

The White Plains Performing Arts Center, a non-profit regional theatre, is looking for energetic, passionate individuals to work with our Summer Theatre Academy students in our summer camp.

WPPAC is looking to hire **theater apprentices** for our summer shows who have experience in stage management/tech and acting/dance/music.

All creative staff will be assigned to one of the shows below. Apprentices can apply to be hired ideally for all shows but can also apply for just individual shows as well.

DATES:

- *Mean Girls JR* (3-week camp): (Grades 6-12)
- July 1-20 Performances Fri. July 19th & Sat. July 20th

*There will be no camp on July 4 due to Independence Day.

• *Matilda JR.* (3-week camp): (Grades 4-10)

July 22 - August 10th • Performances Fri. August 9th & Sat. August 10th

• *Alice in Wonderland JR* (2-week camp): (Grades 2-10)

August 12th -24th • Performances Fri. Aug. 23th and Saturday Aug 24th

• *Willy Wonka Kids* (1-week camp): (Grades 1-8)

August 26th-30th • Performances Fri. Aug. 30th

Apprentices will engage in numerous aspects of STA camp, and duties may include: leading games and exercises for campers, assisting with stage management, blocking, choreography, and music. Apprentices will lead workshops and classes for campers, and encourage campers to apply new skills in their work onstage. We are particularly interested in applicants with backgrounds in any of the following areas: **stage management/tech**, **acting/ dance/music.**

HOURS:

• 9:00am - 4:30pm daily, Monday-Friday

*Apprentices will split early/late care coverage week-to-week. Early care begins at 8:30am and additional money is given for before/after care to apprentices.

REQUIREMENTS:

- At least one year of college/training in theatre/music/dance training or equivalent experience required. Or a recent HS grad.
- Applicants must be at least 18 years old.
- Previous experience working with school aged students is preferred though not mandatory.
- Applicants must have access to local housing **no housing provided**.
- You can apply for any number of sessions but you must be available for the entire session you are applying for. We also will take applicants for the entire summer as well if interested.

APPRENTICE STIPEND:

\$350/week (+ Eligible for college credit with certain universities)

TO APPLY:

Please send a brief cover letter that details why you are interested in this position and why theatre education matters to you. Please also send a resume highlighting theatrical and/or childcare experience, and contact information for at least two references. Send all documents as PDFs to **education@wppac.com**. Applicants will be considered on a rolling basis. Submit ASAP.