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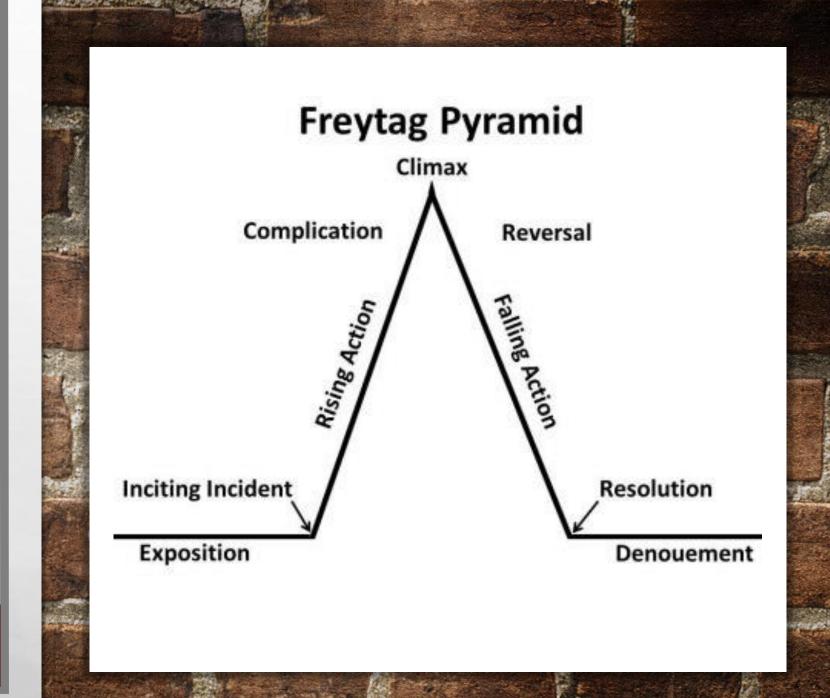
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INTRODUCTIONS

- NAME
- TROOP
- FAVORITE PLAY/MUSICAL YOU'VE READ OR WATCHED
- ANYTHING NEW YOU WANT TO LEARN ABOUT THEATER

FREYTAG'S PYRAMID



EXAMPLE OF

Freytag's Pyramid



HOMEWORK

- READ/WATCH 1 PLAY
- DEVELOP FREYTAG'S PYRAMID FOR YOUR PLAY

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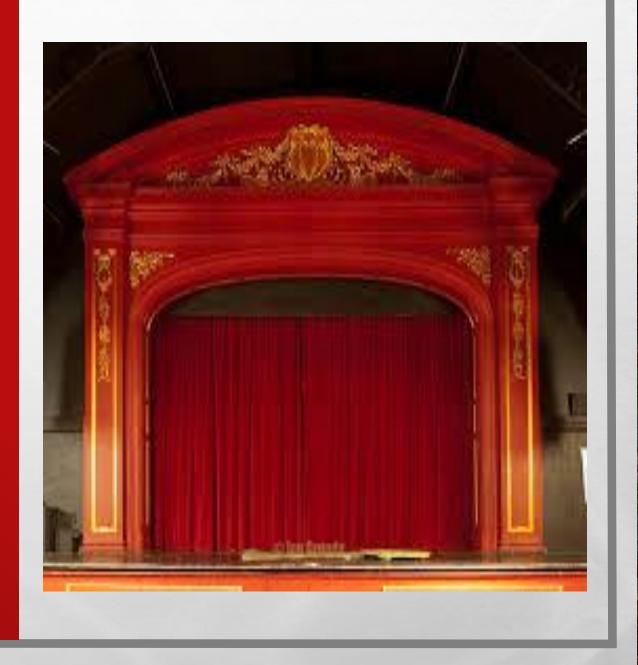
DAY 2



WRITING A SCRIPT

- TITLE PAGE
- CHARACTER LIST
- SETTING AND TIME
- ACT/SCENE LABELING
- DIALOGUE

PROSCENIUM ARCH





CENTRAL/ARENA STAGING

 FORM OF THEATRICAL STAGING IN WHICH THE ACTING AREA, WHICH MAY BE RAISED OR AT FLOOR LEVEL, IS COMPLETELY SURROUNDED BY THE AUDIENCE

CYCLORAMA

CYCLORAMA, IN THEATRE, BACKGROUND DEVICE EMPLOYED TO COVER THE BACK AND SOMETIMES THE SIDES OF THE STAGE AND USED WITH SPECIAL LIGHTING TO CREATE THE ILLUSION OF SKY, OPEN SPACE, OR GREAT DISTANCE AT THE REAR OF THE STAGE SETTING.







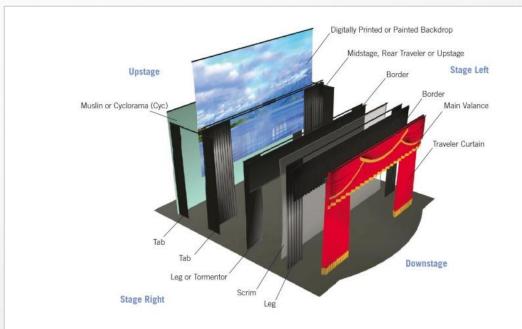


FLIES

A FLY SYSTEM, OR THEATRICAL RIGGING SYSTEM, IS A SYSTEM OF ROPE LINES, BLOCKS (PULLEYS), COUNTERWEIGHTS AND RELATED DEVICES WITHIN A THEATER THAT ENABLES A STAGE CREW TO FLY (HOIST) QUICKLY, QUIETLY AND SAFELY COMPONENTS SUCH AS CURTAINS, LIGHTS, SCENERY, STAGE EFFECTS AND, SOMETIMES, PEOPLE.

PORTAL

CONSISTS OF A HEADER (BORDER) AND TABS (LEGS) THAT CAN BE MOVED TO ADJUST THE SIZE AND SHAPE OF THE PROSCENIUM OPENING TO FIT VARIOUS PERFORMANCE NEEDS. IT IS USUALLY LOCATED JUST UP STAGE OF THE FRONT CURTAIN AND MAY HAVE PROVISION FOR MOUNTING LIGHTS.







SPOTLIGHT

 GENERALLY A FOLLOWSPOT WILL BE A DEDICATED, LARGE LIGHTING INSTRUMENT DESIGNED TO PAN AND CHANGE SIZE, BEAM WIDTH, AND COLOR EASILY BY HAND.

STAGE CREW

ALSO KNOWN AS RUN CREW, THEY ARE IN CHARGE OF MOVING SCENERY, SPECIAL EFFECTS SUCH AS TRAP DOORS OR HELPING ACTORS "FLY," KEEPING TRACK OF PROPS, COSTUMES AND EVEN OPERATING LIGHTING AND SOUND SYSTEMS.

STAGE MANAGERS

COSTUME QUICKCHANGE

NEWSIES LOAD-IN

DECK PLOT



NEWSIES LOAD-IN

- WHAT DID WE SEE?
- WHO WERE THE PEOPLE?
- WHAT DESIGN ELEMENTS DID WERE THERE?

PANTOMIME

ART OF CREATING THE ILLUSION OF REALITY BY DEALING WITH IMAGINARY OBJECTS OR SITUATIONS. ITS
ART RESTS ON THE ABILITY TO IMPLY WEIGHT, TEXTURE, LINE, RHYTHM AND FORCE TO THE AIR AROUND
THEM.

VIDEO

MIME

• THE ART OF ACTING SILENTLY THROUGH VARIOUS KINDS OF THEATRICAL MOVEMENT

• VIDEO

COSTUME

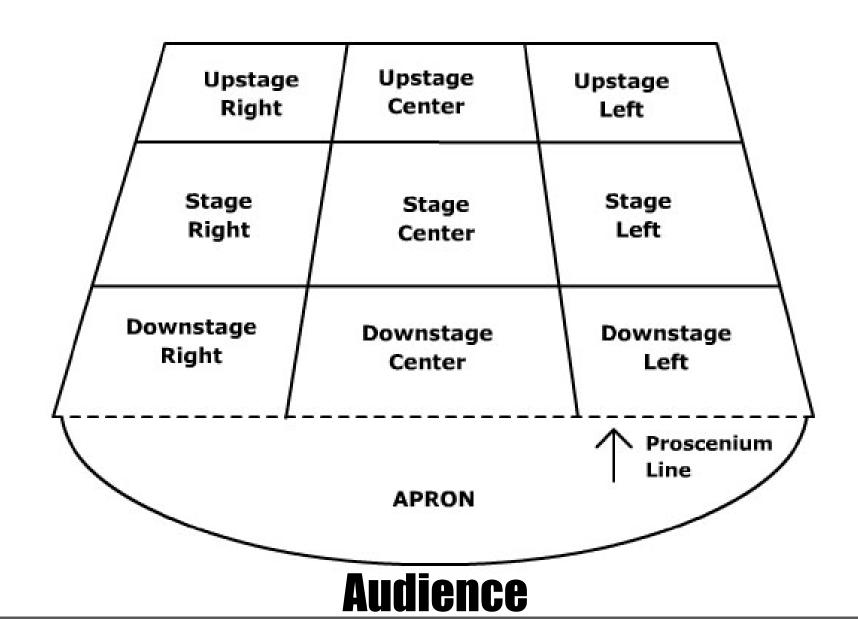
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DAY 3











1920S MEN







1920s WOMEN











1930s WOMEN



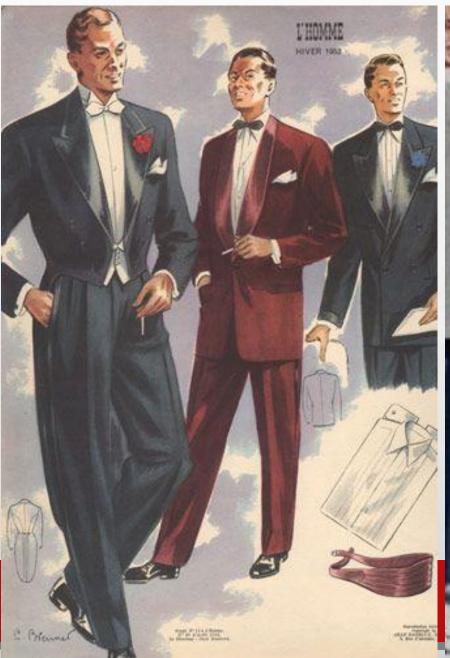






























1960s Fashion

1960s fashion turned from pricey couture to cheap and casual street wear. Hemlines rose to create the first mini skirt revealing stick legs covered by colored tights. Low heel shoes, long hair and little girl shape dresses emphasized this was a time for the youth to shine.

Tops

High neck button up blouses, pullover knits and turtle neck shirts fit straight on the body. Chunky knit sweaters and cardigans with big collars kept her warm.

Bags

Rectangular small bags with short handles or shoulder straps always matched her shoes.

Pants

Women wore slim fit pants, some with stirrups, almost as much as dresses. High waisted with a taper to the ankle

Dresses

In the mid sixties dresses were shapeless shifts, often with drop waists and contrasting white cuffs and collars.

> Bright colors matched the pop art movement- orange, green, blue, yellow, purple, and teal as well as pastels in the early years and earth tones for the hippies.

Tights

Funky tights and pantyhose or tall knee high scoks covered bare legs. Tan skin tone was ok but colored tights to match her dress were best. Textured tights and socks were even better.

THE TRAVELKNIT FOURPIECE. 4 PIECES THAT MAKE 4 OUTFITS, ALL FOR \$110.











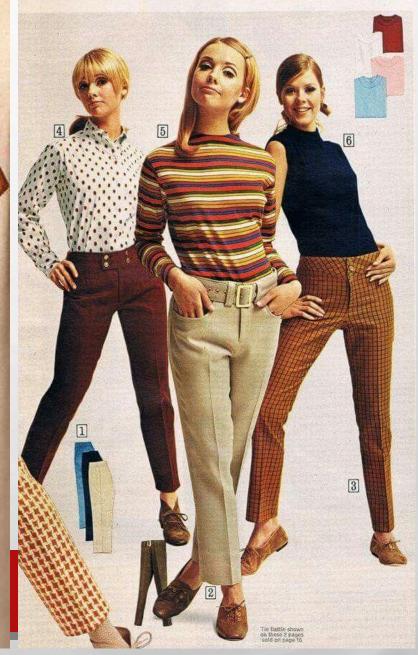














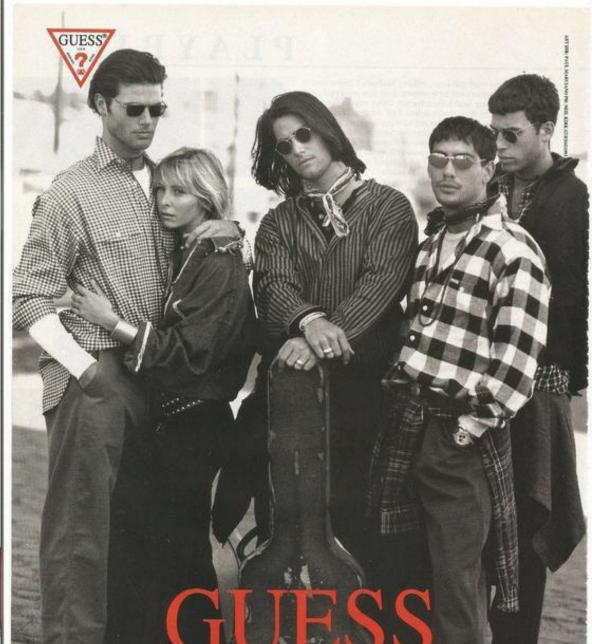






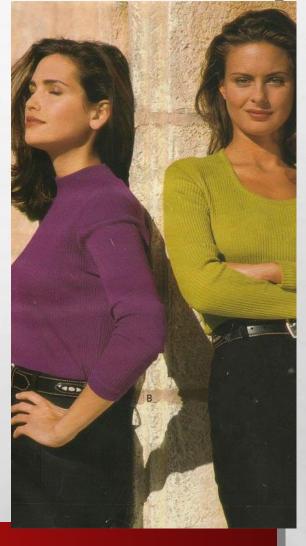


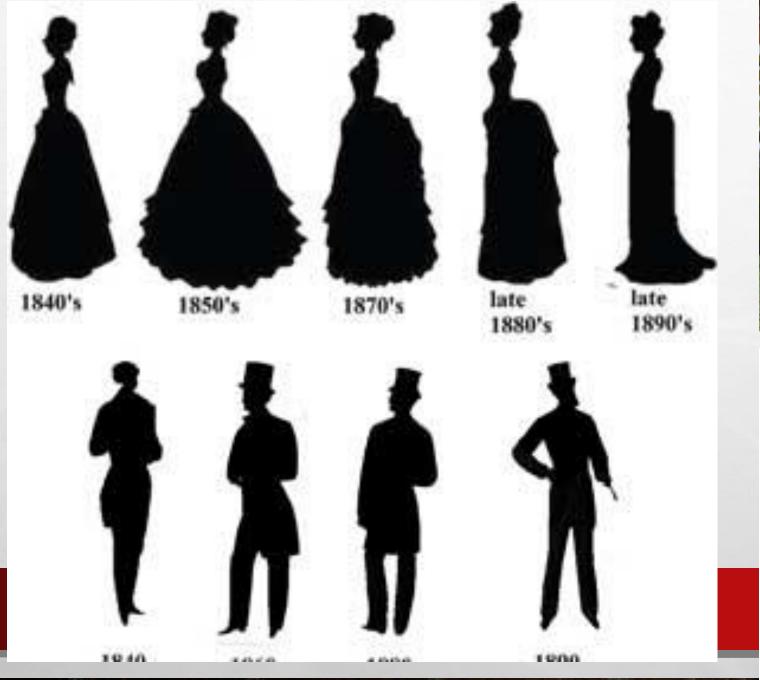












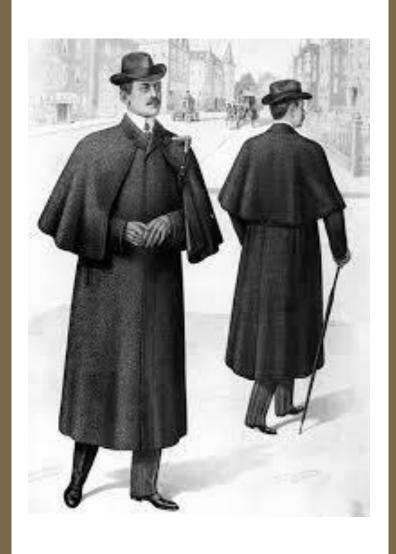


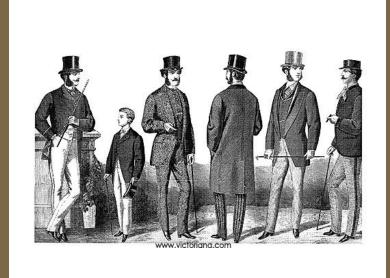


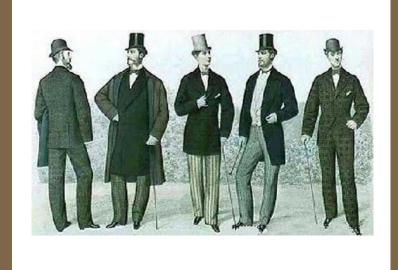




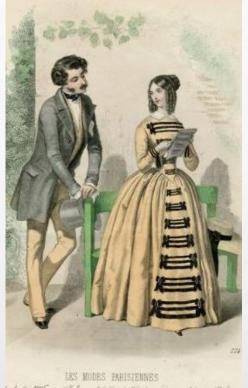












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Romeo and Juliet – American Revolution – Romeo a - Samuel, Barret, Caitlin, Dustyn S.

- Peter Pan 1980s Peter and Wendy
- Makayla, Andrew, Austin, Leon

Hamilton – 1920s – Hamilton and Burr Dustin M., Laura, Stephen and Brandon

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DAY 4





LIGHT BOARD

• AN ELECTRONIC DEVICE USED IN THEATRICAL LIGHTING DESIGN TO CONTROL MULTIPLE LIGHTS AT ONCE. THEY ARE USED THROUGHOUT THE ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY AND ARE NORMALLY PLACED AT THE FRONT OF HOUSE (FOH) POSITION OR IN A CONTROL BOOTH

SOUND BOARD

 AN ELECTRONIC DEVICE FOR COMBINING SOUNDS OF MANY DIFFERENT AUDIO SIGNALS. INPUTS TO THE CONSOLE INCLUDE MICROPHONES BEING USED BY SINGERS AND INSTRUMENTS, SIGNALS FROM ELECTRIC INSTRUMENTS, OR RECORDED MUSIC. DEPENDING ON THE TYPE, A MIXER IS ABLE TO CONTROL ANALOG OR DIGITAL SIGNALS. THE MODIFIED SIGNALS ARE SUMMED TO PRODUCE THE COMBINED OUTPUT SIGNALS, WHICH CAN THEN BE BROADCAST, AMPLIFIED THROUGH A SOUND REINFORCEMENT SYSTEM OR RECORDED.



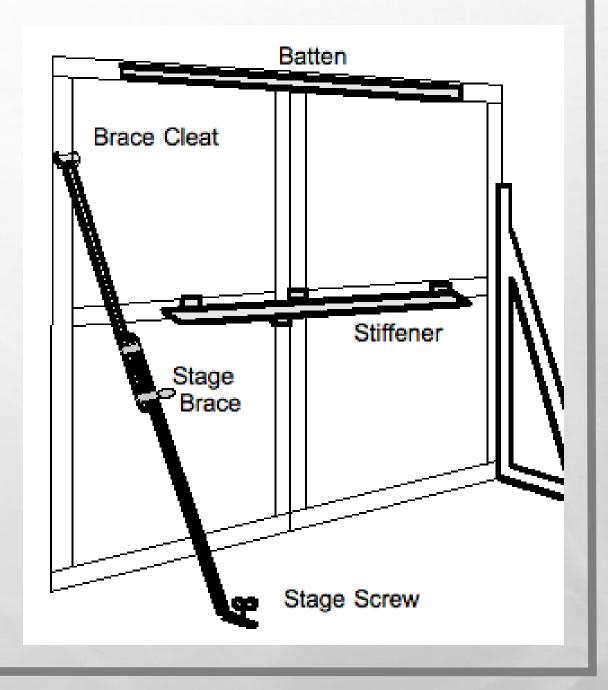
FLOODLIGHT

BASIC THEATRICAL LIGHTING INSTRUMENTS,
CONSISTING OF PRIMARILY OF A REFLECTOR BOX
AND A LAMP, USUALLY ATTACHED TO A YOKE TO
ALLOW THE INSTRUMENT TO BE HUNG. THEY ARE
OFTEN USED IN THE THEATER FOR COLOR WASHES,
OR LEFT UNCOLORED FOR USE AS WORK LIGHTS.
THEY OFFER PRACTICALLY NO CONTROL OF THE BEAM
OR FOCUS. GELS PLACED OVER A FLOODLIGHT TEND
TO FADE QUICKLY BECAUSE FLOODLIGHTS GENERATE
A GREAT DEAL OF HEAT.



STAGE BRACE

PIECE OF WOOD OR METAL WITH A 'BUTTERFLY' WINGED NUT TO MAKE IT LONGER OR SHORTER TO FIT THE FLAT USED TO STABILIZE A FLAT SET PIECE SUCH AS A FLAT. THE NUT IS USED, SO THAT IT CAN BE CHANGED MORE QUICKLY THAN A SCREW TO THE FLOOR DURING A QUICK CHANGE. USUALLY, A BRACE IS PAINTED BLACK TO MAKE IT LESS NOTICEABLE TO THE AUDIENCE. BRACES ARE OFTEN USED TO FORM A TRIANGLE BETWEEN TWO PERPENDICULAR ITEMS



PLAYS

HOMEWORK

WORKBOOK – REQ. 1 – 3 PLAY/MUSICAL REVIEWS

COSTUME RENDERINGS – 5 TOTAL, 1 FOR EACH CHARACTER

PLAY – AT LEAST 8 PAGES LONG

WORKBOOK – REQ. 5 - TERMS

EXTENDED! DUE JUNE 14TH