

Spotlight Guide 2020 - 2021

Little Shop of Horrors

Book & Lyrics by
Howard Ashman
Music by Alan Menken
Based on the film by
Roger Corman



The meek floral assistant Seymour Krelborn stumbles across a new breed of plant he names “Audrey II” – after his coworker crush. This saucy, R&B-singing carnivore promises unending fame and fortune to the down and out Seymour as long as he keeps feeding it... blood. Over time, though, Seymour discovers Audrey II’s out of this world origins and intent towards global domination!

Lesson Plan and Activities

Spectrum of Difference

Answer questions about the themes of the show by making a mark on the line between disagree and agree. The closer you are to either side, the more certain you are. Have friends and family also make marks.

Write a Review

After seeing the production, have each student write a review of Orlando Shakes’ production of *Little Shop of Horrors*.

Discussion & Themes

How do the social values, virtues and vices of the 1960s compare with today?

See the full study guide for expanded lesson plan and activities.

Florida Standards

TH.912.O.1.4
TH.912.S.2.8
TH.912.C.1.6
TH.912.H.2.8
TH.912.S.1.1
TH.912.S.2.3

LA.1112.1.7.2
LA.91112.1.7.3
LA.1112.2.1.2
LA.1112.2.1.5
LA.1112.2.1.7

DA.912.C.2.1
DA.912.C.2.4
MU.912.C.1.1
MU.912.C.2.2
MU.912.C.3.1
MU.912.H.2.3



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Violence, Blood and Gore, Crude Humor, Suggestive Themes, Abusive Relationships

Most appropriate for Grade 8 and up. Children under 5 will not be admitted to the theater.