

CAMBRIDGE  
SCHOOL OF  
VISUAL &  
PERFORMING  
ARTS



# Theater Performance & Production



*For those who want to try it all. Students will alternate every other day between performance and production classes and attend rehearsals in the afternoon. This is for students who wish to perform, but are also interested in the backstage elements of a Broadway production..*

## WHAT'S INCLUDED



### TUITION

Students will take part in at least 25 hours of practical workshops and rehearsals. They will gain hands on experience which will be put into practice in final production.



### ACTIVITIES

We offer a variety of onsite evening activities including sports, discos and team games. Our activities provide opportunities for students to have fun and make international friends.



### EXCURSIONS

Excursions allow students to really get to know the USA. We use destinations such as Downtown Boston as a classroom, where students will find historic and cultural information through guided walking tours and visits to museums and other places of interest.



### FINAL PERFORMANCE

Participation in a student-produced final performance to an audience of summer school students and staff



### CERTIFICATE

Awarded for the successful completion of the course.

### LEARN FROM PROFESSIONALS

Students will receive personal instruction from experienced professional directors, dancers, actors, music directors, designers and technical directors from the greater Boston area.

### BROADEN YOUR SKILLS IN THE INDUSTRY

Students will work on audition pieces to add to their portfolio, and develop techniques for self-marketing and promotion. They will learn the importance and impact of social networking and how best to use it as a tool for developing a personal brand. Students will also look at the vast range of positions necessary for the production of a Broadway musical and hone an area of interest and apply the necessary skills to the final production.

### EXPLORE THE BROADWAY MUSICAL THEATER INDUSTRY

Students will learn the steps required to make it on to a Broadway stage. They will look at the history of Broadway and gain an understanding of the many moving parts in the massive capitalist machine that is for-profit theater in the USA.

### DEVELOP YOUR SKILLS IN:

Spoken voice, singing voice, movement, dance, acting, drafting, light design, set design, carpentry, minor electrics, model making, and sound engineering.

### VOICE/MUSIC

Students will explore linklater voice technique as well as proper breath support, diction, and vocal placement. The students will then be individually coached on appropriate selections from Broadway musicals..

### ACTING

Students will look at the methods of several well known acting teachers, namely Meisner, Adler, and Stanislavski. They will then apply these techniques to scene and monologue work.

### CONSTRUCTION

In Construction students will build and paint the set to be used for the musical. They will learn basic construction techniques and be introduced to a variety of tools. They will learn how to hang, focus, and program theatrical lighting.

### REHEARSAL

Rehearsal will be a time for production to meet performance. Any student that wishes to appear on stage will be given a part. They will receive staging instructions from the Director and work on dances and musical numbers with the Choreographer and Music Director. Those that do not wish to perform will use this time to program light and sound cues for the show as well as make costumes and props with instruction from the Technical Director.

### DESIGN

In this program students will create their own theater designs for the musical. They will develop a concept board and build a 1/4" scale model of their set. The class will culminate with students pitching their designs to a hypothetical theater company.

## Program Outcomes

1. Safely use a variety of vocal and physical exercises
2. Work effectively and efficiently with an ensemble
3. Work safely with a variety of hand and power tools
4. Set up, take down, and operate lighting and sound equipment

**Maximum class size**  
18 students

**Accommodation**  
Single en-suite room  
Meals are included (breakfast, lunch and dinner)  
Excursions are also included

**Requirements**  
Age: 14+

**Minimum English standard:**  
Equivalent to IELTS 4.5+/ Intermediate

**Start Dates:**  
Sunday 10th July 2022 (three weeks)

**Price:**  
\$4,851 (three weeks)

Week 1	MORNING 09:00-12:00			12:00-13:30	AFTERNOON 13:30-16:00	EVENING 19:30-22:00				
Sunday	Arrival, induction and campus tour					DINNER	Welcome Evenings			
Monday	BREAKFAST	Voice/Music	Movement/Dance	Acting	LUNCH		REHEARSAL	Team Building exercises		
Tuesday		Movement/Dance	Construction					Students vs Staff Sports		
Wednesday		Acting	Voice/Music	Movement/Dance				American Culture Trivia Night		
Thursday		Design	Construction					International Night		
Friday		Movement/Dance	Acting	Voice/Music				Disco Dance Party		
Saturday		Included Full Day Excursion: Canobie Lake Park						Chill Out Evening		
Week 2	MORNING 09:00-12:00			12:00-13:30	AFTERNOON 13:30-16:00	EVENING 19:30-22:00				
Sunday	Full day of trips and excursions e.g. local activity centers, shopping and local points of interest					DINNER	American Culture Evening			
Monday	BREAKFAST	Design	Construction		LUNCH		REHEARSAL	Ice Breaker Activities		
Tuesday		Movement/Dance	Acting	Voice/Music				Team Building exercises		
Wednesday		Design	Construction					Fashion Show		
Thursday		Voice/Music	Movement/Dance	Acting				"Boston's Got Talent!" Talent & Karaoke Show		
Friday		Design	Construction					Disco Dance Party		
Saturday		Included Full Day Excursion: Newport, Rhode Island						Movie Night		
Week 3	MORNING 09:00-12:00			12:00-13:30	AFTERNOON 13:30-16:00	EVENING 19:30-22:00				
Sunday	Full day of trips and excursions e.g. local activity centers, shopping and local points of interest					DINNER	Paparazzi Contest			
Monday	BREAKFAST	Voice/Music	Movement/Dance	Acting	LUNCH		REHEARSAL	Casino Night		
Tuesday		Construction						Rehearsal		
Wednesday		Tech						Tech		
Thursday		Tech						Tech		
Friday		Tech						Dress Rehearsal		
Saturday		Included Full Day Excursion: Wrentham Outlet Shopping Malls						Final Performance		
Sunday		Departure						Goodbye Party		

This is a sample programme and all elements may be subject to change.