Playhouse Theatre Academy

At Playhouse Theatre Academy, we are committed to keeping your child safe while participating in our classes at Playhouse on Park. To ensure we are creating a safe environment, we plan to follow the following procedures.

1. Drop off
   a. Your student will be checked by getting their temperature taken as well as receiving hand sanitizer.
   b. For a safe entrance and exit into the building, we kindly ask that you bring your child into the theater space itself and then exit through the emergency hallway. We hope to prevent a build up of traffic in the lobby and facilitate social distancing.
   c. If you would like to stay during the class you can either:
      i. Sit outside on the patio, socially distanced
      ii. Sit in the lobby in the socially distant waiting chairs with masks on

2. Pick up
   a. We kindly ask that during pick up, all parents should follow the six feet signage on the floor.
   b. After you sign out your child, we ask that you follow the same path through the theater that was utilized during drop off. Only one child will leave the stage at a time, and you will then be able to exit through the emergency exit hallway.
   c. There will also be hand sanitizer available for your child at the end of class.
3. Plan for Safe Distancing
   a. To ensure that all the students stay distanced, we utilize circles on the stage. Every child will have their own creative bubble that is socially distanced from the other students.
   b. Teachers are advised to keep a distance of at least six feet from each child and will help aid in keeping a safe distance between all students.
   c. Instructors must keep a distance of at least six feet from each child.

4. Health and Safety
   a. We ask that all students wear masks during class.
   b. Hand sanitizer will be available upon arrival and exit of the theater.
   c. If any items are touched in the theater i.e. a chair or an acting block, they will be disinfected at the end of class to be available for use in the future.

5. Contact Tracing
   In the event of a student, teaching assistant, parent, or other staff member contracting COVID-19, all parties who came in contact with the infected will be notified. If a child comes in with a fever over 100 degrees Fahrenheit, they will be kindly asked to take the class off in order to prevent any possible exposure. Any teaching artist or assistant feeling under the weather will be required to stay home.