

### Improvisational Theatre Games

**Class Description:** 7-12<sup>th</sup> grade students will play improvisation theatre games. That's right, this class is all about playing games, having a blast, getting a little crazy and laughing until your side hurts. If you've ever watched *Whose Line is It Anyway*, or *Drew Carey's Imrov-A-Ganza*, then you have an idea of some of what will be going on (in a pure PG-13 setting of course).



Games will teach quick, creative, problem solving, teamwork skills, and confidence.

**Acting, pantomime, voice, and movement**

techniques will be studied along with

rules of improv, **parts of a story, staging techniques, and audience etiquette.** Students will build **characters, relationships,** and environments on an empty stage with very little prompting, exercising their **imagination** while enhancing their **communication skills.** We will also plan a field trip, with some parent help, to go see the family friendly **Comedy Sportz** performance.



*At the end of the class, students will have an improv performance event.*

**BACH FALL THURSDAYS 10:30 - 12:00**  
**Home Study Required:** 1-2 hours per week  
**Credit:** eligible for ½ fine arts  
**Min/Max:** 8-20 **Tuition:** \$45  
**Materials Required:** Notebook and binder  
Computer with internet access  
Student and parent e-mail account

### Film Performance & Production

**Class Description:** 7-12<sup>th</sup> grade students will learn the basics of film making through small projects, while developing their skills towards their entry into our film festival, a red carpet celebration at the end of the class. Individual and small group collaboration will allow enhancement of their leadership and listening skills.



**Film projects include:**  
commercials  
how to videos  
superhero dating videos  
movie trailers  
stylized scenes  
newscasts  
silent films

**Students will learn techniques for:**

creating a story: storyboarding, script writing, and scene improvisation  
using a video camera: camera angles, movement and placements  
video editing: cut and splice, adding text, transitions, sound and music  
acting for the camera  
analysis of film

**BACH SPRING THURSDAYS 10:30 - 12:00**  
**Home Study Required:** 2-4 hours per week  
**Credit:** eligible for ½ fine arts  
**Min/Max:** 8-20 **Tuition:** \$45  
**Materials Required:** Notebook and binder  
Computer with internet access  
Student and parent e-mail account  
Digital Recording Device (\$25 and up)  
Video Editing Software (\$0 and up)

### Christian Communicators

**Class Description:** Students will gain confidence, learn communication skills, and have practice speaking in front of people.

Students will have the confidence and experience to begin to vocalize their beliefs and experiences, to reach out to all types of audiences and share important messages in effective and appropriate ways.

Giving kids of all ages the confidence to speak up for themselves and share their beliefs and ideas in simple conversations or in front of large groups.

#### 7th - 12th grade

Students learn to analyze and describe the communication process, creating and present speeches of different lengths and style and become trained in giving and receiving feedback in a positive way.



**Presentations Include:**

- Introduction
- Improvisational Speech
- Psalm/Parable Dramatic Interpretation Reading
- Demonstration Speech
- Informative Speech
- Persuasive Speech
- Mock Job Interview

**BACH FALL THURSDAYS 8:45-10:15**  
**Home Study Required:** 2-4 hours per week  
**Credit:** eligible for ½ Communications/Speech  
**Min/Max:** 8-20 **Tuition:** \$45  
**Materials Required:** Notebook and binder  
Computer with internet access  
Student and parent e-mail account