

DaySpring Arts & Education

Performing Arts Department, 21-22

Orientation Letter, Policies & Calendar



Until further notice please refer to the Covid policies sheet, which may override some of these policies.

Welcome!

We consider it a privilege that you have chosen to join us in DaySpring's Performing Arts Department. The skills learned here will bolster your student's confidence, promote unity through building relationships, and foster the pursuit of excellence in all things, equipping them to use what they have learned here in all aspects of their future.

Class Orientation

If you have any questions about your students' class, please feel free to reach out to the Department Head or your students' teacher. Although we are not able to have a group orientation at this time, we would be happy to answer any questions over email or organize a zoom or in person meeting. Please don't hesitate to reach out!

Performances

Performing is such an important part of a student's training in the arts. As students progress through this department, their performance opportunities will increase and their commitment level must grow with it. Some performances have outside rehearsals, some have tech weeks and dress rehearsals. Since performing relies heavily on group involvement, dress rehearsal and tech week are mandatory. **Students who miss these mandatory rehearsals may not be permitted to participate in performances.**

All performing arts classes will participate in the *Fall Showcase* and a performance in the spring. Any additional performances will be outlined in the Welcome Letter for your child's class.

Production Help

Without our volunteers, we would not be able to produce the quality shows that DaySpring is known for. We need your help with painting, sewing, crafting, building, marketing, ushering and more. We ask that someone from each family volunteer their time for at least one time slot, either during a work day leading up to a show, or on the day of a performance. You will receive an email asking what area in which you would like to be involved. Thank you for giving your time, energy, and resources to make this school successful. We truly could not be the organization we are without the generosity of our families!

Policies

Be sure to read the attached General Policies, as they contain many details about your involvement at DaySpring. **Until further notice please refer to the Covid policies sheet.**

Contact Us

You are welcome to contact us if you have questions or concerns, we are excited to have your child in class! If your child has learning challenges or anything we should be aware of, please let us know. The more we are informed, the more we can help your child learn.

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Important Dates, 2021-2022 Season

Month	Date	Event
September	6 7 21,23	Labor Day – No Classes Performing Arts Classes Begins <i>Rosencrantz & Guildenstern are Dead (Play)</i> Auditions and Callbacks
November	Early 13 22-27	Spring Musicals Auditions <i>Fall Performing Arts Showcase</i> Fall Break – No Classes
December	20- Jan 2	Christmas Break – No Classes
January	3 21-23	Classes Resume <i>Rosencrantz & Guildenstern are Dead</i> Performances
March	19-21 21-26	<i>Matilda Jr. (Musical Theatre 2)</i> Performances Spring Break – No Classes
April	9-11 23 29- May 1	<i>101 Dalmatians Kids (Musical Theatre 1)</i> Performances <i>Intro to Musical Theatre Mini Musicals</i> <i>Urinetown (Musical Theatre 3)</i> Performances
May	21 28 30	<i>Actor's Spotlight - Drama Performance</i> Last Day of Performing Arts Classes Memorial Day - No Classes
June	1-5	<i>Finale Dress Rehearsal and Performances</i>