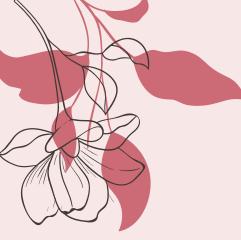


Pratima Khatri



Introduction

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Hello, I'm Pratima Khatri!

I am a junior at Pleasant Valley High School

Inducted Thespian of Troupe #856

Area of Interest: Advocacy



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My Theater Story

How I got into theater

Joined Drama Club in 6th grade Continued in Iowa during junior high



Schoolhouse Rock Live Jr (2020) *left*

> Spring Improv Night (2021) *right*





Troupe 856 Drama Awards 20-21 *left*

What I mainly do now

Acting in plays and musicals Student Emcee/Board Guy for Improv Officer Board

Costumes

- Head
- & Job

New & Old Officer Board Drama Awards 21-22 below





Rodgers and Hammerstein's Cinderella (2022) *above*

At work as a costume program aide *right*

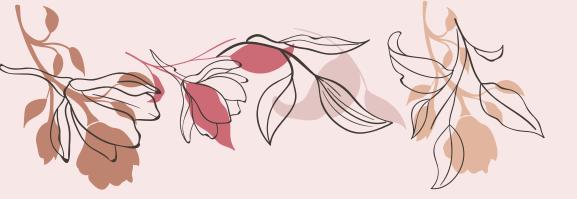




My STO Mission

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My goal as a State Thespian Officer is for the value of theater to become more known through the sharing of stories, including ones in which theater is used as an outlet for creative expression. Therefore, encouraging theater departments to build positive and safe spaces for all students to feel welcome and express themselves.



How Will This Be Achieved

Here's an analogy that better encompasses my mission

And will be used as an example for what I plan to accomplish as an STO

Dress for Success



Advocacy



Solace

Theater has become a place that I have found solace in A feat that others can achieve too!



Schools

Making it know to schools across the state that this is an important program to fund.



Publizes Stories

With the collaboration of the communications STO we could share their stories



Creative Outlet

Theater can be a great way for others to creatively express themselves Expressing the importance of theater through skills they have learned in theater



"The ache for home lives in all of us, the safe place where we can go as we are and not be questioned."

-Maya Angelou



Thanks!

Do you have any questions?

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