



Elementary Drama

CLPS 2022-2023

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Elementary Drama at CLPS supports the mission and goals of our school.

We will focus on creating effective communicators who can:

1. Boldly stand before others
2. Express verbal and nonverbal ideas
3. Project and stand with poise
4. Clearly articulate words

We will work to create meaningful relationships by:

5. Working cooperatively with others
6. Listening and reacting to others
7. Develop empathy through literature

We will focus on problem solving through

8. Games and Performance

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Activities

1. Choral Reading— Bible verses and poetry from A Child's Garden of Children's Verses.
2. Reader's Theater— fairy tales from the sixth grade humanities list and Aesop's Fables, literature from history class
3. Improvisation activities to develop poise and composure in uncertain circumstances and still communicate effectively.
4. Games to improve memory and listening skills.
5. Warm-ups for vocal and physical health.

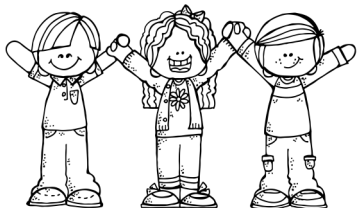
Grading: Students will be graded on their participation in the class, scheduled rehearsals, and final production, including a willingness to follow instructions and apply constructive criticism.

Formative 60%: Includes selecting performance materials, memorization of lines, preparing costumes, watching the performances of older students, bringing scripts and supplies, rehearsals and participation in individual and group performances.

Summative 40%: Recitation, Scenes and Exercises

PARENT'S ROLE:

Coach/Guide for Independent Study: Parents can listen to their child say lines and encourage them.



Schedule of Literature

First Semester –Fourth Grade

Week 1-4 Psalm 19 Choral Reading

Week 5-9 Robin Hood Reader's Theater

Week 10– 18 "Christmas Prayer"
Reader's Theater.

Second Semester –Fifth and Third Grade

Week 1-4 Psalm 150 Choral Reading

Week 5-9 Aesop's Fable Reader's Theater

Week 10– 18 Poetry Showcase

A Little About Mrs. Campbell

I have a degree in Theatre from Texas Wesleyan University. I am a member of Alpha Psi Omega and a National Thespian. I have been involved in theatre since elementary school. I have won awards for acting, lighting and costume design. I use the skills I developed in theatre every single day.

I have three adult sons. Cody and Luke are teachers and Samuel attends college at Midwestern State University. I have been married to my husband, Clay, for well over 30 years. We attend Hulen Street Church where I am a staff member in the children's ministry. My passion is helping parents raise strong disciples for Christ.

I know what it is like to be shy and scared to try new things. I also know the joy of stepping out on the stage and facing those fears. It can be a life changer! I hope you and your child will catch the acting bug this year. I am here to help you and your family.

