



## DEBUT FALL 2021: THE HIGHLIGHT OF YOUR CHILD'S WEEK!

We are excited to be back in our Debut home to laugh, play and learn together! Debut turns 30 this year– Play on!

### Registration:

- **Returning Spring 2021 families contact the office (970-224-5774 or [debut@frii.com](mailto:debut@frii.com)) to register ASAP. Tuition due **Mon Aug 9.****
- Remaining openings are filled in order once we receive your full registration packet listed below.
- Read Debut's COVID Vaccine Policy on the last page of this flyer.

Register early! With small class sizes, there will be Waiting Lists. Complete all the following paperwork:

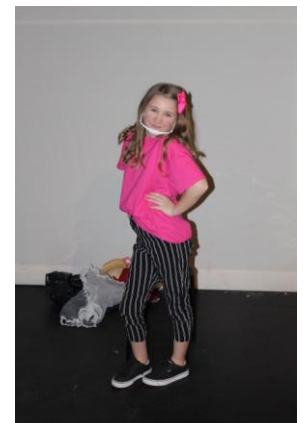
- Registration form
- COVID waiver
- Medical release
- Tuition: \$255 - Little Theatre;  
\$270 – All other classes (Increase due to performance venue rental cost increase)

These forms are located at [www.debuttheatre.org/springfall-classes](http://www.debuttheatre.org/springfall-classes). Drop your packet off in the 24-hour letter slot or at the front office (during office hours) at Debut 827 Riverside Ave. Questions? Office hours are M-F. 1:00-4:00 p.m. (970) 224-5774

## Parent Stuff-

### Important information:

- Classes are held at Debut at 827 Riverside Ave.
- All safety guidelines recommended by CDC, Larimer County, etc. will be maintained. At this time, vaccinated students over 12, masks are optional (with a copy of vaccination card on file at Debut); students under 12 or not vaccinated, masks are required.
- Class sizes are limited.
- Specifically designed curriculum appropriate for this year to reinforce student well-being, and be adaptable.
- Live theatre is slowly re-opening. Please be partners with us in the process.



# Kid Stuff-

## Grades 1-2

### Little Theatre

Friday 4-5:30

Teaching artist: TBA

Classes: Aug 20 thru Dec 3 @ Debut; No Class: Nov 26

Final Performance Dec 10 @ Debut's Black Box

Do you love to pretend? Are you crazy for costumes? Through theatre games, dance, and acting exercises, you'll learn to let your creative side go! If you're ready to be a part of theatre, this is your class! Our final performance will be a short play. *Note: Students must be able to read to be in this class as we work with scripted material.*



## Grades 3-5

### First Stage

Monday 4-5:30

Teaching artist: Jane Colon-Bonet

Classes: Aug 23 thru Dec 6 @ Debut; No Class: Sept 6

Final performance Dec 13 @ Ridgeview Classical

Each week will be filled with fun and variety! Theatre games, improvisation, and acting exercises will accompany rehearsal of a play adapted from classic literature from Fables, Folktales and Fairytales. This class will have a strong emphasis on movement and using your body in technique and expression.



### PreTenDers:

Thursday 4-6

Teaching artist: Lee Osterhout-Kaplan or Robyn Cuthbertson

Classes: Aug 26 thru Dec 9 @ Debut; No Class: Nov 25

Final performance Dec 16 @ Ridgeview Classical

This class is for the experienced actor (Director approval required).

The Pre-Ten-Ders continue their theatre adventures with a playful, high energy show. Theatre games, improvisation, and acting exercises will accompany rehearsal. This class will have a strong emphasis on expressive movement and using your body in storytelling

## Middle School (grades 6-8)

### Stage Two Theatre:

Beginning/Intermediate

Tuesdays 6-8

Teaching artist: Robyn Cuthbertson or Lee Osterhout-Kaplan

Classes: Aug 31 thru Dec 7 @ Debut

Final performance Dec 14 @ Ridgeview Classical

Acting isn't just performing, it's also immersing so fully into a character that you discover yourself while playing someone else. Through exercises and games, you will learn the secrets of being a true performer.



## Center Stage

Intermediate

Thursdays 6:15-8:15

Teaching artist: Quin Smith

Students will continue to hone their theatre skills with games, improvisation, and more in-depth, hands-on technical training. They will also continue developing confidence on the stage, develop a believable character, interpret and appreciate a script, work within a troupe and enjoy performing for yourself as well as others.

Classes: Aug 26 thru Dec 9 @ Debut; No Class: Nov 25

Final performance Dec 15 @ Ridgeview Classical



## Middle & High School (grades 8-12)



### World Stage:

Intermediate/Advanced

Mondays 6-8

Teaching artist: Robyn Cuthbertson

For the experienced actor (Director approval required.) Being in plays from a variety of historical periods and different countries teaches new styles of acting and interpretation. Learn how historical periods influence theatrical style and develop characters through the study of culture and society.

Classes: Aug 16 thru Nov 29 @ Debut; No Class: Sept 6

Final performances Dec 6 & 7 @ Lincoln Center



### Quintessential Theatre:

Advanced.

Tuesdays 6:15-8:15

Teaching artist: Quin Smith

A class that is for those who are interested in performing in pieces that focus more on real life issues and interpersonal relationships. We will take a deeper look into the psychology of why people do what they do, character motivations, character relationships, and general character building exercises. A great opportunity for those who are interested in more serious roles and pieces.

Classes: Aug 24 thru Nov 30 @ Debut

Final performances Dec 6 & 7 @ Lincoln Center

### Debut Players:

Wednesdays 6-8 p.m. & Saturdays 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

**Drac Is Back!** Mark your calendars for 10/8 – 10/23 as the Players re-vamp “Dracula” to celebrate 30 years. Tickets on sale soon at [Ictix.com](http://Ictix.com).

## Free and Impactful Ways to Support Debut

Follow DTC on Facebook

King Soopers – [www.kingsoopers.com/communityrewards](http://www.kingsoopers.com/communityrewards)

Amazon Smile – [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com)

Colorado Tax ReFund – <https://refundwhatmatters.org/>

# DEBUT THEATRE COMPANY VACCINE POLICY

## Purpose

With the safety of our students and staff as a top priority, Debut Theatre Company (DTC) will comply with all federal, state, and local laws based upon guidance provided by the CDC, the EEOC, and other licensing authorities. DTC is requiring all of its staff & members to get fully vaccinated in order to relax social distancing policies implemented since the COVID-19 pandemic began in March 2020, including in-building mask wearing and social distancing.

## Scope

This policy applies to all staff, on site volunteers and students over the age of 12. This policy applies to all authorized COVID-19 vaccines that have been recommended for use in the United States.

## Policy

All staff and students over 12 must either: A) Establish that they have received one of the authorized and recommended COVID-19 vaccines, or B) Obtain an approved exemption as an accommodation.

If vaccinated, wearing a mask in the building is optional. **However, to comply with CDC tracking procedures, a copy of your vaccination card is requested to keep on file.** When providing proof of vaccination, the individual will not be asked to provide any other medical information. Proof of receipt of the vaccination shall be confidentially and securely maintained by DTC. Students under 12 will still be required to wear a mask. (Should the vaccine be approved for 11 and under, this policy will be extended to include this age group.)

## Requests for exemptions as accommodations

To assist any individual who has a qualifying medical condition that contraindicates the vaccination, or who objects to being vaccinated on the basis of sincerely held religious beliefs and practices, DTC will engage in an interactive process to determine if a reasonable accommodation can be provided so long as it does not create an undue hardship for DTC and/or does not pose a direct threat to the health and safety of others. To request an accommodation, please notify the office in writing at [debut@frii.com](mailto:debut@frii.com).

## Related to COVID-19

Masks are required during indoor classes, rehearsals and performances for unvaccinated students.

Debut will strictly follow all local, state and federal guidelines regarding quarantining after an exposure. Please contact your director immediately if your child/family has tested positive or had a possible exposure.

If you are running a fever, coughing, sneezing or showing other signs of illness, please stay home and contact your director.

Should there be another outbreak or if the current schedule is disrupted due to the pandemic, Debut cannot guarantee that rehearsals or performances can be continued/completed. In that event, there will be no refunds as this is beyond our control.

**Because of member diligence and awareness, the Debut Players were the only local acting company that safely and professionally presented three performances within the past year and a half. We are proud of this accomplishment as well as the fact that we never had a spread within our school. It is imperative to remain informed and cognizant of health matters. Should a student disregard requests by the director in this matter (after parent is informed) they may/will be removed from their troupe without refund. The safety of our students and staff is our top priority.**