to the final after you have been enrolled in the course for at least 30 days and when all unit tests are completed, and your assignments are graded.

Warning: You have only ONE attempt at the final. As you study, be sure to take the final! We highly recommend you take the practice final first, and if you are unsure in any area, review the relevant course material again. You have unlimited attempts at the practice final, it will help you to prepare.

Remember, if you want to improve your grade in this course, you need to do that BEFORE the final is over.

Good Luck!

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Course Completion & Requesting a Transcript

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Feedback - Before you go, we would appreciate your opinion on the course; please take 1 minute to complete the feedback form. We hope you enjoyed this course!

Course Feedback

Thank you for taking this course! Let us know what you think about it.

Request a Transcript

Notify your school that you have completed your course. Send us a transcript by email or mail. A transcript will list all the courses you have completed and those in progress.