## Research...

the challenges faced by our community;

Create....

an original script (Public Service Announcement) to address those challenges;

Explore...

the use of design technologies, construction materials and film to document your creation;

Perform....

with a crew filming your Public Service
Announcement!

A few reminders...

Students' attendance at all sessions is necessary for a successful experience.

Students are expected to adhere to the District Code of Conduct while participating in this program.



## **FOCUS ON THE ARTS!**

Extended School Year Program Enrichment at Newburgh Free Academy Main Campus Black Box Theatre

Monday - Thursday **July 5<sup>th</sup> - July 27<sup>th</sup>**8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

(Breakfast will be provided.)

Be part of a student-created production company researching, documenting and enlightening the community about the challenges we face. Students will create, act and film Public Service Announcements (PSA) to inform our school community members.

This enrichment program is open to entering 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade students interested in exploring the different skills and career paths associated with a production company. Science, technology, engineering, arts and math skills will be enhanced through the creation and production of student-generated original Public Service Announcements. Professionals within the various career paths will serve as clinicians during the project-based learning experiences.

Job opportunities include the following:

Set and Lighting Design and Construction - Combine your math, design and engineering skills to create the perfect setting for the filming. Discover the science of lighting techniques to create certain illusions.

Script Writing and Editing - Engage your creative side in the development of characters who will bring your words and ideas to life. Practice your grammar, expand your vocabulary and organize your thoughts to keep the audience engaged.

Performing - Explore the many aspects of taking on a character, memorizing a script, and exhibiting "stage presence" for the camera. Performers will also explore the use of costume and make up techniques to help bring their character to life.

Public Relations and Marketing: Create and monitor a company budget, establish a company brand including a logo and program for the production. Develop public relation skills to make connections and communicate with potential sponsors.

All interested applicants should complete the information below and forward to:

Pamela Peterson, Director of Family and Community Engagement NECSD District Office - 124 Grand Street, Newburgh, NY



## FOCUS ON THE ARTS PRODUCTION COMPANY APPLICATION

Student Name:
Grade entering: School: Age:
Parent/Guardian Name:
Address:
City: Zip:
Home Phone:
Cell Phone:
Email:
Please list 3 things that you hope to learn from being part of this program:
1)
2)
3)
Student Signature:
Parent/Guardian Signature: