# DRAM1330 Stagecraft I Dr. Daniel K. Nazworth Office: FA 132, Phone: ext. 2266, e-mail: dnazworth@southplainscollege.edu Fall 2020

## Catalog Description

Study and application of the methods and components of theatrical production, which may include one or more of the following: theater facilities, scenery construction and painting, properties, lighting, costume, makeup, sound, and theatrical management.

# Objectives

Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. Apply a vocabulary and knowledge of the environment, tools, and skills required to mount a theatrical production.

2. Demonstrate knowledge of the variety of work required to mount a theatrical production.

3. Describe the collaborative nature of production within theatre arts.

# Course Structure

The class will consist of lectures and practical applications. This class is a flex four option which means:

- Class size is limited to room capacity 13 people is the most a class may contain this semester – So attendance days will be assigned if the class reaches this number – otherwise we will meet face to face, if you are not in class you will be expected to stream the lecture, all lectures will be streamed and recorded.
- 2. Social distancing is the new norm please pay attention to seating requirements
- 3. Masks are required no mask and you will be asked to leave.
- 4. All tests will be administered online, there will be a 3 day window to take the exam pay attention to due dates, they are set in stone, do not ask for extentions, they will not be granted.
- 5. If the state and/or college mandates, this class could be move to online only

# Attendance

This class meets at 9:30AM, TTh in the FAC 103. Since this is a performance based class, your attendance is strongly suggested. If you are not here you cannot perform, While the lectures will be recorded and on blackboard, until the class reaches max capacity it will be a live class. If you are placed in quarantine it is your responsibility to attend class virtually. Unless we are shutdown or you are in quarantine you will be expected to be in class.

WARNING: After 3 weeks of non-participating (not attending by means of virtual or physical presence or signing on to blackboard) you will be dropped from the class! You are responsible for maintaining work/life balance and completing the class.

#### Textbook

Theatrical Design and Production Gillette 8th Ed. Get the e-book version with connect access.

#### Evaluation

Grades for this class will be assigned based on the following point scale:

$$90 - 100\% = A$$
  

$$80 - 89\% = B$$
  

$$70 - 79\% = C$$
  

$$60 - 69\% = D$$
  

$$59\% = F$$

Points will accrue in the following categories:

Tests: There will several exams during the semester – you will know at least one week in advance for each test.

Practical work: There will be several projects throughout the semester on construction and painting, please wear work clothes for class – paint on new jeans doesn't come out well.

WARNING – Cheating or plagiarism will result in the student receiving a 0 on the assignment for the first offense, second offence you will be dropped from the class.

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# SPC Standard Disability Statement

Students with disabilities, including but not limited to physical, psychiatric, or learning disabilities, who wish to request accommodations in this class should notify the Disability Services Office early in the semester so that the appropriate arrangements may be made. In accordance with federal law, a student requesting accommodations must provide acceptable documentation of his/her disability to the Disability Services Office. For more information, call or visit the Disability Services Office at Levelland (Student Health & Wellness Office) 806-716-2577, Reese Center (Building 8) & Lubbock Center 806-716-4675, or Plainview Center (Main Office) 806-716-4302 or 806-296-9611.

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