Audition Video Instructions for the Performing Arts Scholarship Application

Applicants should submit a link to <u>only one, brief video of their strongest skill (1-4 minutes)</u>. Please refer to the discipline-specific guidelines below:

- Acting: two contrasting monologues (e.g. drama & comedy or classical & contemporary).
- Dance: a choreographed piece or solo dance performance. All genres, styles and techniques of dance are welcome.
- Music: an individual performance or a solo within a larger performance. For Original or Self-Produced Music: please include a recording of a song/piece you wrote, arranged, or produced.
- Musical Theatre: a performance that includes both acting and singing. Acting should be one monologue; the song should be about a minute in length. Dance may be included in the performance.
- Technical Production: a brief recorded video statement that demonstrates something you created, constructed, programmed or engineered for the theatre. We are interested to know your process as well as the final product. Please include a list of equipment and materials you used, paperwork tracked, final works created, and a summary of skills and experiences. Alternatively, you may submit a recording of a narrated slide presentation showing examples of your designed and/or created works.
- **Circus Arts/Aerial Arts**: a choreographed routine or solo performance. All genres, styles and techniques of circus/aerial arts are welcome.

Your video should be at least 1 minute but no longer than 4 minutes long. It does not need to be a professional or studio recording. You may use any recording equipment, including a smartphone or tablet, as long as we can see and hear you clearly.

Your video should be accessible via a YouTube (preferred) or Vimeo link. Please make sure the sharing permissions for your video link on either platform are set to "public". For YouTube: YouTubeStudio > Content > Visibility > Public > Save. For Vimeo: Privacy settings > Link Privacy > Public or Anyone with the Link > Save.

Submissions in American Sign Language (ASL) are welcome!

Material you perform may be created, choreographed, written, synthesized or composed by you. Your video can be an excerpt from a recorded performance or a video filmed for the audition or a combination, as long as the total video time does not exceed 4 minutes.

If your video includes a group performance, please specify who you are and what you are performing in a description of the video (e.g. vocal soloist, electric bass part, dancer stage right, actor playing character in title of play/musical).