

EMPLOYER: The Hanover Theatre and Conservatory for the Performing Arts

TITLE: Costume Assistant for Youth Summer Programs (ages 9-18)

DESCRIPTION: Each summer, The Hanover Theatre runs Youth Summer Programs for students ages 6-18. Our teen program offers students, ages 13-18, daily morning classes focusing on music, drama and dance as well as afternoon rehearsals for a final production. Two sessions will be offered. Students will present three performances of a full-scale Broadway musical at the end of each session. Our Pre-Teen session overlaps the teen program and will produce a Broadway Jr. production in three weeks utilizing the same set, props, etc.

## DAY TO DAY TASKS:

- Active involvement with children, ages 9-18
- Assisting the Costume Designer/Wardrobe Manager
- Coordinate complex costume changes and assist with quick changes
- Measuring students for costumes
- Execution of costume plot
- Sewing, alterations, steaming, ironing, pattern work, washing
- Assist in the coordination and return of rental items
- Production-related errands and general help with the day to day activities of the Youth Summer Program

## REQUIRED COMMITMENT:

- Teen Session 1: July 8 July 27, 2024
  - Monday-Friday 8am 5pm\*
  - o Performances: July 26 at 7pm & July 27 at 2pm & 7pm
- Pre-Teen Session: July 22 August 10, 2024
  - o Monday-Friday 7:30am-3:30pm\*
  - o Performances: August 10 at 2pm and 6pm
- Teen Session 2: July 29 August 17, 2024
  - o Monday-Friday 8am 5pm\*
  - o Performances: August 16 at 7pm & August 17 at 2pm & 7pm
- Strike: Monday, August 19, 2024
  - \*Additional hours will be required during tech week

## **REQUIRED ATTRIBUTES:**

- Strong interest in performing arts
- Previous experience with costume design and patterns
- Excellent sewing skills
- Excellent communication skills
- Ability to manage and work within a budget
- Proven self-starter and desire to take initiative
- Ability to prioritize and manage multiple responsibilities
- Confident personality with the motivation to achieve results
- Strong attention to detail
- Punctual and dependable
- Reliable Transportation (parking will be provided)
- Must be 19+

To apply for this internship, please email a cover letter and resume by March 1st to:

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