



AUSTIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT  

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CONTINUING EDUCATION

## COURSE SYLLABUS/OUTLINE DEVELOPMENT FORM

1. **Name of Course:** Teen Acting for Film *(as led by Brittany Flurry)*
  
2. **Number of Clock Hours:** 15
  
3. **Course Description:** The emphasis of this teen class is acting for Film/TV and commercials. Learn how to develop characters and create relationships. The students will explore their work through improvisation, imagination work, and monologue/scene study from film and television scripts. There will be some videotaping and playback with instructor feedback. Please bring a snack that does not require refrigeration. Ages 11-17. *This class may be repeated for ongoing study, and is appropriate for all levels. Students will always receive new scripts.*
  
4. **Course Objectives:**
  - Learn to use your imagination to create believable work
  - Learn to listen and respond authentically in the moment
  - Explore on-camera technique and the skills needed for film work
  - Create circumstances and believable characters in monologues/scene work
  
5. **Rationale: State the reason for offering the course:**

This class will allow students new to acting or with previous training to focus on technique for the camera while continuing to cultivate skills to help them grow as an actor.
  
6. **Required Materials:**

May need simple props from home for scripted scenes
  
7. **Course Outline: What topics and sub-topics will be covered in this course?**
  - 1) Learn to connect with your scene partners
  - 2) Learn to listen and respond believably
  - 3) Improvisation, imagination, and character work
  - 4) Understand the components of a scene or monologue and create the world of the character
  - 5) Taping a scene for playback and instructor feedback (optional)