



Fall 2017 at HMT
Acting Studies for Children & Teens
Ages 7 through 16
 Instructor: Marc Christopher

Discovering Theater - ages 7 & 8

Building on the actor's "tools," this class goes a step further in encouraging students to think on their feet while developing characters from their own imaginations. Using simple improvisational games, pantomime, and exercises that promote listening and concentration skills, a foundation will be formed "setting the stage" for future work with scripted material.

Elements of Acting - ages 9 - 11

ELEMENTS OF ACTING will encourage students to begin the process of developing an acting "technique." Using improvised scene work, students will explore who, what and where, along with other elements essential in building characters. Students will use their own past experiences to "act truthfully in the imaginary world of the play."

Acting for Teens - ages 12 - 16

Exploring various methods of acting, students will begin to make choices about what works best for them in the development of an acting technique and approach to character development. Concepts such as actions, emotional and sense memory and substitutions along with others will be introduced to further students' insights into technique. Students will use both improvised scenes and monologues to practice and reinforce their skills.

FALL 2017 ★ Class Schedule

Name of Class	Dates	Time	Fee
Discovering Theater <i>Ages 7 - 8</i>	Saturdays: Sept. 23 Sept. 30 Oct. 7 Oct. 14 Oct. 21	9:30 – 10:30 A.M.	\$70
Elements of Acting <i>Ages 9 - 11</i>		10:45 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.	\$75
Acting for Teens <i>Ages 12 - 16</i>		12:15 – 1:45 P.M.	\$80

ABOUT OUR INSTRUCTOR



Marc Christopher is very excited for another session of Youth Acting classes at HMT. He has been a featured performer in many local productions throughout the Capital Region. Acting credits include *Singin' in the Rain* (Production Tenor) and the Regional Premiere of *Hands on a Hardbody* (Frank Nugent) at Park Playhouse, and *Urinetown the Musical* (Hot Blades Harry/Old Man Strong) with CR Productions. He was also featured in many HMT productions including the titular role in *Shrek The Musical*, *The Addams Family* (Uncle Fester), *Hair* (Margaret Meade), *9 to 5: The Musical* (Joe), and *Into the Woods* (The Baker). Directorial credits include *Urinetown* at SLOC, *Once Upon a Mattress*, *Little Shop of Horrors*, and *The Wizard of Oz*. He studied theatre at FMCC and has taken private lessons for voice and acting. For more information, please visit his website: marcchristopher.net



- ★ Class size limited to 12 students per class
- ★ Registrations are accepted in the order in which they are received.
- ★ Cancellation Fee: \$10 per course up to one week prior to the start of class. After that point, no refunds will be issued.
- ★ All classes will be held at the Spa Little Theater

*Registrations by mail
should be sent to:*

Home Made Theater
P.O. Box 1182
Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

*To register over the phone with MC/VISA/DIS
or for further info call HMT at 518-587-4427*

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Registration Form - Fall 2017

Child's Name: _____ Age: _____ DOB: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Ph: _____ Work/Cell: _____

Parent's e-mail _____

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- Enclosed is a check payable to HMT
 Please charge my: MC ___ Visa ___ DIS ___

Card # _____ Exp Date _____

Signature: _____