

August 21, 2019



Dear Parents,

Welcome to Drama Class with Mrs. Maurizi. I am very excited to start the year with your students.

Drama is the study of theatre, acting, improvisation, and spectacle. Students will learn acting techniques, creating a character, script reading/writing, jobs of the theatre and so much more. Drama is a collaboration and a participation class.

Each grade level will focus on different aspects of drama, but all students will learn best through participation. Make sure your students wear comfortable clothing and shoes for moving.

Grades are given in drama based on the concepts we are studying. I base my grades on growth and class activities. Behavior grades are also given for all fine arts.

Drama Room Expectations:

Be Respectful Be kind Listening with your whole body Eyes on the speaker Raise your hand to speak	Be Responsible Follow directions the first time Keep hands and feet to yourself Move safely Sit still: criss cross with hands in lap Use things respectfully and honestly Leave tape on the floor	Be Ready Come in calmly and quietly Sit in your own space Try everything and do your best
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If you ever have questions, you can reach me at cmaurizi@usd116.org, or through my website at <http://maurizifinearts.weebly.com>

I wear many hats. I am the general music teacher for all of King School, and I teach drama and dance to 1, 3, and 5 this year.

Ask your student about the tools of an actor and to pantomime an activity.

I look forward to working with you and your students this year!

Cara Maurizi