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# DRAM 111A.17: Acting for Non-Majors I

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## **Purpose of this class?**

- 1) To gain a deeper understanding of the craft of acting and its components.
- 2) To develop confidence and risk taking in presenting material in front of a group.
- 3) To attend a performance of a play.
- 4) To foster a different way of thinking about the arts.
- 5) To give you skills to use outside of the classroom.

## **What do I expect of you?**

I expect you to be an active participant in this class.

Active means:

- 1) You will complete all assignments on time and to the best of your ability.
- 2) You will participate to the best of your ability when there are in-class projects.
- 3) You will stay for the entire performances that you are required to see.
- 4) You will show up to class every time and on-time.

## **Absences**

You have signed up for this class. You have paid money for this class. I expect you to be here for this class. When you have a job in the real world, you are expected to be there every time. Sick days and vacations days are earned and are not a rule of thumb. I will give you (ONE) absence in this class. After that your grade will be lowered one letter grade for every absence.

## **Substance Policy**

If you show up to class obviously under the influence-you will be asked to leave and you will be charged an absence.

# Mandatory Performance Viewing

You are required to see three performances this semester. They are:

The Last Night of Ballyhoo  
Masquer Theatre  
Oct. 10-14 and 17-21  
7:30pm

The Heiress  
Montana Theatre  
November 14-18  
7:30pm

The Diary of Anne Frank  
Montana Theatre  
December 5-7, 9 and 12-16  
7:30pm  
2:00pm matinee on December 16<sup>th</sup>

Your student fee has allowed you to have a ticket at NO COST to you. Your job is this:

## GO GET THE TICKET!

How do you do that?

- 1) Go to the box office in the PAR/TV building between 11:30a and 5:30pm M-F. (The big brown building by the Fieldhouse)
- 2) Take your Griz card and tell the person that you are in **Chris Evans'** class and that you would like your ticket to the show that you'll see.
- 3) Get the ticket and go to the show.

### WARNING

- 1) See the whole show. There will be quizzes.
- 2) A friend cannot pick up your ticket. You have to do it in person
- 3) **Pick up your tickets early!** These shows sell out and you may not get your ticket if they do.