



Make your performance the best it can be!!

Be Prepared:

- * Practice! Practice! Practice!
- * Practice with your **props** and in your **costume and shoes**.
- * Bring your **props, costume and shoes** to the Preview and Dress Rehearsal.

Look Your Best:

- * Style your **hair** so it does not hang in your face.
- * Limit your **jewelry** - avoid anything that will reflect the light.

Performance:

- * Keep your **eyes/chin UP** - keep your focus up to the balcony when you are on the stage.
- * If you're holding a **MICROPHONE** - hold it **close to your mouth** and keep a **firm grip**. Remember to manage the cord (don't get yourself tangled!).
- * For musicians using **SHEET MUSIC** - Secure it in a sturdy solid-colored folder or binder. Tape the pages back-to-back if need be.
- * **Remember to BOW** at the end of your performance
- * **Never apologize** for a mistake - the audience will never know you made one, unless you tell them!

Technical Stuff:

- * You will be given specific instructions on where to **enter and exit the stage, and where to perform** (Stage Left, Center Stage, Stage Right). When you are on stage and facing the audience, your right = Stage Right & your left = Stage Left. Remember this for the show!
- * Pay attention to **stage markings** (tape on the stage floor) to ensure you will be well lit.
- * Remember the **lights** are bright and hot - and keep you from seeing the audience. But, this is how the audience sees you!

Most importantly, **HAVE FUN!!**