

My Teen Drama Camp

Join Mrs. Newman (and helper Mrs. Knight) for an exciting new drama experience tailored just to teens!

We will focus on the following skills:

- effective use of voice – diction, timing, projection
- effective use of body – gestures, use of space,
- character development & scene study
- use of technical vocabulary for stage performances
- constructive criticism of self and others (including watching clips of performances)

You will also have the opportunities to try:

- ad-lib and improvisation (think *Whose Line Is It Anyway?*)
- original monologue writing and performance
- using video equipment to evaluate and review presentation
- stage combat, falling, physical humor
- pantomime
- directing

What will the week be like?

Each day will be filled with laughter! Along with learning intensive workshops to concentrate on a specific acting skill, we will be playing acting games to warm up and hone our new talents. Discussing what it means to be a Christian actor will be vital to our learning experience. We will experiment with monologues, short scenes, and one-act plays. Depending on our strengths and group dynamics, one or several pieces will be chosen for you to perform on Friday evening. The idea is to challenge ourselves to weave believable stories without the aid of props, backgrounds, sound enhancement, and lighting equipment.

Whether you are a serious Shakespeare enthusiast or a goofball out for a laugh... this camp is for you!

Enrollment is open for students entering grades 7-12 for July 13-17 from 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm. This camp is only \$60 per student for the whole week!

2009 "My Teen Drama" Camp, July 13-17, \$60

Student's Name: _____ Next year's grade in school: _____

Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Birthday: ____/____/____ Gender: _____

Address: _____

Parent or Guardian Email Address: _____

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____

*Return this form with payment by check payable to Elizabeth Newman, to:

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