Scene Work Young Actors: Digital Online Class Summer 2020

Description	In this all day class, we'll spend the mornings learning the basics of acting,
	auditioning and working with scripts. In the afternoon, acting students will be
	directed in short scenes from the upcoming and past Rose seasons directed by
	teens in the Young Directors camp. These scenes will be performed on the last day
	of the camp. This class is great for beginners as well as experienced actors looking
	to improve their acting technique.
Ages	8-12 years old
Dates	7/27-7/31
# of Participants	9 Students
Duration	9-12
Preparation	Audition Sides, Scene Selections, Character Sheets, Scenic Design Sheets, Prepare
	Scenes – Props List, Character Lists, Online Blocking Notes
Teaching Artists	Lead Teacher: Maddie Grissom
	College Intern: Elyssia, Seth, Raul

Lesson Plan

Date	Activities
Important Things	
Monday July 13th	Welcome (20 minutes)
9:00-12:00	Question of the Day: What are you Excited about?
1:00-4:00	Who are we?
*Welcome, Acting 101,	WWWHT?! (and this week)
Ensemble Building*	What is Zoom?!?
	Who are you? (15 minutes)
	Fruit Basket – Go Find (5 minutes to find something that starts with the first
	letter of your name, do a movement with that object)
	Would You Rather
	What is Ensemble?!? (25 minutes)
	Brainstorm What is Ensemble
	Ensemble Games –
	• Wah
	Grandma's Surprise Party
	Ensemble Agreement
	Take a Break (10 minutes)

What is Acting?!? (30 minutes) **Brainstorm Acting Tools** Body – Be Broccoli Voice – Mah Imagination – This is not a... What are Characters? (20 minutes) **Brainstorm Characters** Change my Walk Wizard of Oz Park Bench Take a Break (10 minutes) Make a Scene! (30 minutes) Maddie Brainstorm characters Enter Pose Exit (5 minutes to plan) Share! More Ensemble! (20 minutes) Ships and Sailors Yes your Majesty Closing Ritual (10 minutes) - Yay You's **Tuesday July 14th** Welcome! (10 minutes) Question of the Day: What is your acting experience? Seth 9:00-12:00 1:00-4:00 WWWHT? Maddie *Auditions, Stage Directions Acting Tools Warm Ups (20 minutes) Raul Choice and More!* Body- Storytime Stretch Voice- Toy Story/Character Showcase **Note: Send out Audition** Imagination- This is Not A... Sides, also have available in What are Stage Directions?! (30 minutes) Elyssia the chat to download. What are they in person? (US, DS, SL, SR) What are they ONLINE?!? **Note: Have to cast following** Ships and Sailors each class. Lunch n' chat, Take a Break (10 minutes) and after the afternoon class. What are Auditions? (20 Minutes) Elyssia What are auditions? Why do we have them? **Bad Auditions** Auditions (30 minutes) Sides from Penguin Problems, Popularity Coach, Ark, and Alice in Wonderland

	Take a Break (10 minutes)
	Auditions Continued (20 minutes)
	Not only do we look at how you read for a character, but how you MIGHT
	play a character
	1000 ways to X the room (different characters) Seth
	Wizard of Oz – Nellie Sweet Nellie Maddie
	Enter Pose Exit (using online stage directions) Raul
	Celebrate we are Done with Auditions! (20 minutes)
	Grandma's Surprise Party
	Boom Chicka Boom
	Musical Screens Maddie
	Wah (Brook)
	Fun Games
	Closing Ritual (10 minutes) - Yay You's
	NEED TO MEET TO CAST SHOW!
	Email Families which scripts to print off
Wednesday July 15th	Welcome! (10 minutes)
9:00-12:00	Question of the Day: Who is your favorite movie character? Elyssia
1:00-4:00	WWWHT? Raul
*Get a script, character	Acting Tools Warm Ups (20 minutes) - Seth CHOICE - Character Based
development*	Body- Why I Wiggle
	Voice- In My Purse
Note: Need Scripts,	Imagination- Night at the Museum
Character Sheets	9:30 Get our Parts!!! (20 minutes)
	As Actors What do we do when we first get our scripts?
	1. Highlight
	2. Read to find out more about our characters
	3. Read to know the plot – what happens
	Take a Break (10 minutes)
	Break Out Rooms - Read Through (45 Minutes)
	1. Rehearsal One / Production Time 10:10-10:25
	2. Rehearsal Two / Production Time 10:25-10:40
	3. Rehearsal Three / Production Time 10:40-10:55
	4. 5 minutes extra for Maddie doing Breakout Rooms in between:)
	Take a Break (10 minutes)
	Building our Characters (30 minutes) Maddie
	What are Given Circumstances?

	What are we find from the arrive?
	What can we find from the script?
	1. What does it say?
	2. What can we infer?3. What can we make up?
	Hot Seat
	Now that you have found them, ask 3 questions IN CHARACTER
	Ensemble Games! (Last 15-20 Minutes)
	Park Bench
	Let's Make a Prop (this is not a scene!)
	Ships and Sailors
	Grandma's Surprise Party
	Why do we play these games? How do these make us better actors?
	Closing Ritual (10 minutes) Yay You's
Thursday July 16th	Welcome! (10 minutes) 9:10
9:00-12:00	Question of the Day: What is your character's pet peeve? Raul
1:00-4:00	WWWHT? Maddie
Rehearsal	Acting Tools Warm Ups (20 minutes) Elyssia 9:30
	Body- AAAE !! (Example, Normal, Super slow, Super Fast)
Note: Need Design Sheets,	Voice- Helium Balloon!! (Sighing *for the example*, Laughing, Crying,
List of prop ideas	Bored/Annoyed)
	Imagination- What's Are You Doing ?! (Eating Ice Cream, On a
	rollercoaster, Driving a car, Doing the dishes, A chef, A Monkey, A Teacher,
	A Frog, Brushing your teeth, Flipping a pancake, Drinking something,
	Painting)
	Rehearsal One (40 Minutes) 10:10 - IAWL, DLPDTB
	Take a Break (10 minutes) 10:20
	Rehearsal Two (40 minutes) 11:00 - Penguin
	Take a Break (10 minutes) 11:10
	Rehearsal Three (40 minutes) 11:50 - Ark
	Closing Ritual (10 minutes) - Yay You's, Dance it Out, Announcements
	about Tomorrow
Friday July 17th	Welcome! 9-9:10
9:00-12:00	Question of the Day: What is something you learned this week? Seth
1:00-4:00	WWWHT? Maddie
Rehearsal and Record	Warm Ups 9:10-9:40
	Actor Choice

9:40-9:50 Break

9:50-10:05 Rehearsal One - 15 minutes

10:06-10:21Rehearsal Two - 15 minutes

10:22-10:37 Rehearsal Three - 15 minutes

Get everything together 10 Minutes

- 1. Talk through Order
- 2. How do you want your name to be spelled in the program
- 3. Check you have your costume, Props, backdrops

BREAK - 10:45-11:00 (Get into 1st costume)

SHARING ORDER

- 1. It's a Wonderful Life
- 2. Penguin Problems Beak
- 3. Ark bear
- 4. Don't let Pigeon
- 5. Ark Meet Camera
- 6. Penguin charades

If Time, Ensemble Games - Party!

Yay You's

Thank you for coming to camp!

~Teaching Artists record introduction video after class~