

Kentucky Center Governor's School for the Arts

Other Summer Opportunities in the Arts

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*Please direct all specific questions to the organizations listed below.

*GSA puts together this list as a courtesy. We make every effort to make sure the below information is correct, but tuition prices and registration deadlines are subject to change, so please confirm summer program details directly with each organization.

*For additional arts opportunities in your city and surrounding area, please contact your high school fine and performing arts teachers. You may also visit your local free public library for announcements and postings of arts related workshops and events.

Sponsor/School	Discipline(s)	Grade/ Age Eligibility	Cost	Contact
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All Art Forms

Young Arts	All Art Forms	10-12 or ages 15-18	Scholarship Program	http://youngarts.org/
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Creative Writing

Appalachian Young Writers Workshop	Creative Writing	Grades 10-12	\$450	https://www.youngwritersworkshop.org/
Young Poets 502 (Louisville, KY)	Creative Writing	Grades 9-12	Varies	http://www.youngpoets502.org/
Western Kentucky University Summer Journalism Camp (Bowling Green, KY)	Creative Writing	Grades 9-12	Unknown	(270) 745-3065 https://www.wku.edu/studentpublications/xposure.php
Morehead State University Summer Arts Academy (Morehead, KY)	Creative Writing	Grades 9-12	\$525 (includes room and board)	(606) 783-2401 http://www.moreheadstate.edu/saa/

Butler University Creative Writing Camp 2015 Butler University (Indianapolis, IN)	Creative Writing	Grades 3-12	\$275-\$500	https://www.butler.edu/creative-writing-camp
The Carnegie Center (Lexington, KY)	Creative Writing	Varies	Varies	http://carnegiecenterlex.org/youth-family-class/creative-writing-teen-retreat/
Interlochen Arts Camp (Michigan)	Creative Writing	Grades 9-12	Varies per art form; \$1,000 & up	(800) 681-5912 http://camp.interlochen.org/
Asbury University (Asbury, Kentucky)	Creative Writing	Grades 8-12	\$390	http://www.asbury.edu/impactu/creative-writing
Iowa Young Writers' Studio	Creative Writing	Grades 10-12	Varies	https://iyws.clas.uiowa.edu/
Juniper Institute for Young Writers (Amherst, MA)	Creative Writing	Grades 10-12	Varies	http://www.umass.edu/juniperyoungwriters/#/
Kenyon Review Young Writers Workshop (Gambier, OH) Application has Passed. Look for 2018 Opportunities	Creative Writing	Ages 16-18	Unknown	http://www.kenyonreview.org/workshops/young-writers/
Purchase Area Writers Workshop (Murray, KY)	Creative Writing	Grades 9-12	\$450 (includes room and board)	http://murraystate.edu/academics/regionalAcademicOutreach/Noncredit/summercamps/paww.aspx

Dance

Louisville Ballet School Summer Intensive Program (Louisville, KY)	Dance	Ages 12-18 (for those w/ 3 yrs. of ballet training)	Varies	(502) 583-3150 ext. 1 https://www.louisvilleballet.org/intensive/
Louisville Ballet School (Adult Open Division) (Louisville, KY)	Dance	Ages 15 and up	\$15-for a single class; Class card \$130 (for 11 classes); \$20 registration fee	(502) 583-3150 ext. 1 https://www.louisvilleballet.org/mbb/
Lexington School of Ballet (Lexington, KY)	Dance	Ages 12-17	\$330 per week	(781)-861-9349 http://lexingtonballet.org/school_intensive.html

Lexington Ballet (Adult Open Division) (Lexington, KY)	Dance	Ages 15 and up	\$15 per class or \$120 class card (10 classes)	(859) 233-3925 http://lexingtonballet.org/school_open.html
University of Kentucky's Summer Dance Intensive (Lexington, KY)	Dance	Ages 14 and up	\$375	(859) 257-3297 http://finearts.uky.edu/theatre/summer-dance-intensive/reg
American Dance Festival (Durham, NC)	Dance	Ages 13-17	1 week: \$300 (& room and board fees)	(919) 684-6402 http://americandancefestival.org/events/adf-dance-camp-ages-13-17-3/
Boston Conservatory Summer Intensives (Boston, MA)	Dance	Ages 15-22	Dance \$2,330 (plus housing & app. fee)	https://bostonconservatory.berklee.edu/extension-programs/sdi

Drama and Musical Theatre

Stage One Summer DramaWorks (Louisville, KY)	Drama, Musical Theatre	Ages 12-18	\$495	(502) 498-2436 https://stageone.org/kids/camps/
Commonwealth Theatre Center (Louisville, KY)	Drama, Musical Theatre	Ages 10-18	Varies	(502)589-0084 http://www.waldentheatre.org/summer/skills/
Kentucky Shakespeare Festival (Louisville, KY)	Drama	Ages 4 - 18	Varies	(502)574-9900 http://www.kyshakespeare.com/education/camps/
Lexington Children's Theatre (Lexington, KY)	Drama And Musical Theatre	Ages 11-18	Varies	(859) 254-4546 http://www.lctonstage.org/theatre-school/classes-workshops/
The Carson Center (Paducah, KY)	Musical Theatre	Ages 9 – 18	\$ 99 and up	https://www.nashvillechildrenstheatre.org/2019winterspringclasses
Nashville Children's Theatre (Nashville, TN)	Drama, Musical Theatre, Technical Theatre	Ages 4-18	Varies	(615) 254-9103 https://www.nashvillechildrenstheatre.org/summercamp2018/
Asbury University Theatre Camp (Wilmore, KY)	Drama	Grades 8-12	\$400	http://www.asbury.edu/impactu/theatre

The New School for Drama Summer Intensive (New York, NY)	Drama	15+	\$4,975 (& room and board fees)	http://www.newschool.edu/drama/summer-acting-intensive/
Summer Musical Theatre Voice Intensive	Musical Theatre	Grades 9-12	\$375	http://finearts.uky.edu/theatre-dance/summer-musical-theatre-voice-intensive

Architecture + Design, Visual Art, and Film + Photography

Sacred Heart School for the Art Summer Camp and Course (Louisville, KY)	Visual Art	Varies	Varies	(502) 897-1816 http://www.asaponlinereg.com/Default.aspx?org=216
Morehead State University Summer Arts Academy (Morehead, KY)	Visual Art and Film + Photography	Grades 9-12	\$525 (includes room and board)	(606) 783-2401 http://www.moreheadstate.edu/saa/
Louisville Visual Art Association Studio 2000 (Louisville, KY)	Visual Art	Ages 14-18	Free	(502) 896-2148 http://www.louisvillevisualart.org/studio-2000
Murray State University Summer Art Workshop (Murray, KY)	Visual Art	Grades 9-12	\$425 for residents, \$325 for commuters	(270) 809-3662 http://www.murraystate.edu/academics/regionalAcademicOutreach/Noncredit/summercamps/saw.aspx
Laurie B Blayney Art Studio Teen Classes (Louisville, KY)	Visual Art	Grades 8-12	Varies	(502) 594-1483 http://bleeckerblayney.com/instruction.html
Baker Hunt Art and Cultural Center (Covington, KY)	Visual Art and Film + Photography	Varies	Varies	(859) 431-0020 http://bakerhunt.org/courses/
The Living Arts & Science Center (Lexington, KY)	Visual Art and Film +	Teen Only sessions;	Varies	(859) 252-5222 https://www.z2systems.com/np/clients/lasc/eventL

	Photography	Combined Teen and adult classes		ist.jsp
Western Kentucky University Summer Journalism Camp (Bowling Green, KY)	Film + Photography	Grades 9-12	Unknown	(270) 745-3065 https://www.wku.edu/studentpublications/xposure.php
Reel Generation Film Festival (Glasgow, KY)	Film + Photography	Grades K-12	N/A	https://www.facebook.com/Reel-Generation-Film-Festival-152128518184666/
Digital Media Academy (University of Chicago Campus) (Chicago, IL)	Film & Multi-Media	Teens	\$845-1,895 (per week) & room and board fees)	(866) 656-3342 http://www.digitalmediaacademy.org/teens-kids-camp/locations-dates/the-university-of-chicago/
Savannah College of Art & Design (SCAD) Summer Seminar (Savannah & Atlanta, GA)	Visual Art, Fashion Design & Multi-Media	9 th , 10 th or 11 th grade	Varies and college credit available	(800) 869-7223 http://www.scad.edu/academics/pre-college-summer-programs
Watkins College of Arts Design and Film Summer Art Program (Nashville, TN)	Multi-Media and Visual Art	Ages 14-18	\$150 for bi-weekly sessions or \$1500 for pre-college program (scholarships available)	(615) 383-4848 community@watkins.edu https://www.watkins.edu/community-education-watkins/teens/
Interlochen Arts Camp (Michigan)	Visual Arts & Film	Grades 9-12	Varies per art form; \$1,000 & up	(800) 681-5912 http://camp.interlochen.org/
Ashbury University Film I & II Camps	Film	Grades 8-12	\$390	http://www.asbury.edu/impactu/film-i-ii
Appalshop: Summer Documentary Institute (Whitesburg, KY)	Film	Ages 14- 22	Paid Internship	http://www.appalshop.org
Sullivan College of Technology and Design	Design/ Robotics	Grades 9-12	\$495	http://pages.sctd.edu/studio/index.html

Instrumental and Vocal Music

Butler University (Indianapolis, IN)	Instrumental Music and Vocal Music	Ages 12-18	\$145-\$435 Depending on Commuter or residential	(317) 940-5500 https://www.butler.edu/bcas/summer-camps
University of Louisville	Instrumental Music	Varies	Varies	http://louisville.edu/music/outreach
Stephen Collins Foster Summer Music Camps Eastern Kentucky University (Richmond, KY)	Instrumental Music and Vocal Music	Grades 9-12	\$275-\$470 Discounts and scholarships are available	(859) 622-3266 info@fostercamp.org http://www.fostercamp.org
Oberlin Conservatory of Music (Oberlin, OH)	Instrumental Music and Vocal Music	Grades 9-12	Varies per workshop- (Free and fee-based programs)	http://new.oberlin.edu/conservatory/summer/
Boston Conservatory Summer Intensives (Boston, MA)	Instrumental and Vocal Music	Ages 16 and up	Varies	http://www.bostonconservatory.edu/high-school-and-collegiate-intensive-programs

All Performing Arts

Sacred Heart School for the Art Summer Camp and Course (Louisville, KY)	Performing Arts	Varies	Varies	(502) 897-1816 http://www.asaponlinereg.com/Default.aspx?org=216
Morehead State University Summer Arts Academy (Morehead, KY)	Performing Arts	Grades 9-12	\$525 (includes room and board)	(606) 783-2401 http://www.moreheadstate.edu/saa/
University of Cincinnati Conservatory of Music Summer Workshops (Cincinnati, OH)	Performing Arts	Grades 9-12	\$150-300	(513) 556-2595 http://ccm.uc.edu/prep/summer.html
Interlochen Arts Camp	Performing Arts	Grades 9-12	Varies per art form;	(800) 681-5912

(Michigan)			\$1,000 & up	http://camp.interlochen.org/
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Other Recourses

The following organizations usually release summer program opportunity directories in mid to early May. We've listed a few other databases as well that keep up with summer program opportunities.

The Kentucky Arts Council Summer Program Directory	http://artscouncil.ky.gov/
Kentucky Association for Gifted Education	http://kagegifted.org
University of Kentucky	https://www.uky.edu/hr/work-life/resources-for-parents/summer-camps-listings
Lexington Herald	http://www.kentucky.com/news/local/counties/fayette-county/article71172127.html
Louisville Summer Camps	http://www.louisvillesummercamps.org/
Leo Weekly	http://www.leoweekly.com/2016/03/camp-guide-your-resource-for-summer-fun/
Acceptd	https://getacceptd.com/
Fund for the Arts	http://fundforthearts.com/