

Scene Notebook



Due: August 17

Instructions: Find 6 scenes that are at least five minutes in length using the criteria below (for 2-4 characters).

Classical (Comic <u>&</u> Dramatic)

Greeks -> turn of the 19th/20th Century (Think Sophocles, Aristophanes, Shakespeare, Goldini, Moliere, Wilde, Chekov, Ibsen and many more!)

Contemporary (Comic <u>&</u> Dramatic)

One Film (Comic <u>&</u> Dramatic)

*Must be from a play or film - no "stand alone" monologues!

 Copy/print the entire scene and include the play title and author.
Write a paragraph after the monologue explaining why you chose the monologue. Why do YOU want to work on this monologue? Think about character types, range of emotion, clear objective, multiple tactics, etc.

*We will be referring to the scene notebook and working on the monologues for the fall theatre competitions/festivals.

Where to find scenes?

My Actor Guide



Here is a great site that lists 50 of the greatest playwrights with links Best Playwrights

Please email <u>Mr. Hixson</u> with any questions you may have.