

Paid summer ArtWorks apprenticeships offered for high school students

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Young Audiences of Western New York announces that it will sponsor a paid summer apprenticeship program in the arts, ArtWorks, for high school students ages 14 to 18 living in Buffalo.

Apprentices will be divided into teams and work in the visual arts, creative writing, dance and theater under the guidance of an ArtWorks master teaching artist.

Applications for apprenticeships are due May 1. Workshops to help with applications will be held in the Central Library on Lafayette Square in downtown Buffalo from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. March 27 and from 10 to 11 a.m. April 11.

The apprenticeship teams will meet from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays from July 6 to Aug. 14. Once hired, apprentices will attend a formal orientation.

Young Audiences also is seeking curriculum proposals from teaching artists as well as youth coordinators for the apprentice teams. Curriculum and coordinator applications are due April 17. For more information, visit www.yawny.org/latest-news/artworks.

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