

CAP21 2 Year NYC Professional Musical Theatre Training Program

Application for Financial Need Scholarship- Fall 2010

HOW TO APPLY:

Type or print your answers in ink on the line above the information requested.

Mail this form along with the rest of the required application materials to:

CAP21, 18 West 18th Street, 6th Floor, New York, NY 10011

Attn: NYC Professional Program, Dr. Pam Phillips

CAP21 provides Financial Need/Work Study scholarships. Financial need scholarships are for those students with demonstrated financial need. Students who request financial assistance from CAP21 will be asked to participate in work study. Your work study will be no more than 7 hours per week and the jobs will range from but are not limited to ushering at performances, crew work on productions, assisting in the box office, scanning documents for the library or completing data input for the office. By accepting your work study scholarship, you are agreeing to complete the hours of work study or forfeit that amount of your scholarship.

Scholarship amounts range from \$500 to half of tuition and may be renewed if the actor is invited to return for the second year. All scholarship recipients must maintain a satisfactory level on all evaluations. Probation for any reason, academic or disciplinary, shall be considered justifiable cause for withdrawal of scholarship awards. Scholarship recipients will be notified in their acceptance letter.

CAP21 recognizes that ACT/SAT scores and a high school GPA do not measure a terrific performer. However, actors in our training program need solid learning skills. A solid GPA or SAT/ACT scores indicate that individual was dedicated to their education and developed study habits.

Financial Need Eligibility:

1. Demonstrates financial need for tuition
2. High school graduate
3. Has a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale

Documents required:

1. Completed application form.
2. An official high school transcript (may be the same transcript used for the application).
3. Proof of SAT/ACT scores (international students are exempt from this rule).
4. Copies of the most recent documents demonstrating your financial need (Family's 1040 Income Tax Return Form, and any documentation which serves as proof of your financial hardship).
5. Two letters of recommendation from teachers, counselors, or advisors who can verify your financial needs and vouch for your work ethics in the classroom.
6. A two-page essay (typed) stating why you should be awarded a scholarship. Please include the following information:
 - Personal and academic achievements
 - Education and Career goals
 - Based on the information you have collected about CAP21, please explain why this training program is right for you

Application form and all materials must be received before your audition

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Application will not be considered complete until all information is received by CAP21. At that time you will be contacted for a telephone interview to set up a date for a live audition. Please see www.cap21.org for audition dates and material. If you have any questions please feel free to contact us at 212.807.0202 extension 17 (Dr. Pam Phillips) or by e-mail: pPhillips@cap21.org – PLEASE PUT “CAP21 NYC PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM” IN THE SUBJECT LINE!

SIGNATURE

Please read the following statement and sign below.

Collaborative Arts Project 21 (CAP21) does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, color, national origin, age, disability, veteran status, or sexual orientation.

Collaborative Arts Project 21 (CAP21) reserves the right to refuse admission to any applicant whom, in CAP21's judgment, is not qualified. No portion of the application fee is refundable. Students are expected to comply with the rules of conduct and established practices of CAP21, which will be distributed on the first day of class. CAP21 additionally reserves the right to solicit information from personal references provided by the applicant. Upon acceptance into the Professional Musical Theatre Training Program, **a non-refundable deposit of \$3,000.00 must be received in order to secure your position in the program.** For tuition payments, CAP21 accepts personal checks, wire transfers, credit cards or money order.

I certify that the information given is accurate.

Signature

Date