

ARTT B252 Technical Theater 1: Stagecraft Tools and Techniques

Course Calendar

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AS OF: September 2, 2026

Date	Topic(s)	Assignment(s)
3-Sep	Introductions, Syllabus, Shop safety, Tour of the spaces	Read sections 1.0 through 1.4
10-Sep	Production process, theater architecture, reading drawings, using the scale ruler	Read section 3.3
17-Sep	Lighting instrument types and function, how to hang and focus	Dimension drawings for taping project
24-Sep	Ill Doots preview Lighting power and control, Hand and small power tools overview	Read sections 2.1 and 2.2
1-Oct	Close Up preview Tool practice 1	Reading assignment TBA
8-Oct	Taping/Layout project, Quiz #1, Tool practice 2	Read sections 2.3-2.6
15-Oct	Fall Break	
22-Oct	Construction materials and techniques	Read sections 2.8-2.10
29-Oct	Theater production work	
5-Nov	Theater production work	Read sections 3.1 and 3.2
12-Nov	Electricity and wiring project	Reading assignment TBA
19-Nov	Rigging and knots	Reading assignment TBA
26-Nov	Thanksgiving	
3-Dec	Sound system basics, equipment, and Qlab	
10-Dec	Rigging hands-on, Sound hands-on Quiz #2	