

## **Actor Headshot Guide**

A headshot is a distinct type of photographic portrait designed specifically to promote the person who is the subject of the headshot. Unlike a standard portrait that is designed to flatter the subject for aesthetic reason, the headshot is a commercial portrait carefully designed for self-promotion in your acting career. If you are an entertainer, business person, executive, or author you will find that a quality headshot is a vital part of your success.

When choosing your wardrobe for the commercial shoot consider neutral colors to bright colors that reflect the upbeat nature of the shot. The viewer of your headshot should feel warmth from your photo that compels them to want to know more about you.

Please wear a black dress/dress shirt or non-printed shirt on your photography day.

Your Theatrical Headshot Day will be held on Monday, October 14, 2018 or Tuesday, October 15, 2018 at 3:00PM. Your attendance is mandatory. This photo shoot will only take a few moments after school, see Mrs. Stone (HS Art Room) for more information.

This head shot will be placed in the Playbill and be showcased in our Grand Hall at the performance.