

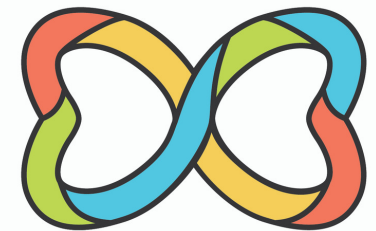
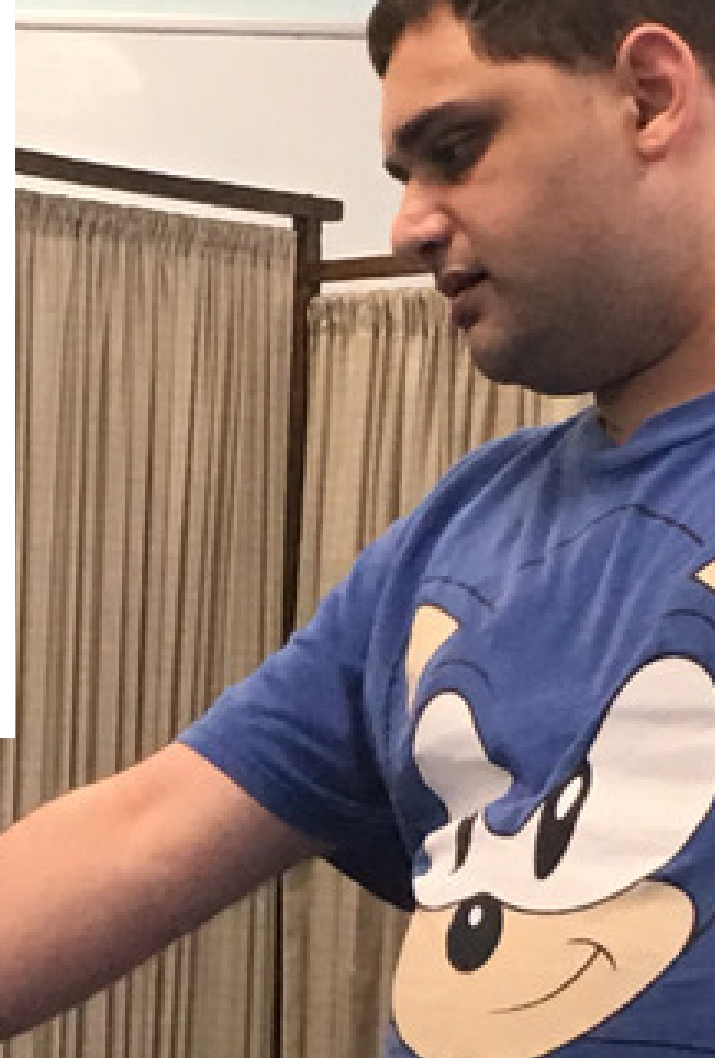
Everyone deserves a place in their community where they are safe, seen, accepted, loved and given opportunities to contribute.

The theatre provides a safe space for practicing the ability to self-advocate, follow and give directions, collaborate, create original material, and meet deadlines. These are skills that apply to all jobs, not just theatre.



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THEATRE
ON THE SPECTRUM

Empowering people to navigate the world through theatre!



Theatre on the Spectrum

If you have an ability or an interest in developing any of the following skills, the theatre could be a great place for you:

Acting, Designing Sets, Making and Maintaining Props and Costumes, Stage Makeup, Mask-making, Carpentry, Painting, Sewing, Operating Lights/Sound boards, Writing, Research, Stage Crew, Stage Management, Videography, Business skills (Box Office, Stage and House Management, Marketing and Publicity)

Sign up for two or more days per week.

We participate in community events, collaborate with guest artists and local universities, take field trips to local theater companies, and produce lunch hour theatre programs for touring throughout the area.



Program Hours:

10:30 AM – 3:30 pm Monday - Friday,
Contact your SSA from SummitDD to
arrange a tour.

For more information:

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Wendy S Duke, Program Director

BA & MA in Theatre Arts University of Akron,
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& Performing Arts in Akron for 22 years.

Jocelyn Laracuente - Program Assistant

An actor, director, and all-around theatre
practioner, with a BA in Theatre Arts,
Wittenberg University

Our Daily Schedule

10:15 - 10:30 AM — Arrive!
10:30 - 10:45 Daily Meeting
10:45 - 11:00 AM —Yoga,
Breathing, Movement
11:00 - 11:15 -- Voice/singing 11:15 -
11:30 --Break Time
11:30 - noon: Acting scenes
and monologues
Noon —12:30: lunch
12:30 - 1:00 pm: Walk the dog,
take out trash, pick up mail,
greet our neighbors!
1 PM - 2:00: Projects/Rehearsals
Mon - Individual research/create
Tues - Mask Work
Wed - Comedy
Thurs - Video production
Friday - Improv
2:00-2:15: Break Time
2:15- 3:00: Projects/Rehearsals
3:00 - 3:15: Clean Up
3:15- 3:30 PM — Depart!

