

# Junior ROSE BRIGADE

The **Junior Rose Brigade** is a select group of musical theater performers in Grades 5-9 who hone their singing, dancing, and acting skills by curating a full performance showcase for their friends and family in the fall, perform and compete at the Junior Theater Festival in Sacramento, CA in the winter, and perform a full 1-Hr Broadway Junior show in the spring as well as perform at the Rose Theater Downtown for their year-end- musical theater concert!

## EXPECTATIONS

- ★ Understand that the casting of roles will be based on the student's availability to attend rehearsals.
- ★ Participate in rehearsal that includes (1) bathroom/drink break while engaging in the process as expected (i.e., good behavior, following directions, listening, approaching learning new choreography, songs, and characters with excitement and curiosity.)
- ★ Wear jazz shoes and appropriate rehearsal wear (leggings, sweats, cami, leotard, t-shirt, etc.) for all rehearsals.
- ★ Understand there is "homework": memorizing lines, lyrics to songs, reviewing blocking, and choreography.
- ★ Participate in one (1) year-long dance, musical theater, and/or voice classes of your choosing to further technique training.
- ★ Participate in one (1) year-long Brigade dance class on Thursdays (included in weekly rehearsal times).
- ★ Attend all mandatory performance dates.
- ★ Attend Junior Theater Festival in Sacramento, CA from February 7-9, 2025 with at least (1) caregiver.
- ★ Be in attendance for the final week of rehearsals before leaving for the Junior Theater Festival. No Cast members may leave early for JTF and miss rehearsals.
- ★ Students are allowed only two (2) unexcused absences.
  - Excused absences are absences communicated before 72 hours of rehearsal to the Director and approved OR the student is sick from school that day.

## BRIGADE STAFF



Michael James  
Co-Director/Choreographer  
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Angie Frey  
Music Director



Brian Guehring  
Co-Director

## TUITION

### Junior Brigade Tuition Fee

**\$ 2,862.00**

This includes:

- Rehearsal, Performance, and Concert Fees
- (1) JTF Student Fee
- (1) JTF Parent Fee
- Administration Fee

*Additional musical theater, voice, or dance classes are paid separately.*

### Additional JTF Fee

**\$ 335.00**

Tuition already includes 1 Parent and 1 Student JTF Fee. This fee is for each additional parent/sibling that participates in JTF.

We can set up a payment plan that works for your family.  
Email Zachary Pachol (Studio Manager) at zacharyp@rosetheater.org.

**Financial Aid:** For returning students, if you are planning on applying for financial assistance for next season, you must apply and be approved before the audition date. No one can audition before they are paid in full for the 24/25 season. **Apply at:** [rosetheater.org/community/financial-assistance](https://rosetheater.org/community/financial-assistance)

## WEEKLY REHEARSALS

*Anticipate a few rehearsals starting August.  
The weekly rehearsals start Tue, Sept 3rd.*

**Thursdays, 4:45 - 8:00 PM**

**Saturdays, 12:30 - 2:30 PM**

*All rehearsals at the Rose Studios for Youth Artists | 12202 W Center Rd.*

Participate in one (1) year-long dance, musical theater, and/or voice class of your choosing to further technique training.

## MANDATORY PERFORMANCE DATES

### Showcase

*Technical Rehearsal:* December 1 - 4, 2025

*Performances:* December 5 - 6, 2025



### Junior Theater Festival (JTF)

Sacramento, CA | February 6 - 8, 2026

*Caregivers are responsible for own travel & hotel accommodations*

### Brigade Season Kick -Off

*Performances:* January 9 & 10, 2026

### Full Show Performance

*Technical Rehearsal:* April 6 - 8, 2026

*Performances:* April 9 - 11, 2026

### End-of-the-Year Spring Concert

*Spacing/Tech Rehearsal:* May 4 - 6 2026

*Performances:* May 8 & 9, 2026

## AUDITION

**Saturday, July 12<sup>th</sup>**

**9 AM - 12 PM (7th - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

**1 PM - 4 PM (1st - 6th Grade)**

**Saturday, July 19<sup>th</sup>**

**9 AM - 12 PM (1st - 6th Grade)**

**1 PM - 4 PM (7th - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

**Location: Rose Studios for Youth Artists  
12202 W Center Rd. Omaha, NE**

The in-person audition will start with a group dance call followed by individual singing from each auditionee of their selected song.

Video auditions must be submitted by Fri, July 11th.

**[Click here to fill out our audition form!](https://bit.ly/2526auditions)**

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This Brigade team will be performing

