

COLLAGE VOICES 2019

Bursary Scheme

Collage Voices is a new way to have serious fun in the performing arts.

Voices will be a year-round programme at the heart of which will be weekly sessions, led by tutors and guest artists, these will be augmented with productions and sharing events and trips.

Collage Voice is an inclusive programme. We are pleased, therefore to be able to offer a number of bursaries. These can full bursaries or part bursaries.

We believe the programme can help all young people find a voice and increase their interpersonal skills through the performing arts. We are not looking to give bursaries to the most gifted and talented, a commitment to be involved or a need for a new opportunity will make young people deserving of a bursary.

We want to ensure that young people who need the bursaries know about them and can access them easily. We don't want to ask invasive questions, so we plan to operate very simple rules.

By referral: Schools, the youth service and other partner agencies will be encouraged to refer young people to us, based on their assessment of need.

What Collage Voices will look for when offering bursaries:

Siblings: We know it can be hard to cover the costs of several children being involved in the programme. Given that we work with young people aged 8-18, it is likely that several members of the family will be involved in Voices. The admin team will discuss part or full bursaries with any families that want support.

Families accessing free-school meals or Universal Credit will automatically be eligible for bursaries. We ask you to self-declare, but the agreement you sign as a declaration makes it clear that Collage Arts should be informed of any change in circumstances and that it is fraud to claim a bursary by self-declaring to be benefits to which you have no entitlement or payment.

We have discretion to explore other circumstances and need – just talk to us and we will see how best we can help.

Application Form:

Thank you for your interest in applying for a Young Person's Bursary. Please check the following criteria before applying:

- Are you aged between 8 and 18?
- Do you live in the borough of Haringey?

If you match the above criteria and consider yourself eligible for a bursary, please complete the form below.

You can also apply for bursary support if any of the following apply to you:

- Do you access free school meals or Universal Credit?
- Are you a sibling of a participant on Collage Voices?

Full Name of participant:

DOB:

Age:

Gender: M / F

Home Address:

Borough:

Post Code:

Name of School:

Please tick which skills and ideas you would be interested in developing:

Creative Writing

Dance and Movement

Drama and Acting

Singing and Song-writing

Digital and Music Technology

Household Income:

To ensure that the Haringey Young Peoples Bursary scheme is supporting families and young people in need of financial assistance please complete this section as appropriate:

Joint Family Income (Gross Income):

£0 - £25,000

£25,000 - £30,000

£30,000 - £35,000

£35,000 - £40,000

£40,000 - £45,000

£45,000 +

Do any of the following apply to you:

- Do you access free school meals or Universal Credit?
- Are you a sibling of a participant on Collage Voices?

Are there any additional comments you would like to make:

Please note that all bursary requests will be considered on an individual basis of need and different levels of assistance will be awarded as appropriate, ie: 20% (siblings), 50% (part) and 100% (full) of fees.

Please ensure you make us aware of any circumstances you would like us to take into consideration.

If you have any question or would like some support in filling out this form, then please do not hesitate to contact us on 020 8365 7500.

Signature:

Date: