

## **ADB/ATU 3M: Music Theatre Den – Creating a Musical**

The following is an outline for the delivery and execution of the culminating activity.

**GOAL:** To develop an original musical and pitch the idea to others

### **The Process**

In groups of 6 – 8, students will:

- Decide a topic
- Begin to fill out Brainstorming sheet (see BLM #12)
- Create an outline of an original musical
- Create two songs (length and structure is at the teacher's discretion)
- Create one or more dance selections (length and structure is at the teacher's discretion)
- Create one or more scenes (monologue or short scene is acceptable, again at the teacher's discretion)
- Create one piece of marketing that reflects your musical e.g. poster, commercial, program, etc.
- Assign roles for each member of the group (artistic director, choreographer, writer, producer, etc.)
- Present your musical overview to your peers and teacher as if selling your 'product' to a musical theatre company for production.

### **Reflection**

Provide students with BLM #13 Theatre Den – Reflection sheet. Provide students with time to complete this assignment in class or at home. This will help you determine how effectively the groups are working, so the earlier you get this, the better.