



Your performance location:

The Concert Hall at George Mason University, Fairfax, VA.

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 Concert Hall at George Mason University, please plan to arrive at least 30 minutes before curtain time. Doors open approximately 30 minutes before curtain time.

If your party is arriving in multiple buses, and if the buses get separated, please have everyone stay on the bus until all the buses have arrived, and then as a group make your way over to the Concert Hall as a complete group. This helps to keep the school seated together and minimizes any confusion.

Directions: Please read in advance of the day of your performance.

- **Please inform Bus Drivers** they will be parking in the **back** of Lot K on the Mason Campus; utilizing either Roanoke River Road off of Braddock Road, or Mason Pond Drive off of Ox Road (Route 123). When entering campus on Roanoke River Road the entry into Lot K will be the **first left hand turn**. When entering campus on Mason Pond Drive the entry into Lot K will be the **first right hand turn** onto Global Lane which leads directly into the back of Lot K. Students may then exit the bus and walk across to the Concert **Hall utilizing marked pedestrian walk ways**. The same directions apply to departure. The pedestrian cross walk for Patriot Circle will be supervised by Mason Police to ensure the safety of the performance attendees during heavy traffic times on campus.
- If you have a **child/chaperone with a disability**, the bus can pull up to the front and unload those individuals plus an adult escort as needed.
- As the show is only an hour, drivers are asked to stay with the buses or to enter the Concert Hall Facility.
- **In inclement weather** the venue may decide to have drop off and pick up at the front of the hall. This is at the discretion of the venue. If this occurs, schools will be released individually by the stage. All groups are asked to remain in their seats till they are called to leave. Buses will be directed to go to the front of the hall on Mason Pond Drive by the police and Center Staff.

SEATING:



For seating, you must follow the instructions of the house staff at all times. Your group will not be seated until the entire group has arrived. PLEASE make sure that your children fill every seat, not leaving any empties between them.

PLEASE NOTE: THERE IS NO FACILITY TO EAT IN THE THEATER.

For further information [on directions](#), call (703) 993-8888, OR log on to www.gmu.edu/vcenter