



Winter After-School Drama Classes

COVID-19 Health & Safety Protocols

General Guidelines

- In-person class sizes are limited.
- COVID-19 vaccination to attend Winter Classes is recommended but not required for all students, age 5 and up.
 - If your child has been fully vaccinated against COVID-19, please provide proof of vaccination. No information will be kept on file.
 - Students will be considered fully vaccinated against COVID-19 two weeks after the final dose of vaccine (the second dose for a two-dose regimen mRNA vaccine such as Moderna or Pfizer).
- Students and teachers will wear face masks that cover their mouth and nose at all times.
- Classes will be taught with strict social distancing measures of three feet.
- All class materials are thoroughly cleaned, and procedures utilize CDC-approved disinfecting solutions.
- One parent/guardian per student will be permitted to wait inside the building during classes and must show proof of vaccination or negative COVID-19 PCR or ABBOTT ID NOW test dated within the last 72 hours to enter the building. Masks are required, over nose and mouth, at all times while inside the building.

- Parent/guardian indoor waiting will be unavailable on the following dates:
 - Monday, January 24
 - Monday, February 7
 - Wednesday February 9
 - Wednesday February 23
- Students should not attend if they aren't feeling well or have been exposed to someone with COVID-19. Zoom links will be provided so students can still participate from home if necessary.
- If a child is absent from in-person class due to illness, they must present a negative COVID-19 PCR or ABBOTT ID NOW test prior being allowed entry the following week, or symptoms must have started 10 days prior to class entry and must have abated by the class date.

Home Health Assessments

Before leaving for your class, families should do a home health assessment, including a temperature check, and assess for any symptoms of illness.

- Am I exhibiting any symptoms? These include fever, shortness of breath, chills, headache, sore throat, fatigue or the loss of taste or smell.
- Have I been exposed to anyone who has tested positive in the last 14 days?
- Is my self check temperature above 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit?

If the answer is 'yes' to any of these questions, the student should stay home and join the class virtually. Please call **513-305-8708** to obtain the virtual login credentials.

Arrival Procedures

- Families will use the main drive to drop off students at the front door.

- Once their student has been invited into the building, parents/guardians can continue into the upper level of the parking garage where they can wait or exit out the lower level of the garage. Only one parent/guardian per student will be permitted inside the building during class time.
- Students will then be led into the lobby to socially distant spots to await entrance to the classroom.

During Class

- Students will participate in marked socially distanced spots.
- Students should bring a pre-filled water bottle for class.
- Mask will be worn, over nose and mouth, at all times. Gaiter style masks are not permitted.
- Playhouse recommends the following CDC guidelines in regard to selecting an appropriate mask:
 - Masks need to be secured with ear loops or headband to provide a secure fit.
 - Have two or more layers of washable, breathable fabric.
 - Completely cover your nose and mouth.
 - Fit snugly against the sides of your face and don't have gaps.
 - Have a nose wire to prevent air from leaking out of the top of the mask.
- Students are encouraged to bring an additional clean mask in a sealable bag to change during class if desired.
- Any student not following the mask protocol will be given one warning, after which their parent/guardian will be called to pick them up.
- For Musical Theater Classes: Students will be spaced at least 6 feet apart.

Pick Up Procedure

- At the end of class, a staff person will walk students out to the upper parking lot of the garage where parents/guardians can pick them up.
 - Teachers will not check out students in the lobby or at the front entrance doors. Check out will only occur in the upper parking lot.
- Anyone picking up a child must be listed in the approved pick-up list.
- Parents or guardians will have to show photo ID when picking up their child.

COVID – 19 Case Contingency

- If a student becomes sick during class, they will be isolated into a separate area to wait as the parents/guardians are called.
- If someone in a class has tested positive, we will notify parents/guardians and proceed with classes virtually for the next week.
- The Playhouse continues to follow the latest city and state health guidelines. If deemed necessary, classes could move to Zoom for the health and safety of the students and staff.

Shareformance Procedure

- All audience members, **both adult and youth ages 5 and up**, attending in-person Shareformances must show proof of vaccination or a negative COVID-19 PCR or ABBOTT ID NOW test dated within 72 hours of the Shareformance in order to enter the building. Youth under age 5 do not need to show proof of vaccination.
 - Patrons will be considered fully vaccinated against COVID-19 two weeks after the final dose of vaccine (the second dose for a two-dose regimen mRNA vaccine such as Moderna or Pfizer, or the single dose for single-dose regimen such as Johnson & Johnson). Patrons will be asked to show documentation of

vaccination status upon entry to the lobby. Matching photo ID is required for patrons over 18. No information will be kept on file.

- Students participating in the Shareformance **do not** have to show proof of vaccination or negative COVID-19 PCR test.
- Each student can have up to **TWO** invited guests attend in-person Shareformances.
- All audience members attending in-person Shareformances must wear a mask over their nose and mouth at all times.
- For those who cannot join us in person, the Shareformance will be available to watch live over Zoom.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Julia Gomez, Education Associate, at julia.gomez@cincyplay.com.