

# MAGEE MIDDLE SCHOOL



## Here at Magee students are offered Beginning/Intermediate and Advanced Theatre

- Students at all levels experience guest speakers and field trips to Centennial Hall, Pima College and U of A for productions, with backstage workshops.
- Advanced Students perform show(s) during the day for students and one evening for parents and guests in the spring.
- ALL students create, produce, and perform in a showcase in middle/end of year.
- Students explore and develop skills in the following areas:
  - Self-discipline
  - Improvisation
  - Acting/performance skills
  - Inspirational bell work/writing
  - Storytelling/writing
  - Staging/blocking
  - Core subject Integration
  - Collaboration and cooperation by creating scenes/skits
  - Ensemble work
  - Creative problem solving
  - Positively critique other's work
  - Practice being a respectful audience and appreciative of all arts



### Meet Ms. Anaya

- Ms. Anaya joined Magee 6 years ago to begin a Theatre Elective/Program.
- Prior, Ms. Anaya worked as a fine arts/theatre director at Utterback Fine Art's Magnet and holds degrees in Theatre and K-8 – all subjects from the U of A.
- Before beginning a middle school Theatre program, she taught ELA, SS, Math in middle school and elementary 6th grade all subjects during which time she taught tap dance and performed in Musicals and theatre in town.
- Ms. Anaya taught Drama at St. Gregory's Summer Arts Program for 14 years working with 2nd thru 6th graders directing culminating performance at Leo Rich Theatre.
- Ms. Anaya was recognized by the U of A as Theatre Teacher of the Year and mentored 8 student teachers.

