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Cara Mía Theatre Co. and the Oak Cliff Cultural offer scholarships to the School of YES! after-school program, February - March 9, 2017! Apply today!

Cara Mía Theatre Co. and the Oak Cliff Cultural Center are excited to announce **The School of YES! After-School Residency**, a multidisciplinary arts academy for youth ages 7-10. From **February 9th-March 9th**, students will participate in **theatre and visual arts**. Students will attend classes at the Oak Cliff Cultural Center **every Tuesday and Wednesday** from **4:00 – 5:30 PM** and will take process-oriented classes in Theatre and Visual Arts to explore and refine skills in each art discipline. The mission of The School of YES! is to give young people the skills to say “yes” to a future of their choice rather than feel pressured into a future defined by their environment.

The Oak Cliff Cultural Center and Cara Mía Theatre Co. will award 20 scholarships to students from 7-10 to attend The School of YES! at no cost. Students will be selected by order of application completion, their student writing sample and one teacher letter of recommendation due with application; parents will be notified regarding acceptance on Friday, January 13th.

Applicants and their Parent or Guardians are asked to fill out and submit the following completed forms:

1. School of YES! Camp Application (parent/guardian)
2. Emergency Contact Information
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4. Youth Survey
4. Youth Writing Sample
5. Parental Agreement

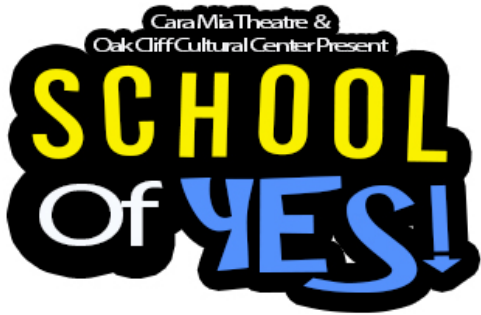
Email applications to Stephanie Cleghorn Jasso at stephanie@caramiatheatre.org

OR

Drop off applications to

Oak Cliff Cultural Center 223 W. Jefferson Blvd, Dallas, TX 75208





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APPLICATION

The School of YES Summer Arts Camp will run from March 9th – March 9th and will be held at the Oak Cliff Cultural Center (223 W. Jefferson Blvd. Dallas, TX 75208). The School of YES is offering a limited number of scholarships to attend this free program. **Applicants are asked to fill out and submit the following completed forms: Arts Camp Application (this form), the Emergency Contact Form, the Youth Survey, a writing sample, and the Parental Agreement.**

Personal Information (To be filled out by Parent or Guardian)

Youth's Name: _____ Age: _____ Male () Female ()

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

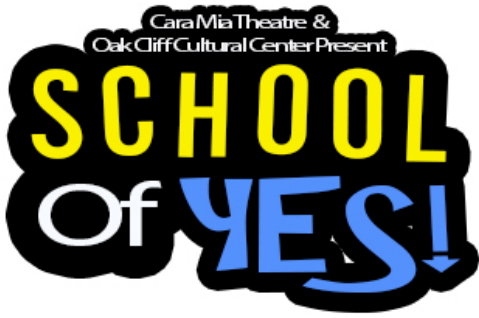
Parent's E-mail: _____

Relationship to Applicant: Mother () Father () Other, Specify: _____

Home #: () _____ Cell #: () _____

Name of School: _____ Grade Fall 2014: _____





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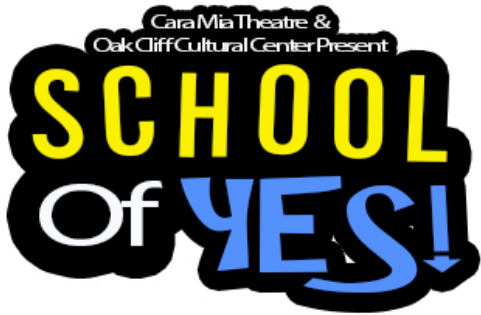
**In the event that a parent/guardian cannot be reached, please list a person(s) to contact in case of emergency. **

Name: _____ Relation: _____ Phone: _____

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YOUTH SURVEY

We are selecting students based on the quality of their application. We would like to know about you and your interests.

To filled out by the student:

Name: _____ Age: _____ Male () Female ()

School Name: _____ Grade Fall 2014: _____

What are your favorite subjects in school? Why?

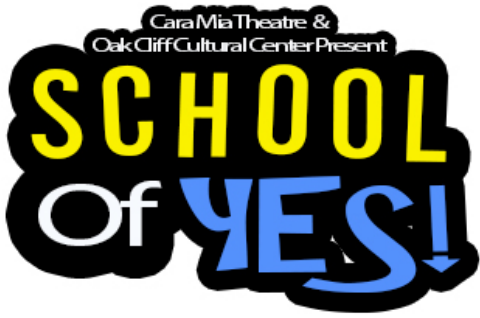
What subjects do you have trouble with? _____

Why? _____

Does your school offer classes in theater, music, visual art and / or dance? If yes, which ones? Have you taken any of these courses?

What do you like to do after school? What sports, arts classes, or other activities are you involved in?





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What is one goal that you have made for your future?

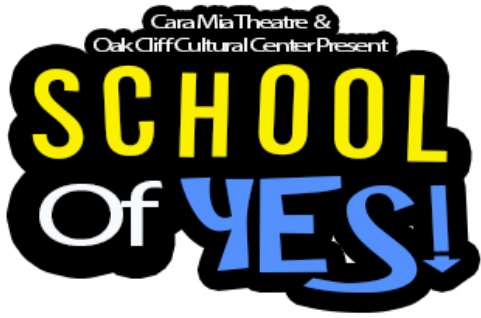
Rate the arts classes below from 1 to 4. Number 1 is your favorite arts class and number 4 is your least favorite.

- __ Theater
- __ Music
- __ Visual Art
- __ Dance

What person do you look up to most and why?

Have you ever taken any classes at the Oak Cliff Cultural Center or Cara Mía Theatre Co.? If yes, please list what classes you have taken, where, and when.





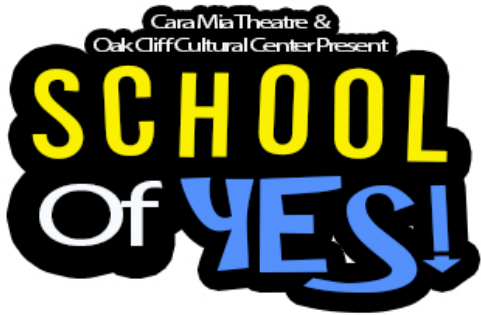
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WRITING SAMPLE

Only for students ages 11-14: Please take some time to complete **one** of these writing prompts for the School of YES! Arts Camp application. There are no right or wrong responses; we just want to learn more about you and your writing ability. If you need more space, please feel free to use the back of this page. Feel free to be creative and remember to elaborate!

1. Write a short essay about an important accomplishment in your life.
2. Write a short essay explaining why someone you care about is important to you.
3. Write a short essay about how disappointments can have a good side.



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PARENTAL AGREEMENT

Youth's Name: _____ Age: _____ Date: _____

As a parent/guardian of a student attending the 2017 School of YES! After-School Program, I agree to the following:

- I understand that attendance of the School of YES Summer Arts Camp is mandatory for my student. If my student misses more than two days of camp, they will be asked to withdraw from the program.
- I will be responsible for the transportation of my student to and from the OCCC. **My student will be at the center at 4:00 PM and will be retrieved between the hours of 5:30 – 5:45 PM.** If I am unable to transport my student, I will make arrangements and my students may be released to: _____ (relation) _____
- OR my student has permission to take public transportation. If this is the option, sign here:

- I understand that my student will be taking field trips with the OCCC to various cultural organizations and the OCCC will be transporting them to these locations and back to the OCCC. The Oak Cliff Cultural Center has permission to transport my student to and from these locations.
- I give the Oak Cliff Cultural Center permission to use images of my students for future publications, websites or promotional material without any compensation to my student or me.
- I understand that my student is expected to behave in a respectful and proper way throughout this summer camp. (ie: no fighting, no cursing, no stealing, etc.) Should my student continually misbehave or disrespect the faculty/staff, I understand that I will be contacted to come and remove my student from the program.
- I release the Oak Cliff Cultural Center of any liability should my student become injured while attending the Summer Arts Camp.
- I understand that my involvement in this process is integral to the success of my student and the entire process for the summer camp. I will work with my student on assignments, by volunteering time if possible and by being a champion for my students' success.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Signature: _____

