

Congratulations on taking your next theatrical adventure!



A few things you need to know before you get started



Can I copy the script?

Plays are copyright protected and can't be copied. Performance cast copies are required for each actor, director, stage manager, lighting and sound crew leader. Select either:

- E-cast copies which are sent by email or
- Hard cast copies which are printed on 3-hole punch paper so they're easily inserted into notebooks and sent via the mail.

What about royalty?

Buying a script does not give you permission to perform it, unless it's a non-royalty piece. Royalties are due when you perform for any audience, paying or non-paying, amateur or professional. Rates are listed online. Use the attached form for your convenience. Royalties are due two weeks before the show.

A penalty of over \$300 is assessed if royalties aren't paid.

How do I get permission to use music in our shows?

Write to the publisher for permission using the address on the sheet music. An ASCAP license does not give you permission to perform music. The benefit of using scripted musicals is that you don't have to write all of those permission letters!

Can I edit or re-write a play?

Plays must be performed as written. Any alterations, additions, or deletions to the text must be approved. If you need to adjust the show to meet community sensibilities for language use, sensuality, or gender roles, contact us.

Can I film or videotape a show?

You must get permission to produce, film, or record any event using ArtAge Publications' materials.

Returns? We do not accept returns, except for musical perusal copies.



Performance Checklist

- Set show dates.
- Purchase cast copies.
- Contact us or check the website for royalty rates.
- Fill in the royalty payment form on back.
- Royalties are payable two weeks prior to performance.
- Insert the permission statement (below) in the program & send us a copy.
"This performance has been made possible by ArtAge Senior Theatre Resource Center, 800-858-4998 • www.seniortheatre.com."

For more information on royalties, see our website. Other questions? We're happy to help you!

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Your Information

Date _____
 Name _____
 Organization _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Phone _____
 Email _____
 Website _____

Have a
Great Show ~
Break a Leg!



Performance Information

Name of Show(s) _____
 Number of Performances _____
 Show Locations _____
 Performance Dates _____
 Amount Per Show _____
 Total _____

Royalty is payable two weeks prior to show dates.
Submit this form with payment.



Payment Information

- Check
- Invoice
- Paypal request
- Credit Card (Visa/MC/Discover)

Credit Card Billing Address

Name on Card _____
 Card # _____
 Expires _____ CVV _____

Billing address same as above? If not, please provide (on right).



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