

STUDENTS SHOULD REGISTER FOR THEIR CURRENT GRADE LEVEL.

PRE-K

PRE-K **MAKE A JOYFUL SOUND: MUSIC AND THEATRICAL PLAY**

Come be a part of this autumnal bouquet of songs and movement rich with joyful theatrical play. Each session is themed around songs and poems of the season creating imagination powered Saturdays that grow positivity, pretend, and play. Actors must have turned 4 by the first class and be potty-trained.

FAMILIES & FRIENDS: Please join us for a class sharing on Nov 11th

8 weeks • \$135 • Alicia Millerson & Mikki Murray

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
9 – 9:45am**

PRE-K **LITTLE RED, BIG WOLF, AND OTHER NEW FRIENDS**

Just as our musical for children and families, *Little Red*, takes to our stage, you can join in a weekly adventure where you are at the center of theatrical songs, games and imagination. Discover what you never knew about favorite storybook characters as you play your way through tales old and new. No need to pack a basket of goodies but actors must have turned 4 by the first class and be potty-trained.

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8 weeks • \$135 • Alicia Millerson & Xochitl Portillo

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
10 – 10:45am OR 11 – 11:45am**

GRADES K-5

GRADES K-1 **A FOREST OF FUN!**

Our musical for children and families, *Little Red*, fills our stage with a storybook forest come to life and this class has its own forest of friendship. Each session is designed to fill your imagination with creative play, new stories and art projects all centered around friendships and nature – including delightfully spooky hijinks around the Halloween holiday!

FAMILIES & FRIENDS: Please join us for a class sharing on Nov 11th

8 weeks • \$155 • Jill Schladwiler & Rachel Taylor

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
9 – 10am OR 10:15 – 11:15am OR 11:30am – 12:30pm**

GRADES 3-5 **MUSICAL MADNESS**

Sing loud and proud at the DCPA in one of our signature class offerings! Students start from scratch to create the story, lyrics, dance moves and scenic elements while producing an original musical. As they use their acting skills to transform their ideas, each student will leave the class with the satisfaction of creating an entire mini musical to share with an eager audience.

FAMILIES & FRIENDS: Please join us for a class sharing on Nov 11th

8 weeks • \$215 • Gavin Juckette & Kate Poling

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
9:15 – 10:45am OR 11am – 12:30pm**

GRADES 2-3 **HOWLIN' AND PROWLIN' STORIES ON STAGE**

With a Wolf causing hijinks in our musical for children and families, *Little Red*, this class invites you in on the creative play of becoming the beloved characters of well-known tales and brand-new stories. These characters come in all shapes, sizes, voices, temperaments and busy-ness so your imagination will have to keep up. Become spookily rambunctious characters, too, in celebration of Halloween's, "Boo!"

FAMILIES & FRIENDS: Please join us for a class sharing on Nov 11th

8 weeks • \$155 • Madelyn Smith & Mikki Murray

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
9:45 – 10:45am OR 11am – 12pm**

GRADES 4-5 **MOVIN' GROOVIN' N' SHAKESPEARE-IN'!**

This high energy class explores large group scenes from the plays of Shakespeare and then turns them into an original musical number incorporating Broadway showtunes and original choreography based in simple everyone-can-do movement. Each session provides students with opportunities to perform and create different characters while learning the language and style of Shakespearean performance. A highlight in October will be something this way *Wicked* coming to defy Halloween's gravity so be you wizard or be you witch, don't miss out on musical magic with a Shakespearean spin!

FAMILIES & FRIENDS: Please join us for a class sharing on Nov 11th

8 weeks • \$155 • Lyndsay Corbett

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
9:45 – 10:45am**

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MIDDLE SCHOOL (GRADES 6-8)

MIDDLE SCHOOL ACTING TECHNIQUE

Develop a toolbox of acting essentials while exploring solo and partner work, improvisation, scene analysis, working with objectives and learning key theatre vocabulary. This class will set an understanding of core acting theory found in all of our higher-level courses.

8 weeks • \$200 • David Saphier

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
9:30 – 11am**

MIDDLE SCHOOL IMPROV

Throw inhibitions aside, build confidence and explore the fun and spontaneous world of improv. Using group activities, short-form structures and improvised scene work, this class creates a supportive environment for creative play and discovering how to make strong choices that further character and situation.

FAMILIES & FRIENDS: Please join us for a class sharing on Nov 11th

8 weeks • \$200 • David Saphier

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
11:30am – 1:00pm**

MIDDLE SCHOOL ACTING TECHNIQUE II

Activate the toolbox of acting essentials as you explore text, song, and movement in a dynamic and empathetic learning environment. From improvisation to simple script exploration and activation, this class celebrates your interest and commitment to performance.

8 weeks • \$200 • Christina Norris McNamara

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
9:30 – 11am**

Prerequisite: Middle School Acting Technique

MIDDLE SCHOOL TEEN COMPANY: THE MUSIC AND MOVES OF BROADWAY HAUNTINGS!

The “ghost” is clear for everything you are looking for in your fall Saturdays: Broadway music’s span of genres (Golden Age to contemporary pop-rock) and choreography both fa“boo”ulous and “spook”tacular! This musical revue showcase incorporates musical numbers and text from such “soul”-ed out Broadway hits as *Cinderella*, *Sweeney Todd*, *The Phantom of the Opera*, *Little Shop of Horrors*, *Jekyll and Hyde*, *Wicked*, *The Addams Family*, *Beetlejuice*, and others. Everyone will have a featured opportunity with material that challenges yet assures a de“fright”fully final sharing for families and friends.

FAMILIES & FRIENDS: Please join us for a class sharing on Nov 11th

8 weeks • \$400 • Lyndsay Corbett & Rya Dyes

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
1:30 – 4:30pm**

HIGH SCHOOL (GRADES 9-12)

This year we launch new high school conservatory inspired programming.

Our goal in re-envisioning our high school offerings is to propel opportunities for artistic growth and challenge. From a fundamental base established with the Acting Technique and Acting Technique II classes, students will be offered opportunities exploring the diversity of quality theatre training and classes bringing the depth and experience of our work at the DCPA. The journey begins in Acting Technique this Fall and will continue with High School Acting Technique II in the Winter class session.

If you have studied with us before, Acting Technique is not a requirement, but you are welcome to join class to continue strengthening your craft. If you are new to our classes, please start with Acting Technique and any of the workshops. Workshops are open to all students new and returning.

HIGH SCHOOL ACTING TECHNIQUE*

Develop a toolbox of acting essentials while exploring scene analysis, improvisation, working with objectives and learning key theatre vocabulary.

8 weeks • \$200 • Samuel Wood

**Sat • Sep 23 – Nov 11
9:30 – 11am**

HIGH SCHOOL WORKSHOP OFFERINGS

Our high school workshop series offer all of our professional training quality in a one-stop format. Each master class approaches the content through dynamic activities, community building, and opportunities to explore the diversity of actor training.

HIGH SCHOOL ADVANCED AUDITIONING

Auditioning is one of the most essential parts of being an actor. The process requires its own training and sensibility as the actor must present authentically and theatrically. This workshop will ready actors for college auditions, school production and auditions in the community. Develop effective audition technique to move your work to the next level.

2 weeks • \$75 • Kate Gleason

Sat • Sep 30 & Oct 7
11:30am - 1pm

HIGH SCHOOL IMPROVISATION: SHORT FORM

Don't miss this opportunity to dive into Short Form! This class will introduce and reinforce the basics of the popular art form. Designed for all experience levels, you'll be reminded how fun it is to play, be more spontaneous and take risks on stage. Using short form improv games, activities and scene work, students will create a rich, supportive environment for spontaneity, making strong decisions and increasing confidence. Come experience the excitement of YES!

1 week • \$55 • David Saphier

Sat • Sep 23 OR Sat • Oct 28
1:30 - 3pm

HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL THEATRE TRIPLE THREAT

Sharpen your triple threat skills! Class sessions will integrate all elements of musical theatre performance to hone skills and expand knowledge of the dynamic musical theatre canon. Discover the triple threat in you! Bring your singing, acting, and dancing skills to these focused classes that build your technique through scenes and songs from Broadway musicals - the Golden Age to today's newest Broadway hits. Unleash the triple threat in you!

1 week • \$55 • Gavin Juckette

Sat • Oct 14 OR Sat • Nov 4
1:30 - 3pm

HIGH SCHOOL ACTING FOR THE CAMERA

Get ready to approach the work when the director calls, "Action!" Learn to apply basic acting techniques to on-camera skills and build confidence in front of the camera. Focus will center on "to camera" technique and short scene work. Actors will continue to apply core craft elements of acting along with the technical asks of on camera work.

1 week • \$55 • Timothy McCracken

Sat • Oct 21 OR Sat • Nov 11
1:30 - 3pm