

CASTING POLICY & FEES

- **CASTING DISCLAIMER:** Carolina Youth Theatre (CYT) desires to include as many students as possible in its productions, however each production has a **limited** cast and crew size. As interest in CYT continues to grow, the integrity of the program requires that we cast the strongest talent available. Participation in CYT classes or camps does NOT mean a student will be cast in a CYT main stage production. Likewise, prior participation in a CYT production does NOT guarantee a role in the cast or crew.
- CAST members are required to pay a **\$125** participation fee. This fee helps cover the cost of **costumes**, **music**, and a **show t-shirt**.
- CREW members are required to pay a **\$25** participation fee. This fee helps cover the cost of a **show t-shirt**.
- The participation fee is **nonrefundable**, however should circumstances related to COVID-19 prevent our summer programming, the fee will be refunded.
- If cost is a concern that would prevent a student from participating, please contact the director to discuss alternatives and scholarship opportunities.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

- **All absences** must be listed on the conflict calendar at the time of the audition. This ensures that the cast/crew selection process fairly considers each student's availability and commitment to the show.
- While sickness and other unavoidable conflicts do arise unexpectedly, attendance at each rehearsal is vital to ensure a successful production for all.
- Students will be removed from the cast/crew if he/she misses **3 rehearsals** not noted on the conflict sheet. This includes illness and other unexpected events.
- Students who are going to be late or miss a rehearsal should notify the director as soon as possible.

PHOTO & FILM POLICY

Carolina Youth Theatre reserves the right to photograph and film cast and crew members during the rehearsal and production process. These photos and films will be used to document the show and for publicity purposes. In addition, the final production will be streamed. There is no monetary compensation to members of the cast and crew or their parents/guardians for using these images.

LIABILITY WAIVER

I, for myself or as parent or guardian, hereby assume all the risks and hazards incidental to the conduct of the activities and transportation to and from Carolina Youth Theatre activities. I release, absolve, and indemnify Carolina Youth Theatre, Town of Clayton, Clayton Cultural Arts Foundation and its employees, volunteers, contractors and/or sponsors from all risks and hazards associated with the activities and in the event of loss or injury, do expressly waive all claims against them. I understand that no insurance coverage is provided by Carolina Youth Theatre, Town of Clayton, or the Clayton Cultural Arts Foundation.