

National Theatre Content Standards

Theater K-4 **Content Standard: 1:** Script writing by planning and recording improvisations based on personal experience and heritage, imagination, literature, and history

Theater K-4 **Content Standard: 2:** Acting by assuming roles and interacting in improvisations

Theater K-4 **Content Standard: 3:** Designing by visualizing and arranging environments for classroom dramatizations

Theater K-4 **Content Standard: 4:** Directing by planning classroom dramatizations

Theater K-4 **Content Standard: 5:** Researching by finding information to support classroom dramatizations

Theater K-4 **Content Standard: 6:** Comparing and connecting art forms by describing theatre, dramatic media (such as film, television, and electronic media), and other art forms

Theater K-4 **Content Standard: 7:** Analyzing and explaining personal preferences and constructing meanings from classroom dramatizations and from theatre, film, television, and electronic media productions

Theater K-4 **Content Standard: 8:** Understanding context by recognizing the role of theatre, film, television, and electronic media in daily life

Theater 5-8 **Content Standard: 1:** Script writing by the creation of improvisations and scripted scenes based on personal experience and heritage, imagination, literature, and history

Theater 5-8 **Content Standard: 2:** Acting by developing basic acting skills to portray characters who interact in improvised and scripted scenes

Theater 5-8 **Content Standard: 3:** Designing by developing environments for improvised and scripted scenes

Theater 5-8 **Content Standard: 4:** Directing by organizing rehearsals for improvised and scripted scenes

Theater 5-8 **Content Standard: 5:** Researching by using cultural and historical information to support improvised and scripted scenes

Theater 5-8 **Content Standard: 6:** Comparing and incorporating art forms by analyzing methods of presentation and audience response for theatre, dramatic media (such as film, television, and electronic media), and other art forms

Theater 5-8 **Content Standard: 7:** Analyzing, evaluating, and constructing meanings from improvised and scripted scenes and from theatre, film, television, and electronic media productions

Theater 5-8 **Content Standard: 8:** Understanding context by analyzing the role of theatre, film, television, and electronic media in the community and in other cultures

Theater 9-12 **Content Standard: 1:** Script writing through improvising, writing, and refining scripts based on personal experience and heritage, imagination, literature, and history

Theater 9-12 **Content Standard: 2:** Acting by developing, communicating, and sustaining characters in improvisations and informal or formal productions

Theater 9-12 **Content Standard: 3:** Designing and producing by conceptualizing and realizing artistic interpretations for informal or formal productions

Theater 9-12 **Content Standard: 4:** Directing by interpreting dramatic texts and organizing and conducting rehearsals for informal or formal productions

Theater 9-12 **Content Standard: 5:** Researching by evaluating and synthesizing cultural and historical information to support artistic choices

Theater 9-12 **Content Standard: 6:** Comparing and integrating art forms by analyzing traditional theatre, dance, music, visual arts, and new art forms

Theater 9-12 **Content Standard: 7:** Analyzing, critiquing, and constructing meanings from informal and formal theatre, film, television, and electronic media productions

Theater 9-12 **Content Standard: 8:** Understanding context by analyzing the role of theatre, film, television, and electronic media in the past and the present