

Franklin School for the Performing Arts

Summer 2024!



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Camps

One-Week Summer Camps

Creative Kids Camp

August 5-9 • 9:30-12:00 • Ages 5-8

Campers enjoy daily drama games, theater activities, singing, dancing, arts and crafts, story time and more – plus a Friday performance to share what they’ve learned all week in class!

Broadway Camp

August 5-9 • 12:30-3:00 • Grades K-5

Do you have what it takes to be a STAR on Broadway? Does your inner “Annie” long to be heard TODAY? FSPA’s Broadway Camp introduces young performers to the vocals, choreography, and scene work of some of the best of classic and contemporary musical theater. A final performance will showcase the fun had during the week-long Broadway Camp.

Rock Out!

TBA • All levels

Students of all levels will rock out with professional area musicians all week long. The experience ends with a gig at THE BLACK BOX with fellow workshop band members and instructors sharing the stage!

Voice Camp

TBA • Grades 3-7

Spend a week with our fabulous voice instructors working on individual performance skills and learning how to use your voice to its full potential. Pick up a microphone and learn how to engage your audience singing material from Broadway and movie/TV musicals, as well as classic and contemporary rock and pop hits. Campers will present a fabulous, fun-filled show of solos, duets and small ensembles prepared during their week of intensive training. This camp is geared toward young people who love to sing! All levels of experience are welcome and the camp will be designed around campers’ individual goals and abilities.

Acting Camp

July 8-12 • 9:30-12:00 • Grades K-4

July 8-12 • 12:30-3:00 • Grades 5-7

Acting Camp covers many forms of performance art. Campers build and present characters in short plays, improvisational exercises, and explore imaginative play. In each discipline, the focus is on understanding stage presence, charisma, and communication. Fun, action-packed week planned to spark their imaginations, build self-confidence, and encourage a child's natural interest in performance and make-believe! At the end of the week, campers will showcase their skills in a unique presentation for parents.

NEW! Dance Discovery

August 5-9 • Ages 5-9 • 9:30-12:00

Have you always wanted to be a dancer? Aspiring young dancers will discover dance positions, basic vocabulary, floor exercises, correct technique, and simple steps. Classes will also focus on musicality, rhythm, correct posture, and placement. A fun beginner class that nurtures the creative spirit!

Little Music School Experience

August 5-9 • 10:00-11:00 • Ages 3-5

Does your child play the drums on your pots and pans? Does she like to march like a soldier or roar like a lion? Does he insist that he wants to be a rock star when he grows up? Can she identify all of the instruments she hears on the radio? FSPA’s Little Music School Camp encourages young children to observe, sing, play, imagine, create and learn with others in age-appropriate activities. A great opportunity for children to explore music in a fun, energetic and interesting environment while learning and growing!

Music

June 27-August 23
Weekly Classes and Private Lessons

Music Faculty

*Tim Ayres-Kerr
Jeff DiIorio
John DiSanto
Irina Fainkichen
Katie Gray
Seungok Lee
Kim Rezendes
Lizzy Stant
Rachel Webb
Hallie Wetzell
Ida Zelman*



Private Lessons — Voice, Piano, Guitar, Bass, Ukulele, Percussion, Woodwind, Violin

Scheduled in order of date of registration. Pro-rating available at registration date. Make-ups not available for summer lessons missed. (8 weeks)

*No Class July 4th & 5th

Beginner/ Intermediate Voice

TBD

(ages 8-12, no experience necessary, unchanged voices)

Designed for young singers looking to gain experience and basic technique. Classes focus on fundamentals of breathing, vowel placement, sight-reading and ear training. A wide range of repertoire will be studied with emphasis on contemporary and musical theater genres. This class is ideal for students entering the FSPA voice program in the fall.

Girls' Teen Voice

TBD

(ages 12-18, no experience necessary)

Girls' Teen Voice is designed for the beginning to intermediate singer. Emphasis is placed on building confidence along with a healthy vocal technique. Repertoire includes musical theater and popular contemporary genres.

Song Writing

Mondays 3:00-4:00

(ages 12-18, no experience necessary)

This class will focus on the process of songwriting by exploring each of its elements in depth: lyrics, melody, harmony, rhythm, and the ways they create emotional impact. Part of each class will be devoted to listening to and discussing songs from a variety of different genres and artists. Students will be encouraged to bring in material, whether it be a song they love, a poem that speaks to them, or something they have written or are in the process of writing that they would like to workshop.

Music Theory for Beginners

Mondays 4:00-5:00

(ages 12 & up, no experience necessary)

Topics include melody, rhythm, harmony, form, pitch, scales, consonance, dissonance and basic orchestration. Music Theory is very helpful to all private music students!

Small Instrumental Ensembles

Times and days based on ensemble assignments

(ages 7 & up, by evaluation/teacher recommendation)

Piano is often a lonely undertaking, but there is a great deal of repertoire written for two people to play together! Students will be assigned a partner with whom to learn a piece and will have the opportunity to play in every class. Students will be coached on how to tackle the repertoire and how to develop the skills to work on music collaboratively. (8 weeks)

Drama

Summer Theater Faculty

Tim Ayres-Kerr
Kim Frigon
Katie Gray
Raye Lynn Mercer
Nick Paone
Kellie Stamp
Lizzy Stant
Hallie Wetzell

Special guest faculty
TBA!

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Play

July 29 - August 2

Grades 4-8 • Grades 8-12

Monday-Thursday 9:30 am - 3:00 pm

Friday Show 9:30 am arrival, 2:00 pm curtain

Musical Theater Scenes

August 5 - 9

Grades 4-8 • Grades 8-12

Monday-Thursday 9:30 am - 3:00 pm

Friday Show 9:30 am arrival, 5:00 pm curtain

Broadway Boot Camp

August 12 - 13

Grades 5-12

Monday-Tuesday 9:30 am - 5:00 pm

Cabaret Show

August 14 - 16

Grades 5-12 (approval required)

Wednesday-Friday 9:30 am - 3:00 pm

Friday Show 9:30 am arrival, 5:00 pm curtain

Please submit an audition video for placement at
fspaonline.com/summerauditions

Curtain's Up!

Play

This one week intensive will focus on the rehearsal and preparation of a play that will be performed at THE BLACK BOX. Plays will be selected for each age group based on enrollment. The performance will be August 2 at 2:00 pm.

Musical Theater Scenes

Immersive experience in the production of musical theater scenes at THE BLACK BOX! Students will be cast in scenes from several popular classic and contemporary Broadway shows. The performance will be August 9 at 5:00 pm.

Broadway Boot Camp

Broadway Boot Camp is a musical theater summer intensive for vocal, dance, and acting training with coaching on techniques and individual performance skills!

Cabaret Show

Hone your skills and tap into your potential with a focus on performance skills, including repertoire choices, song interpretation, and presentation! Receive individualized guidance, instruction, and feedback. The week concludes with a cabaret-style revue at THE BLACK BOX, showcasing solo and small ensemble pieces that have been workshopped during the week. The performance for the Cabaret will be in the evening on August 16 at 5:00 pm.



Dance

June 27-August 23
8-Week Class Session

Dance Faculty

Tori Collins

Cheryl Madeux

Casey Harkness Andrade

Nikki Sell

Kellie Stamp

*Students new to FSPA should be
evaluated for proper level placement*

Ballet

Creative Dance/Rhythm & Movement (Ages 3-5)	Monday	10:00-10:45
Intro to Ballet (Ages 6-8)	Monday	11:00-12:00
SummerBallet I (Levels I, II, III, A, B, & Rec 1)	Thursday	3:30-4:30
SummerBallet II (Levels Rec 2, C, D, & E)	Thursday	4:30-6:00
SummerBallet III (Levels IV, V, VI)	Monday & Wednesday	9:30-11:30

Tap

SummerTap I (Levels Intro-II)	Tuesday	3:30-4:30
SummerTap II (Levels A, B, III, & IV)	Tuesday	4:30-5:30
SummerTap III (Levels V-VII)	Tuesday	5:30-6:30

Jazz

SummerJazz I (Levels Intro-II)	Tuesday	4:30-5:30
SummerJazz II (Levels A-C, III-IV)	Tuesday	3:30-4:30
SummerJazz III (Levels D, V-VII)	Wednesday	3:30-4:30

Contemporary

SummerContemporary (Ages 12 & Up)	Wednesday	4:30-5:30
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*No Class July 4th & 5th

*Students should register for their
current level from the 2023-2024
school year.*

*Evaluation placement does not
start until the fall.*

NEW! Dance Summer Intensive

August 19-23 • 9:30-2:00 • Grades 7-12 or by invitation

Improve your dance skills! Work on your technical challenges, develop style and raise your performance level in this focused five days of jazz, tap, contemporary, and musical theater dance. Get in shape for fall classes and auditions! Dancers should wear appropriate dance attire and bring a snack and water. Loaner tap shoes will be available for first-time tappers!

Ballet Franklin Summer Intensive

Ballet Director: *Cheryl Madeux*

Ballet Intensive Faculty: *Casey Harkness Andrade and Invited Guest Teachers*

Young Intensive

Young Dancers Program

FSPA Conservatory Levels I (2nd year)/II/III, or by audition

Ages 8-11 • July 8-July 25
Monday-Thursday 9:30-2:00

This three-week program is designed to challenge and motivate the young dancer. Instruction in classical ballet technique, pre-pointe, modern, and dance history is offered. Additional disciplines may vary depending upon enrollment and teacher availability. Students will have the opportunity to learn choreography in all the disciplines.

Intensive Features

- Master Classes with FSPA Faculty & Guest Artists
- Individualized Instruction
- Focused and rigorous curriculum
- Camaraderie in a friendly environment
- Professional dance photo shoot



Registration

508-528-8668
FSPAonline.com

March 4

Summer Registration begins

March 25-30

Advanced Fall Registration for currently enrolled students

April 1

Open Fall Registration begins

Summer Registration Fee: \$10

- Summer tuition and registration fees are non-refundable
- Scheduling is done in order of date of registration
- Classes may be split or combined based on enrollment
- Make-ups are not available for summer private lessons
- Registration fee and half tuition payment are due at date of registration
- Performing opportunities and class registration may be limited to students whose tuition and student accounts do not reflect a balance due.
- FSPA is closed July 4th & 5th
- Summer Tuition is due June 1st

Children 5th Grade and younger must be supervised by a parent when not in class/camp.

FSPA Office Hours

June 25-June 26

9:00 am-4:00 pm

June 27-August 9

Monday-Thursday 9:00 am-6:00 pm; Friday 9:00 am-noon
Evenings/weekends by appointment

As of August 12

Monday-Friday 9:00 am-6:00 pm; Saturday 10:00 am-4:00 pm
Evenings by appointment



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