

Academic Department/Division
Diversity Report Executive Summary

1. Name of Department/Division

Reichenberger Department of Fine Arts

2. Academic Year of Report

Fall 2022-Spring 2023

3. Faculty/Staff extra-curricular or co-curricular activities involving or supporting Diversity and Inclusiveness

- Alva Mural Society Board
- Waynoka Historical Society
- Mr. Jordan recommended, designed, choreographed, costumed, and created all scenic aspects of the musical production of Zombie Prom in the fall of 2022. This work featured characters who dealt with segregation and being a social outcast in the historical setting of the 50s during the Cold War

4. Diversity activities in the Classroom

- The Theatre History II course covers a broad canon of theatrical literature works on a global scale.
- Mr. Jordan uses videos, recordings, and primary sources to allow students to experience the diverse nature of the theatre art form.
- The schedule of plays required to be read and reflected upon by the students is listed in the syllabus.

5. Department activities pursuing Diversity and Inclusion

- Auditions for all ensembles (band, choir, and theatre) are open to all students.
- Advertisements for the Reichenberger Department of Fine Arts are carefully created to represent the diversity of our students.
- Visual Arts regularly provides prompts that encourages students to reflect and synthesize the values and beliefs of themselves and others.
- The choirs and bands program music from a diverse background and heritage.
- Theatre often chooses literature that highlights social awareness and political viewpoints.