

## Your performance location:

Patriots Theater at The War Memorial in Trenton, NJ, 1 Memorial Drive, Trenton, NJ 08608

## 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 <u>absolute emergencies only</u> (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 Patriots Theater plan to arrive at least 30 minutes before curtain time. Doors open 30 minutes before curtain time.

<u>Seating</u>: Follow the instructions of the ushers and please make sure that your children fill every seat, not leaving any empties between them.

<u>Directions</u>: For more information, *please visit*: <a href="https://www.nj.gov/state/memorial/index.html">https://www.nj.gov/state/memorial/index.html</a>

From the North, take Route 1 to the Market Street Exit. Turn left at the traffic light onto Stockton Street. Turn right at the next traffic light onto Market Street. Turn right at the third traffic light onto South Broad Street. Turn left at the second street onto Lafayette Street. The War Memorial is at the end of the second block on the left.

From the South, take Route 29 to the Memorial Drive Exit. Drive past the War Memorial and left onto John Fitch Way, then left onto Warren Street and then left onto Lafayette Street, one block down on the left. Pull up to Police Officer or other buses in line.

<u>Dismissal</u>: Please note that due to a number of factors (i.e. if a show is sold out, day of show traffic, number of buses, road construction, the distance from the parking lot to the venue, bus drivers getting lost, etc), dismissal of school groups <u>may take up to an hour</u>, so please allow extra time for dismissal. The House Manager will dismiss the schools in the order that their buses arrive back to the theater.