# Registration

#### Please register by Friday, November 3, 2017.

Online registration available at https://goo.gl/forms/crNoXdbUo53Ykk9r1

or Please mail completed registration forms to: School of the Arts Attn: Mario Belculfine Assistant Principal for the Arts 45 Prince Street Rochester, NY 14607

Student Name

Parent/Guardian Name

Mailing Address Line 1

Mailing Address Line 2

Parent/Guardian Phone Number

Parent/Guardian Email Address

Please rank your top four workshops in order of preference. Workshop descriptions are listed inside this brochure.

First Choice Workshop

Second Choice Workshop

Third Choice Workshop

Fourth Choice Workshop

# Saturday of the Arts

School of the Arts invites you to join us for our Open House, Saturday of the Arts. Saturday of the Arts will provide a hands-on, interactive experience in the arts for current 6th grade students. Students will have the opportunity to participate in three arts workshops taught by School of the Arts faculty, and learn how to best prepare for their audition in January. There will also be performances taking place as well as artwork/displays/demonstrations throughout the morning for all to enjoy.

#### Schedule:

Registration 9:30 – 10:00 Opening Session 10:00 – 10:20 Workshop 1 – 10:30 – 11:10 Workshop 2 – 11:20 – 12:00 Workshop 3 – 12:10 – 12:50 Parent Information Sessions, Performances, Displays, & Demonstrations – 10:30 – 12:50





School of the Arts cordially invites you to Saturday of the Arts Saturday, November 18, 2017



# Workshop Descriptions

#### Band

Bring your instrument! Be prepared to play in a band rehearsal setting that will include scales, warmups, and sheet music. This workshop will cover concert band and jazz band repertoire. Percussionists may participate in a separate rehearsal to review technique and various styles. January 2018 audition requirements as well as audition repertoire will be discussed during the workshop.

## Choir

Students will participate in a choir rehearsal and learn a song together. Students will be exposed to vocal techniques and repertoire pertaining to the January audition. Copies of music and audition material will be available.

## **Creative Writing - Fiction**

Students will brainstorm ideas and write short imaginative fiction during this workshop. Prompts and ideas will be offered to write your own short fiction of any genre (science fiction, fantasy, horror, romance, mystery, action/adventure, realism, etc.)

## **Creative Writing - Performance Poetry**

Students will brainstorm ideas and write their own slam and/or spoken word poetry. Students will be expected to read and "perform" their own slam/spoken word poems during the workshop--so come ready to write and speak! Models and prompts will be offered in the workshop to help students learn how to write a successful slam or performance poetry piece.

# **Creative Writing - Playwriting**

Students interested in writing short scenes or plays for the theatrical stage will write their own original scripts. Workshop models and prompts will be given during the session to help students learn how to write a successful play.

#### Dance

Join the School of the Arts Dance Department on the dance floor for a taste of the technique you will be taught if you join our SOTA family. Exercises will include a brief warm up, across the floor, center floor phrase and a demonstration by our very own SOTA Senior Dance Company!

#### Introduction to Drama

Students will be given a taste of drama through drama games, and acting and improvisation exercises.

#### Orchestra

Instrument required. Orchestra clinic will cover comprehensive techniques and string musicianship. Be prepared to play major scales in at least 1 octave, up to 2 sharps and 2 flats. Students will be given sight reading and repertoire selections on sight. Students will enjoy playing in an orchestral environment with their potential future peers.

# **Theater Technology Experience**

Students will get a peek behind the curtains as they explore the many aspects of theatre technology and design that students work with here at School of the Arts. We will be touring facilities and having some hands on opportunities in our theatres and studios.

## Visual Art - Photoshop Superheroes

Have you always wanted to fly? Here's your chance! In this workshop, students will photograph one another, then use Adobe Photoshop to give themselves magical powers that are truly out of this world. Each student will leave with a printed image of his or her artwork.

## Visual Art - Crushed Can Creatures

Combine your drawing and sculpture skills as you create a creature of your choice from an empty sodapop can. Students will take their creatures home, so get ready to let your imagination run wild.



Students are invited to experience the different majors offered at School of the Arts by participating in hands-on workshops. Each workshop is 40 minutes long, and students may attend as many as three workshops. Saturday of the Arts is open to all students interested in attending School of the Arts, however, space in our workshops is limited and will be filled on a first come, first served basis, so register early!

