

ACTIVITY GUIDE

Tyler Michaels - Theater

Objectives: Tyler Michaels, known for his physical, scene-stealing roles, has graced many Twin Cities stages. Learn about the life and goals of a young actor and reflect on your goals.

Tools/Resources: Shoebox/Cardboard box, paper, scissors, glue, markers, and colored paper



Video Clip: <http://www.tpt.org/mn-original/episode/tyler-michaels/>

Activity

- 1) Watch the segment and discuss:
 - a. How has Tyler Michaels worked to achieve his goals?
 - b. What surprised you most about the life of a working actor?
- 2) What do you value as achievement in your life?
 - a. Is it an award, a piece of art you created, a story you've written?
 - b. What obstacles did you have to overcome to reach your goal?
- 3) Tyler's mom has kept a "stardom" box of past playbills, newspaper clippings and images from his years in the theater. Create your own "stardom" box.
 - a. Decorate the outside with words and drawings that reflect your goals.
 - b. What are you able to put in there now and what are hoping to include in the future?