

Brunswick High School Theatre Department

Contract

Thank you for expressing interest in being in Brunswick High School's production of *Thoroughly Modern Millie!* Putting on a show like this requires a lot of commitment, coordination and communication. Students are required to meet certain academic and behavioral requirements in order to participate in the show.

To ensure the best experience of everyone involved and produce the best show possible, we have found that it works best to put the requirements and expectations in writing. We will work hard and have a lot of fun.

We want you to know that we will commit ourselves fully to this show and do everything in our power to make it the best it can be. Ms. Peterson will strive to make this an exciting and rewarding experience for all involved. We ask for your patience, flexibility, and dedication to ensure the success of the show.

Please read through the list of expectations and sign your name on the last page if you agree to being part of the show's cast or crew.

1. I will make my participation in *Thoroughly Modern Millie* my first commitment aside from schoolwork and activities listed on my conflict sheet.
2. **I must maintain a GPA of at least 2.0 and no D's or F's.** I will also maintain at least a 90% attendance rate. Rehearsal is not an excuse for missing homework.
3. I will adhere to the Brunswick High School and Frederick County Public School Policies and Codes of Conduct.
4. **Rehearsals after school start at 2:45pm.** I will be in the designated rehearsal space for attendance to be taken, and will not leave rehearsal without permission from the adults in charge
5. I will complete the electronic conflict sheet if I have any conflicts that will prevent me from attending part or all of a scheduled rehearsal. I will fill out the online form **at least 2 weeks in advance.** Any questions or conflicts about rehearsal will be posed to **Ms. Peterson or Mr. Fowle directly**, not any students. <https://goo.gl/forms/cZUuY4bH8OPI9cUn2>
6. I will stay focused and on task at rehearsal.
7. If I am not on stage for my scene I will practice lines/song/dances, help paint sets, or help anywhere else needed. I can also do homework or read.
8. **Actors:** I will learn my lines, blocking, songs and dance routines to the very best of my ability, and I will do so according to the schedule. I will take the time to practice them at home.

Crew: I will attend all rehearsals called for with a positive attitude and will listen to the directors and stage manager to ensure my own safety as well as the safety of others in the show.

9. I will be supportive of my fellow cast and crew members. **Bullying and gossip will not be tolerated and may result in termination from the show.**
10. If I have to make a phone call home I will ask Ms. Peterson or Mr. Fowle before I do so.
11. If I have to contact Ms. Peterson or Mr. Fowle, I will either visit them in their classroom before or after school or contact them via email.
12. I will not use power tools unless I have completed all requirements of the Theatre Arts Power Tool Safety Pledge
13. I will participate in at least 6 hours of set construction or decoration. I will sign in and out of these set builds on the appropriate sheet.
14. There is a \$60 participation/costume fee for participation in the show, and a \$15 fee for scripts. I will either pay, set up a payment plan, or speak to Ms. Bitler in the front office about assistance in waiving the fee.
15. I understand that Ms. Peterson has a final say in all decisions.

_____ has my permission to participate in all after school rehearsals,

(Student Name)

performances, and activities related to the production of **Thoroughly Modern Millie**. Frederick County Public Schools/Board of Education and its employees, agents, and volunteers make every effort to assure student and staff safety during after school activities but cannot be held responsible for events out of their control. We have read and agree with all of the expectations above and will abide by them.

Signed,

Student signature

Parent/Guardian signature

Parent/Guardian email

Parent/Guardian phone