



Academy of Musical Theatre

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Attendance Policy

Faithful attendance and commitment is the most important quality a performer can possess. In order to create an excellent show, all cast members must be dedicated and trust that all other performers will be there and committed to the production. Missing a significant amount of rehearsals attacks that sense of trust and impacts the final product. A cast must rehearse together on a consistent basis to develop a uniform show. Finally, as the cast gets closer to opening the show, and is ready to polish the performance, having performers who have missed multiple practices and still need to learn the notes, blocking, and choreography creates difficulties and frustration for everyone involved. Therefore the following attendance policy has been established by The Biz, Academy of Musical Theatre:

- **All** conflicts must be listed on the audition form. We will give you the possible days rehearsals will take place as part of the audition information.
- A cast member will be allowed no more than 2 unexcused absences during the rehearsal period. An unexcused absence is one that you did not list on the audition form. (Sickness is an exception, as we do not want sick kids at rehearsal. Please consult the Producer when you have a sick child.)
- Conflicts will not be accepted during Tech Week unless cleared with the director and/or producer at the time of auditions.
- Conflicts will not be accepted for final dress rehearsal.
- Conflicts will not be accepted for performances. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

The production team and Biz owners reserve the right to change a cast member's part or dismiss them from the cast if the cast member is in violation of this attendance policy. No refunds will be given. Extenuating circumstances will be considered by the Director and Producer.

Cast Member Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date