

## **Stagecraft Contract**

**Class:** Stagecraft, I, II, III, & IV

**Instructor:** Mr. Oliver

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

**Major concepts/content.** The purpose of this course is to introduce students to the fundamentals of technical theatre, provide students with practical experiences in stagecraft procedures, and provide opportunities for experienced technical theatre students to expand their knowledge of technical theater and to participate in theatrical events from a technical aspect.

The content should include, but not be limited to, the following:

- Scenery construction
- Costuming
- Make-up
- Lighting
- Sound
- Set design
- Properties
- Understanding job descriptions

### **Grading Policy and Scale:**

<b>Policy:</b>		<b>Scale:</b>	
Test & Quizzes	10%	90-100	A
Employability	20%	80-89	B
Projects & Presentations	35%	70-79	C
(Outside)Attendance/Class Participation	35%	60-69	D
		0-59	F

**\*\*\*It is the student's responsibility to makeup work if absent.\*\*\***

### **Classroom Rules & Procedures:**

#### **“The Golden Rules”:**

1. Be responsible for your actions.
2. Respect yourself and others.
3. Be creative & outgoing.
4. Don't be shy.
5. Be safe.

**Classroom Expectations:**

**Academy:**

- **Be on time**
  - **Be respectful**
  - + - **Be prepared**
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**= Success for you!!!!**

What to do when the bell rings to start class.....

- Be seated in your assigned seat while attendance is being checked.
- Be ready to work responsibly when class begins.
- **NO FOOD OR DRINKS.** (No gum!!)
- No hats or sunglasses are to be worn.
- You are expected to participate in activities outside of class to obtain your required points for your grade.
- Follow student code of conduct according to student handbook at all times.

Parents need to be aware that students enrolled in Theatre Arts classes (comprehensive theatre, theatre technology, and stagecraft) may be using power tools such as cordless drills, various saws, pneumatic nail guns as well as working with paints and adhesive products. Students are instructed on safety precautions and provided with safety glasses and breathing masks. Students are encouraged to wear close toed shoes and to keep their hair tied back when working in and around the stage on these projects. If the rules and/or safety precautions are broken the school will not be held responsible. Students who break rules and do not follow instructions may find their shop privileges suspended and/or referred to the administration for discipline.

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**Parent/Guardian Signature Date      Student Signature Date      Student (print)**