



The **Orbit Company** is an intense musical theatre training program for students age 13-Gap year with a passion for musical theatre performance and interest in training for a possible future career in the musical theatre industry. A serious approach to each medium (voice, acting, dance) is required as well as an interest in improving and refining overall musical theatre performance technique. Entrance is by audition only.

**Company** members will participate in a Fall showcase and a full Spring musical theatre production from the canon through a Broadway licensing company. During this time, they will receive the utmost possible training in each required musical theatre medium.

### **Orbit Company Projected Cost Breakdown/Requirements**

- **Standard Tuition-** \$350.00 Monthly. First Month's tuition due June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023. This deposit covers all classes and rehearsals for month 1 of 10.
- **Extended Learning Requirements-** Each Company member is required the following extended learning enrollments:
  - Each Orbit Company member is **REQUIRED** to take **1 Full Ballet elective and 1 Full Jazz elective**. You will be placed in your level for each elective course day. Multiple days/sections will be offered. Other electives are available including (Acting, On Camera, Book Building, etc).
  - Each Orbit Company member is **REQUIRED** to attend one week of an Orbit summer program of their choice during the summer 2024 camp season.
  - Each Orbit Company member is **REQUIRED** to attend one Masterclass/Broadway Session per semester, one in the Fall and one in the Spring of the 2023-2024 year.
- **Non-Profit Dues (Required)**  
**Orbit Theatrical, Inc (a 501c3 non-profit organization)** will produce performances involving Orbit Company students throughout the year. In order to have successful productions and to cover the cost of rights and rental, theatrical venue, scenic construction, costuming and technical staffing, Orbit requires the commitment of each involved student to raise funds or cover dues in the amount of \$500.00 per year (\$250.00 by 11/1; \$250.00 by 3/1). Multiple funding drives will be offered throughout the year, or each family may choose to cover non-profit dues directly. This support is vital to the continued ability of Orbit Theatrical to produce quality productions involving Orbit Arts Academy students.
- Company members have the option of purchasing Company uniform pieces- Sweatshirts, backpacks, etc.

### **Projected Schedule (Subject to Change)**

- Tuesdays from 6:30pm-9:00pm and Saturdays from 12:00pm-5:00pm  
August 12, 2023-May 23, 2024
  - Attendance policy: 2 absences per semester outside of illness or family emergency
- Fall Performance: November 8-9, 2023; **MANDATORY REHEARSALS:** Nov. 6 and 7
- Spring Performance: April 26-April 28 and May 3-May 5, 2024; **MANDATORY REHEARSALS:** April 20-25, 2024