

PAPER MILL PLAYHOUSE



Activities to do BEFORE or AT the Theater

DIFFICULTY: Simple

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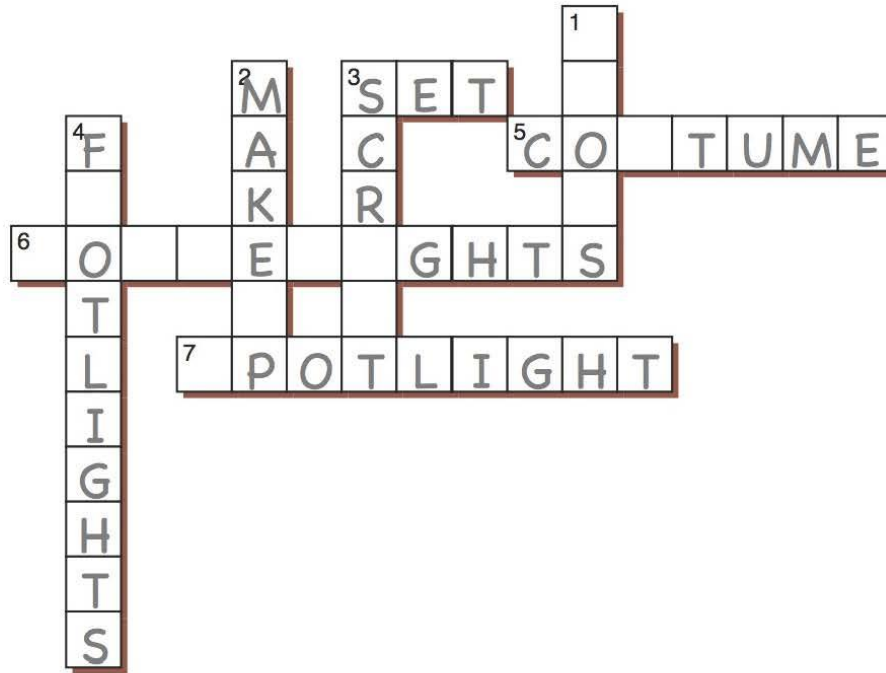
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Across

3. The scenery for a particular show or individual scene
5. Clothing worn by an actor on stage during a performance
6. The lights on the ceiling or the wall where you sit
7. A light that shines down on a stage that shines on a group of people or one person

Down

1. An object that an actor holds or carries on stage. Ex: a pen, an umbrella, a sword. Items that are not seen as scenery, lights, or wardrobe.
2. Cosmetics and sometimes hairstyles that an actor wears on stage
3. The written text of a play
4. Lights that are sometimes recessed into the front edge of the stage, used to stop shadows made by overhead lighting

COSTUME
MAKEUP
SET

FOOTLIGHTS
PROPS
SPOTLIGHT

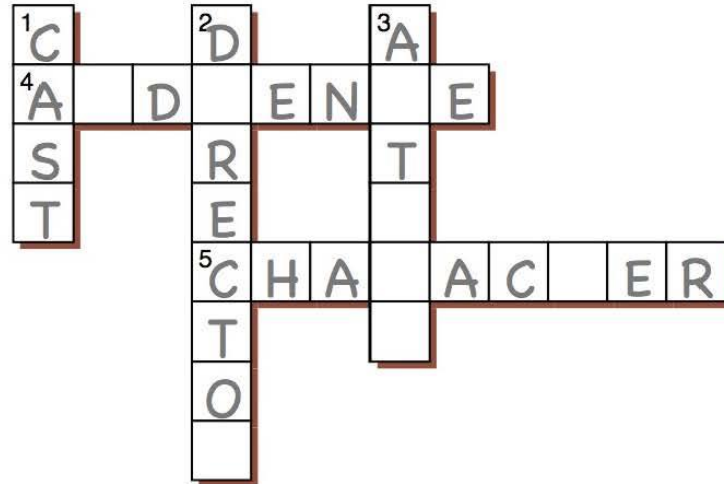
HOUSELIGHTS
SCRIPT



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Across

4. The people sitting down, facing the stage watching the actor's tell the story of the play
5. A personality or role in the story that an actor/actress re-creates.

Down

1. The full group of actors in the play. Each will portray a character in the story of the play.
2. The boss. The person who is in charge of all aspects of the production, who selects the actors for the cast, and tells them how to speak and where to move.
3. The people on stage telling the story of the play

ACTORS
CHARACTER

AUDIENCE
DIRECTOR

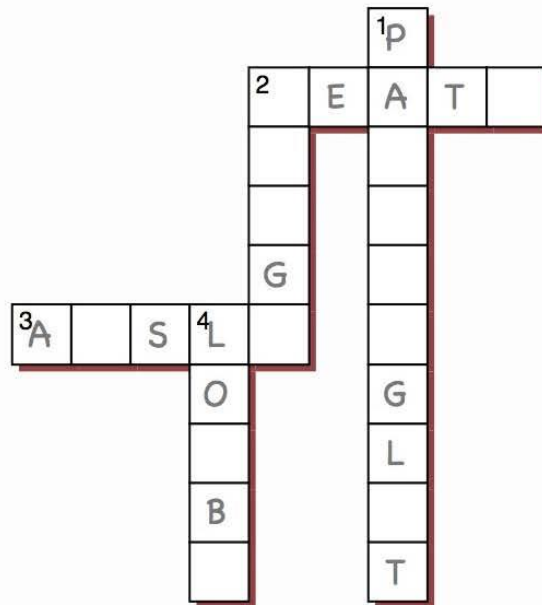
CAST



ACTORS
CHARACTER

AUDIENCE
DIRECTOR

CAST



Across

2. The place where you sit
3. The path where you walk to get to your seat

Down

1. The place where cars and buses come
2. The area where actors perform
4. The open area by the door

AISLE

LOBBY

PARKINGLOT

SEATS

STAGE



AISLE

LOBBY

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STAGE

Name: _____ Date: _____

Theater Vocabulary

Draw a line to match the picture to the matching picture.

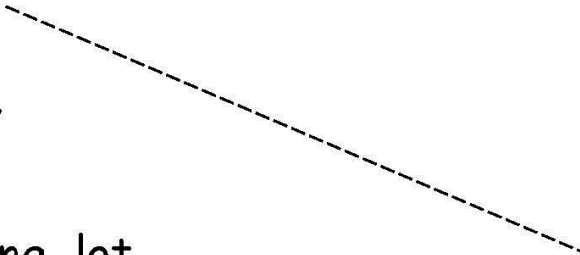


Name: _____ Date: _____

Theater Vocabulary: Actions and Events

Draw a line to match the identical words.

aisle	seats
lobby	stage
parking lot	aisle
seats	lobby



Name: _____ Date: _____

Theater Vocabulary: People

Draw a line to match the identical words.

actors

cast

audience

actors

cast

character

character

director

director

audience

Name: _____ Date: _____

Theater Vocabulary: Equipment

Draw a line to match the identical words.

costume

house lights

footlights

props

house lights

set

make up

script

props

costume

script

spotlight

set

footlights

spotlight

make up

Name: _____ Date: _____

Theater Vocabulary: Actions and Events

Draw a line to match the identical words.

applause

rehearsal

rehearsal

curtain call

curtain call

applause

FLASHCARDS:



Paper Mill Playhouse Theater Vocabulary Words

PLACES

Aisle	Aisle
Lobby	Lobby
Parking Lot	Parking Lot

FLASHCARDS:



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PLACES

Seats	Seats
Stage	Stage

FLASHCARDS:



Paper Mill Playhouse Theater Vocabulary Words

PEOPLE

Actors	Actors
Audience	Audience
Cast	Cast

FLASHCARDS:



Paper Mill Playhouse Theater Vocabulary Words

PEOPLE

Character	Character
Director	Director

FLASHCARDS:



Paper Mill Playhouse Theater Vocabulary Words

ACTIONS

Applause	Applause
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FLASHCARDS:



Paper Mill Playhouse Theater Vocabulary Words

EVENTS

Rehearsal	Rehearsal
Curtain Call	Curtain Call

FLASHCARDS:

Paper Mill Playhouse Theater Vocabulary Words

EQUIPMENT

Costume	Costume
Footlights	Footlights
House Lights	House Lights

FLASHCARDS:



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EQUIPMENT

Make-up	Make-up
Props	Props
Script	Script

FLASHCARDS:

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EQUIPMENT

Set	Set
Spotlight	Spotlight