Enrichment Programs

SCAPA Lafayette **Updated November 2026**

For additions or updates, contact Mr. Marsh

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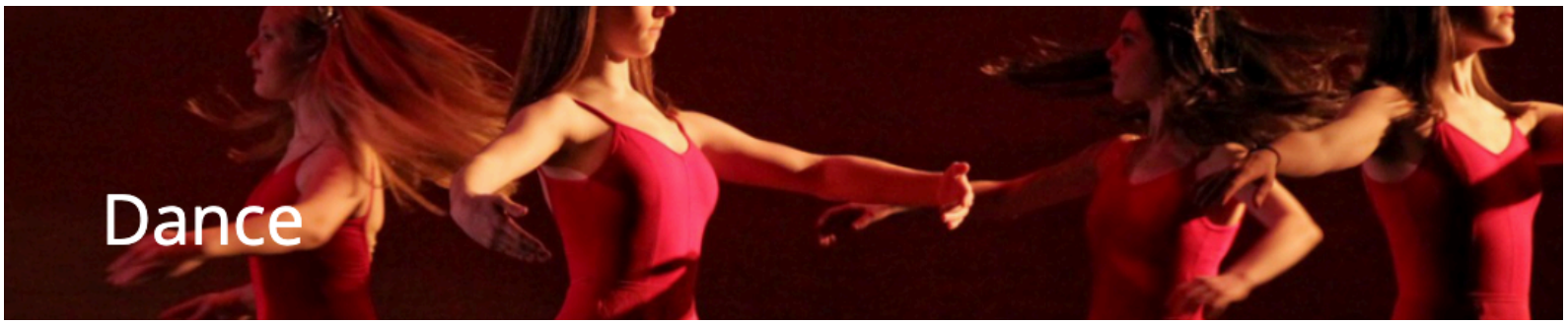

Butler Ballet Summer Intensive (Indianapolis)
Ages 13-18. March 1 deadline. Tuition: Yes
https://www.butlerartspresents.org/camps/butler-ballet-summer-intensive/

Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts Dance
Audition/Selection/Invitation only. Grades: 10 and 11th grade only. Tuition: Free
https://www.kentuckyperformingarts.org/education/governors-school-for-the-arts

Louisville Ballet Summer Intensive
Several intensive session options. Ages 12+. Tuition/Housing: Yes.
https://www.thelouisvilleballetschool.org/intensive

Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music (CCM)
Ballet Intensive. Ages 14-18. 1 or 2 week options. Tuition: Yes
https://ccm.uc.edu/arts4all/summer/teen-programs.html

University of Kentucky Summer Dance Intensive
May 1 Deadline. Ages 14-18. 1 intensive. Tuition: Yes
https://finearts.uky.edu/theatre-dance/summer-dance-intensive

Indiana University Jacobs School Ballet Intensive
Ages 13-18. Tuition: Yes
https://jacobsacademy.indiana.edu/descriptions/dance-intensives.html

Interlochen (Michigan)
Dance. Applications: December 1. Tuition: Yes
https://www.interlochen.org/summer-arts-camp

NYU Tisch High School Residential Program (New York, KY)
Dance. Application Deadline: June 1.
https://tisch.nyu.edu/special-programs

University of Michigan MPulse
Dance. Applications now open. Tuition: Yes
https://smtd.umich.edu/engagement-outreach/youth-programs/mpulse/



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Asbury University: ImpactU
Film/Residential. Grades: 9-12. Dates not yet announced for 2027. Tuition? Yes
https://www.asbury.edu/life/conferences-camps/impactu/

Ironwood Writers Studio
Creative Writing Summer Camp. Grades: 9 through 12th. Tuition: Yes Applications: Early 2027
https://www.kentuckyperformingarts.org/education/governors-school-for-the-arts

Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts Writing
Audition/Selection/Invitation only. Grades: 10 and 11th grade only. Tuition: No Applications: Mid-January
https://www.kentuckyperformingarts.org/education/governors-school-for-the-arts

Murray State University: Young Author's Camp
Creative writing. Grades: 8-12. Tuition: Yes. Dates not yet announced for 2027. Applications typically due in May.
https://www.murraystate.edu/academics/care/Noncredit/youthprograms/youngauthorscamp.aspx

Western Kentucky University: VAMPY
Writing/Residential - based on qualifying ACT or SAT scores. Dates not yet announced for 2027. Grades: 8-10. Tuition: Yes https://www.wku.edu/gifted/vampy/

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Interlochen: High School Creative Writing Summer Program
Residential/creative writing. Grades: 9-12. Tuition? Yes. Application deadline Jan 15.
http://camp.interlochen.org/program/creative-writing/hs/summer

Interlochen: High School Screenwriting Summer Program
Residential/creative writing. Grades: 9-12. Tuition? Yes. Application deadline Jan 15.
http://camp.interlochen.org/program/mpa/hs/screenwriting

Iowa Young Writers Studio
Residential/creative writing. Grades: 9-12. Tuition? Yes. Applications due early February.
https://iyws.clas.uiowa.edu/

NYU Tisch High School Residential Program (New York, KY)
Dramatic Writing, Filmmaking. Application Deadline: June 1.
https://tisch.nyu.edu/special-programs

Summer at Georgetown University: Creative Writing Academy
Creative Writing/Residential and Journalism/Residential. Grades: 9-12. Dates not yet announced. Tuition? Yes
https://summer.georgetown.edu/programs/SHS07/creative-writing-academy

University of Texas-Austin: Radio, Television and Film Camps
Both Virtual and Residential. Grades: 9-12. Tuition: Yes
https://rtf.utexas.edu/camps

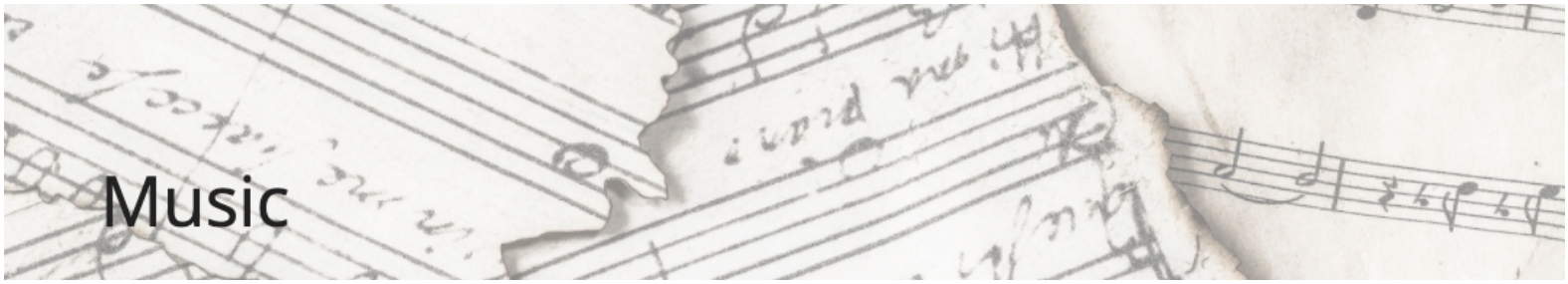
The New York Times Summer Academy
Writing/residential. Grades: 9-12. Tuition?: Yes. Application Due: March 31.
https://nytedu.com/pre-college/summer-academy/nyc/

Sewanee Young Writers Conference
Creative Writing/Residential. Grades: 9-12. Tuition?: Yes. Application open Dec 1.
https://new.sewanee.edu/sywc/

VIRTUAL

Princeton Summer Journalism
Audition/Selection/40 Participants. Grades: 9-12. Tuition?: No
https://psjp.princeton.edu/about-program/program/summer-program

Write the World Virtual Writing Camp
Virtual/Writing. Grades: 9-12. Tuition?: Yes. Dates not yet announced.
Website: https://writetheworldworkshops.com/



IN STATE (KY)

EKU Foster Music Camp (Richmond, KY)
MS & HS Band, strings, piano, choir, world percussion, guitar. Tuition: Yes/Financial Aid. Apps: April 15.
https://fostercamp.org

KYACDA Summer Conservatory (Lexington, KY)
For future music educators. Grades 10-12. (2-days At UK). Application due May.
https://www.kyacda.org/scc.html

Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts Music
Applications Due in early January. Audition/Selection/Invitation only. Gr: 10 and 11 only. Tuition: Free
https://www.kentuckyperformingarts.org/education/governors-school-for-the-arts

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American Songbook Academy (Carmel, Indiana)
National summer intensive for HS singers who have an interest in classic Broadway, jazz and popular music. Applications open in October.
https://thesongbook.org/programs/the-songbook-academy/

Baldwin Wallace Conservatory Summer Institute (Ohio)
Choral, wind, percussion, string, keyboard (Choir students can choose a Music Theatre emphasis)
Grades 9-12. Audition recording due May 1. Tuition: Yes. Applications due in May.
https://www.bw.edu/community/summer-camps/

Boston Conservatory at Berklee (MA)
Dance, Music, Theatre. Ages 15-18. Tuition: Yes. Registration in January.
https://bostonconservatory.berklee.edu/summer

Brevard Music Center Summer Institute (Brevard, North Carolina)
Info: Orchestra, Piano, Jazz, Composition, Classical Guitar, Sax, Low Brass, Voice (Classical & Theatre)
Audition. Tuition: YES, Limited scholarships. Applications open November 1.
Website: https://www.brevardmusic.org/institute/high-school/

Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music (CCM)
Band, Choir, Emerging Composers, Ballet, Jazz, Musical Theatre, voice: 1 or 2 week options.
https://ccm.uc.edu/arts4all/summer.html

Indiana Jacobs School of Music Academy (Bloomington)
Dance, Band, Winds, Guitar, Strings, Brass, Jazz, Orch, Perc, Organ, Piano, Voice, Composition.
https://jacobsacademy.indiana.edu/

Interlochen (Michigan)
Film & New Media, Interdisciplinary Arts, Music, Theatre, Application/Audition: Oct 1-Jan 15. Tuition: Yes
https://www.interlochen.org/summer-arts-camp

Music for All Summer Symposium (Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana)
Drum Majors, Marching Band, Color Guard, Perc., Music Production, **Leadership Weekend**. Tuition: Yes.
https://camp.musicforall.org/ - Registration now open.

NYU Tisch High School Residential Program (New York, KY)
Production & Design, and Recorded Music. Application Deadline: June 1.
https://tisch.nyu.edu/special-programs

Oberlin Conservatory Summer Program (Ohio)
Ages 15+: Winds, opera, organ, piano, brass, viola. Tuition: Yes. Application dates vary by division.
https://www.oberlin.edu/summer-programs

Schmidt Vocal Institute (Miami University, Oxford, OH)
Two-week intensive residential summer program that gives young singers opportunities to participate in master classes and coachings with world-renowned artists. Also year-round events. Applications now open.
https://schmidtvocalarts.org/

Tanglewood Institute at Boston University
For Instrumentalists, Singers & Composers. Ages 14-20. Tuition: Yes. Applications due Mid-January.
https://www.bu.edu/mysummer/arts/tanglewood-institute

University of Michigan MPulse (Ann Arbor)
Strings, Winds, Jazz, Percussion, Vocal Arts. Tuition: Yes. Applications open in Oct.
https://smtd.umich.edu/programs-degrees/youth-adult-programs/youth-programs/mpulse/

Washington National Opera Institute (Washington D.C.)
High school voice students. Application deadline early-mid February. Tuition: Yes. Limited scholarships.
https://www.kennedy-center.org/artists/w/wa-wn/-wno-opera-institute-at-american-university/



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Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts Theatre
Applications Due in early January. Audition/Selection/Invitation only. Gr: 10 and 11 only. Tuition: Free
https://www.kentuckyperformingarts.org/education/governors-school-for-the-arts

The Lexington Theatre Company.
Technical Theatre Internships and Performance Opportunities
https://www.lexingtontheatrecompany.org/adp-26-27

Lexington Children's Theatre
Summer Family Musical: Performance and Tech opportunities
https://www.lctonstage.org/for-artists/auditions/ | https://www.lctonstage.org/theatre-school/

Lexington Children's Theatre
Summer Apprenticeships
https://www.lctonstage.org/ | https://www.lctonstage.org/theatre-school/

Woodford Theatre
Summer Workshops and Performances
https://www.woodfordtheatre.com/

International Thespian Festival at Indiana University (Louisville)
See 2 mainstage shows/day, participate in workshops, audition for colleges. Tuition: Yes. Reg. opens in Feb.
https://itf.schooltheatre.org/

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Baldwin Wallace (Berea, Ohio)
Music Theatre Camp **(Grades 4-9**). Tuition: Yes. Applications now open.
https://www.bw.edu/community/summer-camps/

Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music (CCM)
Musical Theatre Workshop: 1 or 2 week options. Registration now open.
https://ccm.uc.edu/arts4all/summer/teen-programs.html

Interlochen (Michigan)
Film & New Media, Interdisciplinary Arts, Visual Art. Applications: Oct 1-Jan 15/Auditions. Tuition: Yes
https://www.interlochen.org/summer-arts-camp

NEXUS @ Texas State (San Marcos, TX)
Musical Theatre Intensive. Entering grades 9-12. Audition submission due March 1. Tuition: Yes.
Dates not yet announced for 2027.
https://www.theatreanddance.txst.edu/theatre/summer-camps/texas-state-theatre-camp.html

Northwestern University Cherubs (Chicago, IL)
Theatre Arts, Film and Video, and Debate. Mid-March Application Deadline. Tuition: Yes.
https://nhsi.northwestern.edu/

NYU Tisch High School Residential Program (New York, KY)
Drama, Dramatic Writing, Filmmaking, Screenwriters Workshop. Application Deadline: June 1.
https://tisch.nyu.edu/special-programs

Oklahoma City University Pre-College Intensive
3-week residential program. Application/Audition window: Nov 15-Jan 15. Tuition: Yes
https://www.okcu.edu/admissions/admissions-events/summer-camps/ocu-summer-music-programs

Open Jar Studios Summer Intensives (New York City)
High intensity workshops in acting, singing, dance and audition techniques. Audition required. Tuition: Yes
https://www.openjarinstitute.com/summer-intensives

Penn State (University Park, PA)
Entering 11th & 12th grades. Tuition: Yes. Applications due March 1.
https://arts.psu.edu/academics/school-of-theatre/state-musical-theatre-summer-program

University of Michigan MPulse (Ann Arbor)
Musical Theatre, Theatre & Design Production, Theatre & Drama. Nov application window. Tuition: Yes
https://smtd.umich.edu/programs-degrees/youth-adult-programs/youth-programs/mpulse/



IN STATE

Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts Dance
Applications Due in early January. Audition/Selection/Invitation only. Gr: 10 and 11 only. Tuition: Free
https://www.kentuckyperformingarts.org/education/governors-school-for-the-arts

Living Arts and Science Center (Lexington)
Tuition: Yes, scholarships, and payment plans
https://www.lasclex.org/

Art Center of the Bluegrass (Danville)
Tuition: Yes, scholarships, and payment plans
https://artcenterky.square.site/youth-programs

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Interlochen (Michigan)
Film & New Media, Interdisciplinary Arts, Visual Art. Applications: Oct 1-Jan 15/Auditions. Tuition: Yes
https://www.interlochen.org/visual-arts/camp-programs

Northwestern University Cherubs Visual Art (Chicago)
Film and Video. Mid-March Application Deadline. Tuition: Yes.
https://nhsi.northwestern.edu/film-video-program/

NYU Tisch High School Residential Program (New York, KY)
Animation, Game Design, Photography & Imaging, Production & Design. Application Deadline: June 1.
https://tisch.nyu.edu/special-programs



General Interest

Governor's Scholars Program
Applications due in early January. Tuition: Free
https://gsp.ky.gov/

WKU Center for Gifted Students
Grades 3-10. Verbal and Math camp. Qualifying ACT score.
https://www.wku.edu/gifted/ | https://www.wku.edu/gifted/vampy/

Morehead Craft Academy
Math Strong & Build Strong Engineering Camps. Tuition: Free
https://moreheadstate.edu/academics/colleges/craft-academy/stemx/

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY:

The **Anthony Quinn Foundation Scholarship** provides financial support to high school students to attend **recognized summer intensive arts programs of their choice**. Scholarships are available to students across artistic disciplines, including visual arts, theater, dance, music, film/media, literary arts, and more. The scholarship can help students deepen their skills, explore their artistic interests, and take the next step in their creative development.

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Important dates:

Applications open: October 1
Registration deadline: November 30
Application deadline: January 5, 2027
aqfoundation.org/scholarships

The AQF Scholarship is a competitive program. Applications are reviewed by an independent panel of professional artists and art educators, with awards based on artistic talent, dedication, and commitment to personal artistic growth.