# York Region District School Board Bur Oak Secondary School

Drama Department
Grade 11 Dramatic Arts- Production
ADD3M1

Course Outline

Prerequisite: ADA3M or ADD3M 1 Full Credit

### **Course Description**

The Drama Production course is designed to give students an opportunity to learn all areas of theatrical production: creative, technical, and administrative. Students will engage in producing a stage production of their own choice and take on the various positions that the workshops were based on to be performed for the National Theatre School DramaFest. **This course may require some rehearsal outside of class time.** 

## **Units of Study**

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<b>Unit 1</b> : Playwriting: Students will learn how to write a script for the stage	Play Script
<b>Unit 2</b> : Production Workshops: Students will be introduced to a series of technical workshops in Drama Production as well as Directing.	Stage Combat Scene Stage Makeup Costume Creation Tech Design Set Design
<b>Unit 3</b> : Theatre Production: Students will engage in a production of their own choice and take on the various positions that the workshops were based on.	Production Crew Role

**Culminating Final Performance**: DramaFest: Students will refine their production from Unit 3 for performance in the National Theatre School DramaFest.

### **School Board and Ministry Policies**

The Drama department is committed to providing programming which supports students of all backgrounds. The department actively promotes classroom environments in which deep learning occurs, and in which the mental health and well-being of students is a priority.

Teachers will pay consistent attention to equity, inclusivity, and mental health, while overall well-being will be at the forefront of modern learning. Source: *Ontario Schools, K-12 Policy and Program Requirements, 2016* (p. 57-58)

### **Submission of Work Policy**

All performances will be performed on the assigned date regardless of group absences. If you are legitimately absent for a performance, you will be expected to perform the next class. If you miss a written assessment, you will be expected to make up that assessment on your own time within 3 days. Due dates for assignments are not suggestions. Late submissions will be deducted 3% per day passed the deadline. Please see the Bur Oak Secondary School A&E Policy.

#### **Assessment and Evaluation**

Assessment and Evaluation is based on the provincial curriculum expectations and achievement levels. Its primary purpose is to improve student learning by allowing the teacher to provide descriptive feedback to students and suggested strategies for improvement. A variety of assessment and evaluation tools will be used during this course including checklists, student-teacher conferencing, written feedback, rubrics, etc.

Course Work- 70%

Knowledge- 20% Communication- 20%

Thinking/Inquiry- 15% Application- 15%

**Culminating Activity and Performance Exam-30%** 

Written Work- 5% Rehearsal/Production Process- 10%

Performance- 15%

Learning skills will be assessed in terms of attendance, punctuality, preparedness, class discussion, and participation. This data will be collected and used to assess students' teamwork skills, organizational skills, work habits, initiative, and ability to work independently.



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