Torah High

DINNER THEATRE ELECTIVE

With Erica Kahn and Patricia Freund

Overview:

Students in this class will explore musical theatre through performance and rehearsal, as well as have the option to participate in the technical side. We will discuss introductory theatre terminology to be used throughout the rehearsal process, as well as develop a foundation in acting, singing, and dancing. Students will be encouraged to collaborate and share ideas throughout the process, as well as being open to trying new things. This class is a supportive, non-judgemental environment for any student to try any aspect of theatre they may be interested in, regardless of previous experience. Students will have the opportunity to perform at Torah High's annual Dinner Theater.

Major Goals of the Course:

- Demonstrate an understanding of basic theatre vocabulary
- Develop a foundation in acting, singing, and dance
- Apply knowledge of technical elements required to put on a show
- Collaborate effectively with peers
- Build self-confidence and performance skills
- Demonstrate an understanding of theatre and rehearsal etiquette
- Participate in Dinner Theatre as a performer or technician

Grading Rubric:

50% Participation

25% Class Attendance

25% Dinner Theatre Attendance

Grading Breakdown:

A 90-100

B 80-89

C 70-79

D 60-69

F 0-59