

Annual Survey of the School Repertory

(Dramatic, October 2016)

The most-produced plays in American high schools for the 2015-16 school year.

Top ten musicals

1. *The Addams Family* by Marshall Brickman, Rick Elice, and Andrew Lippa
2. *Mary Poppins* by the Sherman Brothers, George Stiles, Anthony Drewe, and Julian Fellowes
3. *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee* by William Finn and Rachel Sheinkin

...but *'The Little Mermaid'* keeps her head above water

4. *Cinderella* by Richard Rodgers, Oscar Hammerstein II, and Douglas Carter Beane
5. *Legally Blonde* by Nell Benjamin, Laurence O'Keefe, and Heather Hach
6. (tie) *Grease* by Jim Jacobs, Warren Casey, and John Farrar
6. (tie) *Into the Woods* by Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine

6. (tie) *The Little Mermaid* by Alan Menken, Howard Ashman, Glenn Slater, and Doug Wright
9. *Little Shop of Horrors* by Alan Menken and Howard Ashman
10. (tie) *Beauty and the Beast* by Alan Menken, Howard Ashman, Tim Rice, and Linda Woolverton
10. (tie) *High School Musical* (various writers)

Top ten full-length plays

1. *Almost, Maine* by John Cariani
2. *A Midsummer Night's Dream* by William Shakespeare
3. *Servant of Two Masters* by Carlo Goldoni
4. *Twelfth Night* by William Shakespeare
5. *You Can't Beat the House* by Pat Cook
6. *The Odd Couple* by Neil Simon
7. *Arsenic and Old Lace* by Joseph Kesselring
8. *The Brothers Grimm Spectaculathon* by Don Zolidis
9. (tie) *The Crucible* by Arthur Miller

9. (tie) *Rabbit Hole* by David Lindsay-Abaire

Top ten short plays

1. *The Show Must Go On* by Laurence Klavan
2. *Our Place* by Terry Gabbard
3. *Check Please* by Jonathan Rand
4. *Oh, What a Tangled Web* by John R. Carroll
5. *The Audition* by Don Zolidis
6. (tie) *Sorry, Wrong Number* by Lucille Fletcher
6. (tie) *The Thomas Paine Panther* by T.J. Walsh
8. *The Role of Della* by John Wooten
9. *The 9 Worst Breakups of All Time* by Ian McWethy
10. (tie) *13 Ways to Screw Up Your College Education* by Ian McWethy
10. (tie) *Booby Trap* by Ed Monk
10. (tie) *Superheroes* by Ian McWethy