# Professional Actor Development (PAD)

Twice a week / 6-9pm / 11 weeks

Three month part-time course for advancedlevel actors designed to maintain balance between career and craft.

**Goal Management –** Set attainable timelines and create an action plan to reach goals.

**Biz of the Biz –** Specificity is key in our industry. Create a marketable brand for you.

**Audition Technique** – Ensure you are on top of your game when you get into the room.

**Scene Study –** Direction in a series of scenes from contemporary plays and films in order to flex your creative muscles to prepare you for your time on set.

# **Hollywood Field Trip**

1-Year Dramatic Arts Advanced Diploma
Program graduates are invited to take part in a complementary 4-day Hollywood field trip in Los Angeles. where you will take part in interactive workshops with Casting Directors, Directors, Producers, Talent Management, Professional Audition and Lifestyle coaches.

\* Airfare, accommodations, workshops fees and transportation are covered by the school.



# **Impov 4 Youth & Teens**

Learn essential improv techniques through fun and interactive activities that improve selfconfidence, communication, speech and social skills. **No experience required.** 

\* Contact school for schedules and fees



# **Youth On Camera Acting Certificate**

Saturdays 2 hrs per day / 12 wks

Designed to accommodate both new and experienced young actors and includes a Demo Reel Module. Professionally instructed classes for two age groups

· Classes for Ages 10-14 & Ages 15-18

# **Youth & Teen Audition Classes**

Sundays 2 hrs per day / 8 weeks

Designed for students who have already completed previous On Camera Acting training, students work with the instructor to develop on camera audition techniques and make concrete choices for characters.

## **Spring / Summer Break Acting Camps**

One week on camera acting camps taught by professional actors teaching essential skills to get started on Film & TV acting careers.

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# **Dramatic Arts Program Diploma**

### Mon-Fri / 9am-1;15pm / 6 months

Our Dramatic Arts Program (DAP) is emotional, comprehensive and intensive. Its purpose is to give you a solid foundation of acting principles and is designed to challenge actors to achieve their highest potential. The program includes: Text & Script Analysis, Character Analysis & Development, Camera Technical, Set Etiquette & Terminology, Monologues, Scene Study, TV & Film Auditions, Commercial Auditions, Cold Read Auditions, Improvisation, Movement/ Body, Voice/Standard American Dialect, Career Planning discusses Getting an Agent, Cover Letters, Acting Resumes, Headshots & Demo Reel Project. Note: Professional Headsets and a Demo Reel are included in the program.

# **Dramatic Arts | Advanced Diploma**

# Mon-Fri / 1:30am-5:30pm / 6 months

Build upon skills acquired in our Dramatic Arts Diploma by delving into Advanced Scene Study, Text Analysis and Acting Techniques. Advanced Character Study explores how to create a character from the ground up. Content and Empowerment teaches how films are made and you'll put together your own short film and cinematic. Voice Over training for commercials, animation PSA's will allow you to create a voice over demo reel as well.

# 1-Year Dramatic Arts Advanced Diploma

Students can choose to enrol in Dramatic Arts Diploma & Advanced Diploma for 1 year of continuous study. This course includes headshots, demo reel, cinematic, short film, voiceover demo reel and Hollywood field trip.

# **Part-Time Certificate Programs**

# **Intro to Acting: PACE 1**

#### Once a week / 6-9pm / 8 weeks

For beginners or those with theatre backgrounds. Student learn on camera techniques, script analysis, intro to scene study, getting into character, audition etiquette, auditioning for TV & Film roles, commercials cold reading techniques.



# **Intro to Acting: PACE 2**

#### Once a week / 6-9pm / 8 Weeks

Involves in-depth text analysis, scene study exercises, sharpening audition skills and how to create a professional package. At the end of the course, students create a demo clip to put in their package.

# **On Camera Acting Intensive**

#### Mon-Fri / 10am-3pm / 2 weeks

For beginners and those with theatre backgrounds. Covers similar content found in PACE 1. A more in-depth look at scene study considerations and covers actor packages.

# **Ongoing Study Programs**

Ongoing study courses build upon your acting foundation; allowing you to 'flex your acting muscle' and remain sharp for any opportunities that come your way!

### Scene Study:

#### Once a week / 6-9pm / 8 weeks

Designed for graduates of our Certificate or Diploma programs (or actors with previous film and television training). Students explore layers of subtext and underlying emotions in their characters and scenes. This is where real acting skills are applied.



#### **On Camera Audition:**

#### Once a week / 4 wks or 8 wks

Learn techniques to be memorable in the room by focusing on making strong choices, finding specificity to the work, preparing mentally and emotionally, connecting to the scripts, reader and direction given. You'll come across prepared and leave the room looking like a pro.