

THEATRE SCHOOL - YOUTH

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Playhouse on the Square will take every precaution to guarantee the student's safety during the Theatre School Program. Please let it be understood that neither Playhouse on the Square, nor any of its employees can be held responsible for any accidents resulting in injury due to negligence on the part of the student. We reserve the right to remove any student for inappropriate behavior, tobacco, alcohol, drugs, or weapons. Any pictures or recordings made may be used in promoting the programs at Playhouse on the Square.

I have read and understood the above statement.

Signature _____ Date _____

All Class fees are \$120 for one class for one child, \$25 dollars off each additional class or child. All classes begin March 5, 2011.

Subscribers take an additional \$10 off each class! Subscriber# _____

Payment plans are available.

All classes are held at the Varnell Education Building at 1711 Poplar Ave, next to The Evergreen Theatre.

Sign up for:	Time	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> Creative Dramatics, Ages 5 & 6	9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Creative Dramatics, Ages 7 & 8	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Creative Dramatics, Ages 9 - 11	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Dance: Tap, Ages 9 - 11	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Theatrical Dance: Jazz, Ages 5 - 8	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Musical Theatre, A Vocal Intro, Ages 8 - 11	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Musical Theatre, A Vocal Intro, Ages 12 - 17	12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	\$120.00

SubTotal: _____

Less Subscriber Discount: _____

Less Additional Class Discount: _____

Total: _____

Method of Payment

- Check - Payable to Playhouse on the Square
- Money Order
- Cash
- Credit Card

Send this registration form to:
Theatre School
Playhouse on the Square
66 S. Cooper
Memphis, TN 38104

Credit Card # _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

Enclosed is a \$50 deposit to reserve my selected class(es). I understand the remainder of the tuition is due no later than March 5th.

Total Enclosed: _____

Balance Due: _____

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Theatre School, Youth Classes - Spring 2011

Theatre School Spring 2011 Youth Classes



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Spring 2011 Classes

All classes are held at the Jeanne and Henry
Varnell Education Building, located at:

1711 Poplar Ave.
Memphis, TN 38104

Musical Theatre, A Vocal Intro

March 5 – April 23

Showcase: April 30 at 10:00 AM

Ages 8 – 11: Saturdays, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Ages 12 – 17: Saturdays, 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

Singing for musical theatre is not just hitting the notes but selling the song! Students in this class will explore musical theatre songs, learn their singing range, and prepare a musical theatre piece for the showcase.

Creative Dramatics

March 5 – April 23

Showcase: April 30 at 10:00 AM

Ages 5 & 6: Saturdays, 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM
Ages 7 & 8: Saturdays, 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Ages 9 – 11: Saturdays, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Students will learn acting skills, character development, directing, projection, and other basic skills necessary in the creation of a play. Students will also learn teamwork, public speaking, creativity, self-confidence, and more while rehearsing their showcase production.

Theatrical Dance: Jazz and Tap

March 5 – April 23

Showcase: April 30 at 10:00 AM

TAP (Ages 9 – 11): Saturdays, 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
JAZZ (Ages 5 – 8): Saturdays, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Jazz students will learn basic jazz dance technique ranging from studio-based jazz dance to jazz for musical theatre, including the proper way to prepare and condition the body for jazz dance. Tap students will learn the fundamentals of tap dance, and how to transition smoothly from a jazz-based movement into setting a soundscape through their choreography. All students will also learn a brief history about jazz, and the pioneers who began it. Students will get the chance to learn a dance from a famous Broadway show and perform part of it in the showcase. For tap shoes, please visit www.discountdance.com

Instructors

Mirela Ungureanu - Biser

Musical Theatre, A Vocal Intro

Mirela Ungureanu-Biser began singing at the age of five when she became a child soloist at the Saint Trinity Orthodox Church in Brasov, Romania. She received a BA in Voice Performance from West Virginia Wesleyan College and an MM in Opera and Music Theater from Southern Illinois University of Carbondale. After graduate school, Mrs. Ungureanu-Biser became a college professor teaching voice, music appreciation, and music history at John A. Logan College, Southeastern Illinois College, and Southern Illinois University. Many of her students have been a part of their local community theater musicals, and have been awarded full scholarships at several universities including University of Memphis, Millikin University, and the Chicago College of Performing Arts. Since moving to the Memphis area, Mrs. Ungureanu-Biser has been working with Opera Memphis, for which she has performed in *La Traviata*, *Carmen*, *Turandot*, and many other operas. She looks forward to singing in the area more frequently, and especially teaching at Playhouse on the Square!

Laura Stracko

Creative Dramatics

Laura is currently a Resident Company Member of Playhouse on the Square. She has performed in such shows as *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee* (Logan), *Narnia* (Mrs. Beaver), *Jacques Brel is Alive and Well and Living in Paris*, *Hairspray* (Penny Pingleton), and *The Drowsy Chaperone* (Kitty). Originally from Pennsylvania, Laura moved here from Baltimore after working with Centerstage, the state theatre of Maryland. She is a proud alumna of Seton Hill University with a BA in Musical Theatre/Vocal Performance. She is the winner of two Ostrander Awards in the 2010 season, including the highly coveted Larry Riley Rising Star Award.

Stephen Andrew Parker

Theatrical Dance: Jazz and Tap

Stephen Andrew Parker is excited to begin a new dance season with Playhouse on the Square, and Theatre for Youth. He was seen in many roles last year as an Associate Company member of Playhouse on the Square. Previous credits include: *Rent*, *The Producers*, *Buddy: The Buddy Holly Story*, two Memphis productions of *A Year with Frog and Toad*, *Oliver!* (of which he was also assistant choreographer), and he was nominated for an Ostrander for his portrayal of Luke in *Altar Boyz*. Originally from Chattanooga, Stephen Andrew is happy to call Memphis his home for a few years more.

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www.playhouseonthesquare.org/education

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