**Theatre Arts Syllabus Cartersville Middle School School Year 2022-23**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Class Period:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Seat# \_\_\_\_\_\_

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

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| **Course Name** | *Theatre Arts* | **Teacher Name** | *Ms. Kaitlyn Thornton* |
| **School Name** | *Cartersville Middle School* | **Teacher Email** | *kthornton@cartersvilleschools.org* |
| **School Phone Number** | *770-382-3666* | **School Website** | *https://www.cartersvilleschools.org/CMS* |

**GEORGIA STANDARDS OF EXCELLENCE: Theatre Arts​**

* Organize, design, and refine theatrical work
* Develop scripts through theatrical techniques.
* Act by communicating and sustaining roles in formal and informal environments.
* Execute artistic and technical elements of theatre.
* Engage actively and appropriately as an audience member.
* Explore how theatre connects to life experience, careers, and other content.
* Examine the role of theatre in a societal, cultural, and historical context.

**Instructional Resources:**

**Microsoft Office (Word and PowerPoint)**

**The Stage and the School Textbook**

**Introduction to Theatre Workbook**

**Students will read from a variety of plays, short stories, myths, and fairytales.**

**Grading:**

All assignments are expected on the due date. There will be a 30% penalty for any assignment not turned in on time.

Utilize Power School to view your student’s progress. If you need the log-in information, please check with the front office.

**Grades will be weighted as follows:**

 ***60% Summative***

 (Including, but not limited to; test, projects, and exams.)

 ***40% Formative***

 (Including, but not limited to; quizzes, classwork, CS journal checks, and timed typing exercises)

 ***Student assignments will be weighted based upon the complexity and depth of the assignment.***

**Classroom Expectations**

1. Be on time and prepared for class every day.
2. Listen carefully to instructions.
3. Turn in work on time.
4. Follow all Student Handbook Rules.
5. Clean area and be seared prior to leaving class.
6. Follow all safety rules.
7. Do not eat food in the classroom!
8. Come to class with a willingness to learn.

**Actions Taken for Problem Behavior or Failure to Follow Procedures**

* When a student does not follow procedures or demonstrates problem behavior a discipline infraction will be issued. Consequences for infractions will be as follows:

Infraction 1: Parent Contact

Infraction 2: Silent Lunch/Parent Contact

Infraction 3: Team Forum/In-Team Suspension/Parent Contact

Infraction 4: Pre-Referral

Infraction 5: Office Referral

* Any additional infractions will result in an office referral.
* Severe behavior problems as outlined in the Cartersville Middle School Handbook will be referred directly to the office.

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**PLEASE SIGN BELOW AND RETURN**

* I have read the syllabus.
* Print Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Grade:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Class Period: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Additional information to support continued contact:

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| Information | Parent/Guardian |
| Print Parent Name |  |
| Cellular/Home Phone No. | Cell: | Home: |
| Email Address |  |