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COURSES OF STUDY

ARTIST DEVELOPMENT

The business of music course is instructed by Van Taylor, well-known and respected musician and performer with over 35 years of experience in the entertainment industry, and owner of Van Taylor Productions, a publishing and production company. Van Taylor uses his real world examples and expertise to aid musicians in learning the basics of starting and expanding rewarding music careers. Artists will learn basics of professionalism, contract negotiation, copywriting and publishing, booking venues, general promotion, advertising, and much more. But first you need to ask yourself- What makes you think you've got what it takes?

GETTING STARTED

Learn what it takes to succeed as a top model! Students are trained by our industry professionals and learn by application of technique during our exciting classes. Our models leave the course with experience in stance and runway, proper posture, slate and copy, acting, improv, interviewing, etiquette, and body language. Along with these experiences students gain an extensive knowledge of image definition, health and nutrition, exercise, skin, hair, and nail care, make-up application, importance of networking, etiquette, resumes, comp cards, and headshots.

YOUNG MODELS PROGRAM

Our young models program is the perfect opportunity for younger children who would like to explore the exciting world of modeling and performance! New York Talent's warm and welcoming facility is the perfect venue for young children to learn the fundamentals of modeling in a safe environment. Our aim is to enhance self-confidence and improve basic skills such as proper posture, good nutrition, and clothing and hair styling. A short introduction to pageants is also included. At the end of the course our students leave with improved confidence levels in themselves and their ability to succeed in whatever they so choose to pursue!

PERFORMANCE WITHOUT BARRIERS

The performance without barriers course is intended for those who wish to learn the steps necessary to move forward from an amateur to a professional performer. During our course students gain confidence in themselves and their performance on and off-stage by practicing theatre games, improvisational skills, and characterization. Most importantly, our students leave with valuable business skills essential to any entertainer.