

HIGH SCHOOL



THEATER SCOPE AND SEQUENCE AY 24-25 THEATER SCOPE AND SEQUENCE A - Applied I - Introduced P - Practiced M - Mastered A - Applied					
STRAND	STANDARDS/SKILLS (New York State Standard Enduring Understsandings)	9тн	10 TH	11 TH	12 TH
CREATING	Anchor Standard 1 Generate and conceptualize artistic ideas and work. Enduring Understanding Creativity is a foundation of theatrical practice. Essential Question What happens when theater artists use their imaginations and/or learned theater skills while engaged in creative exploration?	TH:Cr1.1.8 a. Imagine and explore multiple perspectives and solutions to staging problems. b. Explore and collaborate to design solutions for a drama or theater work. c. Develop a scripted or improvised character by articulating their inner thoughts, objectives, and motivations.	TH:Cr1.1.HSI a. Apply basic research to construct ideas about the visual composition of a drama or theater work. b. Explore the effect of technology on design choices. c. Use script analysis to generate ideas about a character who is believable and authentic.	TH:Cr1.1.HSII a. Investigate historical and cultural conventions and their effect on the visual composition of a drama or theater work. b. Understand and apply technology to design solutions for a drama or theater work.	TH:Cr1.1.HSII a. Investigate historical and cultural conventions and their effect on the visual composition of a drama or theater work. b. Understand and apply technology to design solutions for a drama or theater work. c. Use personal experiences and knowledge to develop a character who is believable and authentic.
	Anchor Standard 2 Organize and develop artistic ideas and work. Enduring Understanding: Theater artists work to discover different ways of communicating meaning. Essential Question: What are the challenges to making artistic choices?	a. Articulate and apply critical analysis, background knowledge, and historical and cultural context to the development of original ideas. b. Share leadership and responsibilities to develop	a. Explore the history and culture in the development of a dramatic concept through critical analysis of original ideas. b. Investigate the impact of the actor, director, playwright, and designer on the overall production	a. Refine a dramatic concept to demonstrate a critical understanding of historical influences applied to a drama or theater work. b. Cooperate as a creative team to make interpretive choices.	a. Refine a dramatic concept to demonstrate a critical understanding of historical influences applied to a drama or theater work. b. Cooperate as a creative team to make interpretive choices.

	Anchor Standard 3 Refine and complete artistic work. Enduring Understanding: Theater artists refine their work and practice their craft through rehearsal and active participation. Essential Question: How do theater artists transform and edit their initial ideas?	collaborative goals when devising a drama or theater work. TH:Cr3.1.8 a. Use repetition and analysis to revise a devised or scripted drama or theater work. b. Refine physical, vocal, and psychological traits of characters. c. Implement and refine a planned technical design using simple technology during the rehearsal process.	and explain how their choices affect meaning. TH:Cr3.1.HSI a. Use theatrical conventions to refine a devised or scripted drama or theater work. b. Use physical and vocal choices to shape character and performance that is believable, authentic, and relevant.	TH:Cr3.1.HSII a. Analyze the dramatic concept and technical design elements of a devised or scripted drama or theater work. b. Use research and script analysis to enhance the believability and relevance of a drama or theater work.	TH:Cr3.1.HSII a. Analyze the dramatic concept and technical design elements of a devised or scripted drama or theater work. b. Use research and script analysis to enhance the believability and relevance of a drama or theater work. c. Revise technical design choices to enhance the overall story in a devised or scripted drama or theater work.
PERFORMING/PRESENT ING/ PRODUCING	Anchor Standard 4 Select, analyze, and interpret artistic work for presentation. Enduring Understanding 4.1 The essence of theater is storytelling. Essential Question Why are strong choices essential to producing a drama or theater work?	a. Explore different pacing to better communicate a story. b. Use various character objectives and tactics to overcome an obstacle.	a. Examine how character relationships affect telling a story. b. Shape character choices by using given circumstances in a drama or theater work.	a. Discover how unique choices shape believable and sustainable theatrical experiences. b. Use theatrical research to determine choices that influence character.	a. Discover how unique choices shape believable and sustainable theatrical experiences. b. Use theatrical research to determine choices that influence character.

	Anchor Standard 5 Develop and refine artistic techniques and work for presentation. Enduring Understanding Theater artists develop personal processes and skills for a performance or design. Essential Question What can I do to fully prepare a performance or technical design? Anchor Standard 6 Convey meaning through the presentation of artistic work. Enduring Understanding 6.1	a. Practice a variety of acting techniques to increase skills in a rehearsal. b. Use a variety of technical elements to create a design for a theatrical performance. TH:Pr6.1.8 a. Perform a rehearsed drama or theater work for an audience.	a. Apply various acting techniques to expand skills in a rehearsal. b. Use research to enhance a technical design. TH:Pr6.1.HSI a. Perform a scripted drama or theater work for a specific audience.	a. Refine a range of acting skills to build a believable and sustainable performance. b. Apply research of technical elements to create a design that communicates a theatrical concept. TH:Pr6.1.HSII a. Present a drama or theater work using theatre processes that	a. Refine a range of acting skills to build a believable and sustainable performance. b. Apply research of technical elements to create a design that communicates a theatrical concept. TH:Pr6.1.HSII a. Present a drama or theater work using theatre processes that
	Theater artists share and present stories, ideas, and envisioned worlds to explore the human experience. Essential Question What happens when theater artists and audiences share a creative experience?			shape the production for a specific audience.	shape the production for a specific audience.
RESPONDING	Anchor Standard 7 Perceive and analyze artistic work. Enduring Understanding 7.1 Understanding of theatrical experiences is deepened through reflection. Essential Question How does theater stimulate artists and audiences?	TH:Re7.1.8 a. Apply criteria to the evaluation of artistic choices.	TH:Re7.1.HSI a. Respond to what is seen, felt, and heard in a drama or theater work to develop criteria for artistic choices.	TH:Re7.1.HSII a. Explain how multiple interpretations of a drama or theater work can influence future artistic choices.	TH:Re7.1.HSII a. Explain how multiple interpretations of a drama or theater work can influence future artistic choices.
R	Anchor Standard 8 Interpret meaning in artistic work. Enduring Understanding 8.1	TH:Re8.1.8 a. Recognize and share artistic choices when participating in or	TH:Re8.1.HSI a. Analyze the influence of personal experiences in theatrical work	TH:Re8.1.HSII a. Provide evidence to support an interpretation of artistic choices.	TH:Re8.1.HSII a. Provide evidence to support an interpretation of artistic choices.

	Theater artists' interpretations of drama or theater work are influenced by personal experiences and aesthetics. Essential Question How can the same work of art communicate different messages to different people?	observing a drama or theater work. b. Apply personal aesthetics to a theatrical work.	b. Justify personal theatrical interpretation.	b. Debate and distinguish multiple interpretations of artistic choices.	b. Debate and distinguish multiple interpretations of artistic choices.
	Anchor Standard 9 Apply criteria to evaluate artistic work. Enduring Understanding 9.1 Theater artists apply criteria to investigate, explore, and assess drama and theater work. Essential Question How are theater artist processes and the audience perspectives affected by analysis and synthesis?	a. Respond to a drama or theater work by using supporting evidence, personal aesthetics, and artistic criteria. b. Articulate the aesthetics of technical elements in drama or theater work. c. Assess the effect of a drama or theater work on a specific audience.	a. Examine a drama or theater work by using supporting evidence and criteria based on artistic intent, forms, history, culture, and other disciplines. b. Critique the aesthetic choices and technical elements in drama or theater work. c. Consider drama or theater work to deepen understanding.	a. Analyze and assess a drama or theater work by connecting it to art forms, history, culture, and other disciplines, using supporting evidence and criteria. b. Draw on personal aesthetics and technical elements to construct meaning in drama or theater work.	a. Analyze and assess a drama or theater work by connecting it to art forms, history, culture, and other disciplines, using supporting evidence and criteria. b. Draw on personal aesthetics and technical elements to construct meaning in drama or theater work. c. Assess how a drama or theater work communicates its purpose to a specific audience.
CONNECTING	Anchor Standard 10 Relate and synthesize knowledge and personal experiences to inspire and inform artistic work. Enduring Understanding 10.1 Theater artists allow awareness of relationships between self and others to influence and inform their work. Essential Question What happens when theater artists foster understanding between self and others through critical awareness, social	TH:Cn10.1.8 a. Examine a community issue through a theatrical experience.	a. Investigate how cultural perspectives, community ideas, and personal beliefs affect a drama or theater work.	TH:Cn10.1.HSII a. Choose and interpret a drama or theater work to reflect or question personal beliefs.	TH:Cn10.1.HSII a. Choose and interpret a drama or theater work to reflect or question personal beliefs.

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Anchor Standard 11 Investigate ways that artistic work is influenced by societal, cultural, and historical context and, in turn, how artistic ideas shape cultures past, present, and future. Enduring Understanding 11.1 Theater artists deliberately interrelate their creative process with the world around them. Essential Question What happens when theater artists allow an understanding of themselves and the world to inform perceptions about theater and the purpose of their work?	a. Use different forms of drama or theater work to examine contemporary social, cultural, or global issues.	TH:Cn11.1.HSI a. Explore how cultural, global, and historical belief systems affect creative choices in a drama or theater work.	a. Integrate conventions and knowledge from different cultures, histories, and disciplines to develop a cross-cultural drama or theater work.	a. Integrate conventions and knowledge from different cultures, histories, and disciplines to develop a cross-cultural drama or theater work.