**Theater Appreciation TA 147**

**World Theater Assignment**

Chapter Assignments: Online text chapter 9 and Moodle resources under World Theater

Define the following with a full answer. Do not be brief, you will not receive full credit.

Review Chapter 9: World Theater in order to answer:

1. The Mahabharata and Ramayana
2. Parsi Theater
3. Bollywood

**Essay Questions:**

1. What are the three prominent forms of theater in Japan that we covered in class?
   1. **List the characteristics** of each of these 3 forms of theater.
2. What are the characteristics of Chinese Opera?
3. As you reflect on the previous weeks and the types of theater we have discussed in class, consider what you have learned about theater in Japan and Chinese Opera and the similarities found in Western types of theater.

Now, list those similarities between Western theater with those in Japan and China – you must find at least five similarities and thoroughly describe in order to receive full points.