

TEEN SPOT

Create. Express. Connect.

Summer Arts Intensive, 2009

Performing & Visual Arts Program for Youth, ages 12-17

Classes meet daily for 5 weeks

July 7-August 6, 2008

Monday – Thursday

Morning Session 10am-12pm: Students may enroll in one workshop. Enrollment fee: \$130*

Afternoon Session 1pm-4pm: Students may enroll in one workshop. Enrollment fee: \$180*

Full Day Session 10am-4pm: Students may enroll in one or two workshops. Enrollment fee: \$300*

**Program fees are subsidized by public and private funds*

Only 60 students will be accepted! Register Today!

✦ See exhibitions & shows in NYC ✦ Learn what it takes to have a career in the arts

✦ Meet professional artists ✦ Exhibit and perform your work at a final event

VISUAL ARTS

Build your own portfolio of paintings, sculptures, drawings, clay, and mixed media projects. Dabble or delve in the studio and explore materials and styles through sketchbook exercises and individual and group activities.

THEATER

Perform a contemporary version of a classical play on stage! Gain skills in acting, directing, and script-writing. Learn to project your voice, move, and be a star in the theater world.

DANCE *Beginning and Advanced Levels*

Perform your own original choreography in Modern, Ballet, Hip Hop, African, and Jazz. Build endurance and practice techniques necessary to become a dancer and choreographer.

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- Call Ms. Alex at (718) 658-7400 x112 or email ajulien@jcal.org for information.
 - **Non-refundable registration fee of \$50 applies for applications received after May 22.**
 - **Applications will be accepted until June 15.**
 - **A completed application does not guarantee acceptance. Incomplete applications will not be considered.**
 - Preference will be given to past students with a good track record.
 - Orientation will be held on the first day of class.
 - Experience in the arts is not required.
 - Dance Students- uniform dress required for participation. Details will be sent upon acceptance.
 - Programs and scheduling are subject to change.

Date Application Received:	Init:
Method of Payment:	Init:
Amount Paid:	Init:
Date of Acceptance:	Init:

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Please fill out ALL of the information in ink and print clearly.

Information

Name: _____ (Circle) Male / Female

Address: _____ Apt#: _____ Age _____ D.O.B. ____/____/____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Home Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____ Student Cell phone: _____

Parent / Guardian Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Work Phone: _____ Parent Cell phone: _____

E-mail address: _____

School Information

School Name (or GED program): _____ Grade you are going into: _____

City: _____

Do you have any other commitments during the week that would prevent you from attending or arriving to Teen Spot on time? If so, please explain:

Please number the classes you would like to take in preference order from 1-3: *If you are accepted to the program, we will try to honor your preference, but we cannot guarantee your first choice. Preference will be given based upon experience and age.*

<p>Morning/Full Day Session 10am-12pm</p> <p>Dance _____ choice</p> <p>Theater _____ choice</p> <p>Visual Arts _____ choice</p>	<p>Afternoon/Full Day Session 1pm-4pm</p> <p>Dance _____ choice</p> <p>Theater _____ choice</p> <p>Visual Arts _____ choice</p>
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For First Time Students Only:

1. What expectations do you have for the program? Please describe 3 things that you would like to learn at Teen Spot.

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____

2. Arriving to class on time is important; how will you travel **to** and **from** JCAL, and **when** will you arrive?

3. How did you hear about Teen Spot? If you were referred by someone please write his/her full name.

4. Do you consider yourself “college bound”? Why or why not?

5. ESSAY: Mandatory for first time students (Minimum 100 words. Please use a separate sheet of paper)

Why are you applying to the Teen Spot Program? Please tell us about yourself: What inspires you? What arts-related programs or projects have you participated in the past? Please describe your goals for the future or an experience that motivated you into the arts.

6. Submit your work: (Suggested for first time students)

We’d like to see anything creative that you’ve done in the past. Please submit work along with your application to the education department, Attn. “Teen Spot” at the address below. Work can include sketchbooks, journals, CD’s, videos, photographs, essays, poetry, or bios. All work will be returned.

For Returning Students Only:

Which classes did you attend in the past?

Example: Dance, Summer, 2008

Class	Semester	Year

1. What is your favorite thing about Teen Spot?

2. What did you learn that you didn’t know before?

3. What do you want to learn about, or what skills would you like to learn?

4. Why do you want to return to Teen Spot this semester?

5. How can Teen Spot change or improve on the program to make it better?



Consent Form

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Welcome to the Teen Spot program at Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning.

As part of the JCAL community, the emotional and physical well-being of your child is our highest priority. JCAL upholds to provide your child:

- Supervision by JCAL staff while in the JCAL facility and outside during field trips
- Modeling of mutual respect amongst your child, their peers, and all JCAL staff
- Safety precautions and proper emergency protocols for each classroom

Health Protocols***

Health/Physical Concerns: _____

Learning needs: _____

Please state if your child has any special learning needs, health concerns or physical restrictions that we should be aware of and list any medication that he or she is currently taking. (For example: asthma, ADHD, autism, physical handicap, etc.)

***We do not exclude students from Teen Spot based upon their physical or learning needs, but we must be aware of them in order to insure the best learning environment for your child.

Emergency Contact Information

In case of an emergency, the primary parent or guardian will always be called first. Please state where to contact the primary parent or guardian during the Teen Spot program, Monday – Thursday, from 9:30am-4:30pm:

Primary Contact Information:

First/Last Name: _____ Phone number: _____

Alternate Emergency Contact

First/Last Name: _____ Relationship to student: _____ Phone number: _____

I understand and am in agreement with all the rules and regulations of the program which include workshops, performances, lectures, exhibitions and off site trips via walking and/or subway. I (we) hereby give my (our) child _____ permission to participate in the JCAL (Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning) **Summer Arts Intensive, 2009 Teen Spot program**. I understand that if my child violates any rule of the program this could result in his/her discharge from this program. I (we) hereby release Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning and any of its employees from responsibility for any claims, damages, expenses or injuries including death, which might occur to my child or others through participation in any of the activities associated with Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning. I understand that JCAL is not responsible for the whereabouts of my child if he/she chooses not to attend class and is not in the JCAL facilities.

I hereby give Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning, its successors and assigns, my unrestricted permission to use any videotape or still photographs taken of my (our) child for the purpose of publicity and/or documentation and related to printed materials created by or for the interest, marketing, or promotion of the Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning and its programs which may include workshops, performances, lectures or exhibitions.

I have thoroughly read the application, acceptance letter, guidelines and video/photo release clause.

Print Name of Parent/Guardian _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Print Student's Name _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Signatures are required in order to participate.

Dear Parent:

As you know, the Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning is a 37-year-old non-profit arts center that provides a variety of visual arts, education, and performing arts programs. Thanks to funding from the government and private foundations and businesses, JCAL is able to offer these exciting programs, including Teen Spot, at a minimal cost. As a condition for receiving funding, these organizations require that we collect information from our constituents for reporting purposes.

We urge you to fill out this survey and help keep JCAL and Teen Spot's funding flowing. All surveys will be kept confidential and the information included will not be used to determine eligibility for Teen Spot. We understand that your time is precious and truly appreciate your willingness to complete this survey.

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Student Demographics Survey

Student Ethnicity

Asian ____ Black/African American ____ Hispanic/Latino ____ Native American ____

White/ Non-Hispanic ____ Other (please specify) _____


Annual Household Income

Under 10,000 ____ 10,000-20,000 ____ 20,000 – 30,000 ____ 30,000 - 40,000 ____ 40,000 – 50,000 ____

50,000 - 60,000 ____ 60,000 – 80,000 ____ 80,000-100,000 ____ Over 100,000 ____

Parent Education

High School Graduate ____ GED ____ Some College ____ College Graduate ____ Other _____

 Jamaica Center for Arts & Learning is accessible for individuals with limited mobility. For more information, call (718) 658-7400 or email info@jcal.org.

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