



Conservatory of the Arts

MUSICAL THEATRE HONORS III

Educators: Mrs. Sarah Bayer and Mr. David Snyder

1 Chronicles 4:10 New Living Translation (NLT)

¹⁰ Now Jabez called on the God of Israel, "Oh, that you would bless me and expand my territory! Please be with me in all

that I do, and keep me from all trouble and pain!" And God granted him his request.

Colossians 3:23-24 New Century Version (NCV)

²³ In all the work you are doing, work the best you can. Work as if you were doing it for the Lord, not for people. ²⁴ Remember that you will receive your reward from the Lord, which he promised to his people. You are serving the Lord Christ.

1 Thessalonians 5:11 New Century Version (NCV)

¹¹ So encourage each other and give each other strength, just as you are doing now.

This honors level class is designed to give students the opportunity to study, and perform works representative of a broad spectrum of choral literature for mixed, male and female choirs. Students are expected to contribute to rehearsals and performances with positive attitudes and accurate execution of their parts. A dedicated team effort is expected and will allow for professional quality in all of our performances.

~Must come to class prepared to PURSUE EXCELLENCE!

~Students must be ON TIME and PREPARED for every class. This is an extremely pivotal lesson that will be necessary in this class and beyond.

~If a student misses class, they will be expected to get the work from a fellow classmate.

GRADES & ASSIGNMENTS:

Shows – Each week we will be discussing a different musical followed by a quiz later in the week. Students will be required to take notes during our discussion of the show and watch and/or listen to any assigned songs.

Performances – Throughout the semester, students will be assigned various pieces of music that will be workshopped for performance reviews. Each song must be memorized for performance. These performance requirements are put in place to help students gain technique and experience in story telling through song. All performances will count as a test grade.

Projects – Throughout the semester, students will be assigned various projects that will correspond with the material being covered at that time. These projects (essays, presentation, models, etc.) will count as a test grade.

Mandatory Theatre Viewing – It is required that each student sees a theatre production. After seeing the production, students will write a two-page observation about aspects of the show that correspond with material we have covered. They will turn in the paper along with their ticket stub, and the paper will count as a test grade.

TEXTS:

We will be using the text Broadway: The American Musical in this class. Students are not required to buy the textbook. We will provide handouts that will be needed throughout the course.

SHEET MUSIC:

We will be providing numerous pieces of sheet music for you to build your repertoire. Please keep all music organized for your use throughout the semester.

REQUIRED MATERIALS:

Three ring binder
Folder with pockets

CONSERVATORY FEE: \$75 per semester – Billed through tuition

The Conservatory fee was established in order to help with numerous department expenses incurred on an annual basis. This fee includes your:

- ~2018-2019 Conservatory TShirt
- ~Music and literature for this class

This fee will be automatically added to your tuition account. If you have any questions regarding this fee, please contact the Conservatory of the Arts Administrative Assistant, Melissa Miller at ext. 347 or mmiller@tka.net

Conservatory Calendar

To stay up to date with the Conservatory events, please use our update calendar program.

Go to TKAFineArts.net and click on Calendar. This will take you to our new program. Here you have the option to see all Conservatory and Theatre events, or select just the events your student is involved in. We are asking that all parents and students create a login and select the events you want to receive notification on. This means, if any changes or updates are made to this event, you will immediately be notified.

“When Excellence becomes tradition, greatness has no limits.”

- Walt Disney