

# Unit: 7 Study of Musical Theatre Repertoire

Content Area: **Music**  
Course(s): **Concert Choir, Chamber Choir, Advanced Chamber Choir**  
Time Period: **March**  
Length: **5 weeks**  
Status: **Published**

## Enduring Understandings

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Refinement of basic vocal technique enhances various performances in various styles

The study of musical theater composers and their plays will serve as an understanding of music and drama

The repertoire of musical theater will expand choral opportunities

## Essential Questions

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What effects do vocal technique such as breathing, vowels, and diction have in vocal performance in various styles

How does music and drama relate in singing?

What repertoire is included in musical theater

## Content

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### Vocabulary:

composer

lyricist

score

Broadway Musical

## Skills

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Perform various musical theater vocal selections [adv]

Develop proper vocal technique

List various musicals and their composers

## Resources

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## Standards

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NJ: 2014 CCCS: Visual & Performing Arts

### **NJ: Grade 12**

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