

## **Queen's Academy Musical Theatre After School Program**

# University Highlands Elementary School

Kindergarten – Grade 4. Capacity 18 students
Thursdays 3:00 - 5:00pm

Spring 2025: April 3 – June 19, 2025 (12 classes)
Cost \$315 - GST included
Location: Music Classroom.

Taught by Miss Queen & Teacher Liam
Performance on June 19, @5pm

#### WHAT WE DO

Our weekly musical theatre afterschool programs offer a vibrant mix of singing, movement, dance, games, and imaginative storytelling! Students will create stories and delve into their emotions, voice, and bodies through engaging play and character building! Through a variety of music activities and drama games, they develop confidence, empathy, teamwork, and valuable life skills.

At the end of the term, students showcase their progress in a mini musical production with characters, lines, and choreography and singing for families to enjoy. If your child loves to use their imagination, dance, and sing, these performance programs are perfect for them!

## **Every Student will enjoy...**

- Activities in music, story, theatre, & dance
- An art class tied to our show theme
- A show performed for family to watch! (show 10-15 mins)
- Each program term offers a new musical show theme!

#### **Child Benefits**

- Physical Literacy
- Mental Health
- Social Emotional Learning
- Confidence
- Teamwork & Social Skills
- Public Speaking
- Kinesthetic Learning & Concentration
- Flexibility & Improvisation
- Self-Expression







See next page for more program details!



## **Musical Theatre After School Program – Details**

#### **OUR WHY**

I believe all kids deserve the opportunity to enrich their lives through the arts. That's why Queen's Academy is more affordable compared to local competitors. To keep our fees accessible for families, we offer a limited amount of sliding scale fees connected to household income. Email us to learn more and see if you qualify for partial sponsorship.

#### **ATTENDANCE**

If your child is not at school on the day of our program, you are required to notify Queen's Academy of your child's absence by email (queensacademy@hotmail.com) by 1pm each class.

#### AFTER SCHOOL

At dismissal students grade 1-4 will go from their classroom to the afterschool program room on their own. We offer kindergarten pick-up directly from the classroom at 3:00pm.

#### **PICK-UP**

At 5:00pm students are dismissed to their caregivers at the community entrance doors. Notify Queen's Academy in advance if alternate pick-up/going home arrangements are to be made.

#### **SHOW**

Caregivers are invited to watch our Musical Performance on June 17 @5:00pm. Show takes place inside the music room. Two audience members per student. Show length is 10-15 minutes.

#### **SNACK**

Your child must have an extra after school snack.

#### **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

Please <u>click here</u> to review our Terms and Conditions for Queen's Academy. Upon registration you have already digitally signed and consented to our Photo Release policy along with our other policies. Should you have any questions or concerns feel free contact us.









### **Meet Your Instructors**



## Miss Queen!

Queen is the Founder and Director of Queen's Academy and has been teaching musical theatre children's programs since 2013. Queen believes all kids can benefit from a performing arts experience which is why she founded Queen's Academy. Queen focuses on building children's confidence, empowering creative expression, and developing life skills through fun activities. Queen holds a Musical Theatre Diploma, is pursuing a Bachelor of Arts from Capilano University and soon a Teaching Degree from SFU. When she's not teaching, she can be found on hikes with her dog, eating chocolate, and playing board games!



#### **Teacher Liam!**

Liam has been teaching children in the arts since 2018. With extensive experience within both the Canadian Improv Games and the Vancouver Improv scene Liam uses their expertise in spontaneity and high energy to invigorate kids and parents alike. With a background in theatre, music, and education, Liam cultivates a welcoming and inclusive educational space filled to the brim with a palpable passion for the art of musical theatre!



#### Miss Julia!

Julia is an actor, singer, and performer with a life-long love of musical theatre. She has recently graduated from the University of British Columbia with a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Acting and is incredibly excited to begin venturing out into the world of theatre and teaching post-graduation. Julia loves sharing her passion for theatre, music, and art, which has led her to many amazing teaching opportunities including UBC Camps, Place des Arts, and local elementary schools. She has had the privilege of learning from many incredible teachers in her life and is very excited to continue the cycle and impact young lives with the gift of Arts Education at Queen's Academy! When Julia is not teaching or performing, she enjoys watching basketball, playing with her dog, and snuggling up with a good book.

# **Queen's Academy After School Program Schedule**

3:00 - 3:15	Arrival: Snack time
3:15-3:30	Circle time activity
3:30 – 4:00	Dance & Sing
4:00 – 4:15	Story and Relax Time
4:15 – 4:45	Act & Music
4:45-5:00	Wrap-Up Game & Pack Up
5:00	Home