



# Acting I Syllabus

## Goals:

To introduce students to acting and give them opportunities to practice, perform, and develop both communication and performance skills.

## Expectations:

**\*\*Bring your paper, Pencil, and a highlighter everyday!**

- Participate 100%
- Be prepared!
- Don't lose your scripts or you'll have to rewrite them by hand!

## Acting Units:

- Theatre Terminology
- Memorization
- Voice
- Movement
- Characterization
- Blocking
- Stage Directions
- Monologues
- Duet Scenes
- Ensemble Scenes
- Auditioning Skills
- Improvisation

## Teacher:

If you have any questions, please contact me at...

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## Grades will be based on:

- Participation
  - Preparation
  - Performances
    - Teacher evaluations
    - Self-evaluations
    - Peer evaluations
  - Assignments
  - Group work and effort
- NO GUM on stage!**

## Extra Credit:

Extra Credit can be earned for doing any the following activities, either at school, community theatre, or church. **An extra credit form must be completed and signed by a parent** for credit to be given.

- Auditioning for any part in a show
- Acting in any role
- Crew member for any show
- Join Drama Club at school
- Attending club events and activities
- Volunteering for production on a show (painting, building, etc.)
- Attending a live play (with written evaluation)
- Reading a play script (with written evaluation)
- Participating in school talent show or other performances
- Perfect attendance in acting class
- ...Other activities are accepted at teachers discretion