



**Your performance location:**

**The Maryland Theatre at 21 South Potomac Street in Hagerstown, Maryland**

**TWUSA GUIDELINES**

**Teachers and chaperones**, in order to make the theatrical experience as pleasurable as possible for your group and all others in attendance, we ask that you review the following information with the students at least one day prior to your field trip. **Subsequent pages contain important information for your group and bus drivers.**

1. **NO FOOD, DRINKS OR SNACKS OF ANY KIND** are permitted in the theater or lobby—this includes bagged lunches and coolers.
2. **NO CAMERAS** or recording equipment of any kind are permitted inside the theater.
3. For many students, this performance will be their first experience with live theater. Instead of talking and whispering during the performance, please wait until after the show to discuss or comment about it. Also, no running, shouting or disruptive behavior at any time before, during, or after the show. Ushers may ask chaperones to remove disruptive children.
4. The performance lasts approximately one hour and restroom and drinking fountain privileges during that time must be reserved for absolute emergencies only (and then, as always, children must be accompanied by an adult).
5. For seating, please follow the instructions of the house staff at all times.
6. All patrons, regardless of age, must purchase a ticket to enter the theater.

Teachers and chaperones, please take an active role in watching over the students in your care and assisting them in maintaining appropriate behavior. We hope you enjoy the show.

**Please see additional pages for instructions from the venue.**



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**For TWUSA performances at The Maryland Theatre, please plan to arrive at least 30 minutes before curtain time. As it takes time to seat a full house of students, we cannot have all attendees arrive 10 minutes before show time and manage to start on time. Doors open approximately 60 minutes before curtain time.**

**At this time, The Maryland Theatre is currently hosting construction in front of the theatre. Drop off will continue to take place in front, look for the walkway just north of the theatre. Signage will guide you down the walkway and into the theatre.**

**Seating at this location is by pre-arranged seating chart. Please follow the instructions of the house staff at all times. PLEASE make sure that your children fill every seat, not leaving any empties between them. Again, please take your seats as guided by the venue ushers and then, if needed, make adjustments in your assigned space.**

**Please be sure to report all special seating requirements to TheaterWorksUSA & the venue prior to the day of the show. Otherwise special seating may not be available.**

### **From East:**

#### *Baltimore*

I-95 to I-70 W past Frederick to Exit 32B (Hagerstown - Rt. 40 W). Follow Rt. 40 W (Dual Hwy) past Clarion Hotel, Days Inn to the downtown area - 3.5 miles. Turn left onto N Potomac St at City Hall (if see the Post Office on the right-too far). The Theatre is located at 21 S Potomac St - approx. 1 1/2 blocks.

#### *Washington*

I-495 to I-270 to Frederick. I-70 W from Frederick towards Hagerstown to Exit 32B (Hagerstown - Rt 40 W). Follow Rt. 40 W (Dual Hwy) past Clarion Hotel, Days Inn to the downtown area - 3.5 miles. Turn left onto N Potomac St at City Hall (if see the Post Office on the right-too far). The Theatre is located at 21 S Potomac St - approx. 1 1/2 blocks.

### **From West:**

#### *Cumberland*

I-68 E to Hancock. I-70 E at Hancock toward Hagerstown to Exit 32B (Hagerstown Rt. 40 W). Follow Rt. 40 W (Dual Hwy) past Clarion Hotel, Days Inn to the downtown area. Turn left at City Hall (if see the Post Office on the right-too far). The Theatre is located at 21 S Potomac St - approx. 1 1/2 blocks.



**From North:**

*Chambersburg, Carlisle, Harrisburg*

I-81 to Exit 6A (Hagerstown Rt. 40 E). Follow Rt. 40 E (Washington Ave becomes Washington St) to the downtown area. Turn right onto S Potomac St (High Rock Studios and Coffee shop on two corners). The Theatre is located at 21 S Potomac St on the right within the first block.

**Hagerstown Regional Airport**

Turn right when exiting the terminal (west) towards I-81. I-81 S to Exit 6A (Hagerstown Rt. 40 E).

Follow Rt. 40 E (Washington Ave becomes Washington St) to the downtown area. Turn right onto S Potomac St (High Rock Studios and Coffee shop on two corners). The Theatre is located at 21 S Potomac St on the right within the first block.

**From South:**

*Williamsport, Martinsburg, Winchester*

I-81 N to Exit 6A (Hagerstown Rt. 40 E). Follow Rt. 40 E (Washington Ave becomes Washington St) to the downtown area. Turn right onto S Potomac St (High Rock Studios and Coffee shop on two corners). The Theatre located at 21 S Potomac St on the right within the first block.