

# APPLICATION & AUDITION PROCESS

All students entering Grades 6 – 8 and applying to a Middle School Arts Conservatory Program or entering Grades 9 – 12 applying to Detroit School of Arts will be required to submit an online application.

DSA requires each student to provide two references:

- 1) An academic recommendation
- 2) An artistic recommendation

Middle School Arts Conservatories require each student to provide one Artistic Reference.

Each school will contact and schedule an audition directly with prospective students. Applicants may audition in person, online or via video conference.

Acceptance to DSA requires each student pass an academic screening.

*Upon acceptance, admission to DSA or a Middle School Arts Conservatory will be on a rolling "first-come first-serve basis" until all spaces are filled.*

**ONLINE APPLICATION ONLY - [detroitk12.org/dsapathways](http://detroitk12.org/dsapathways)**

**Visit one of our schools or call 313.240.4377 for additional assistance.**

## DSA PATHWAYS PARTNERS

The Carr Center	Heritage Works	Pewabic Pottery
College for Creative Studies	InsideOut Literary Arts	Shakespeare in Detroit
Detroit Institute of Arts	Living Arts	Sphinx Organization
Detroit Institute of Music Education (DIME)	Michigan Opera Theatre	Stratford Festival
Detroit Jazz Festival	MSU Community Music School-Detroit	University of Michigan School of Music, Theatre & Dance
Detroit Public Theatre	Mosaic Youth Theatre of Detroit	University Musical Society (UMS)
Detroit Symphony Orchestra	The Motown Museum	Wayne State University CFP
Eisenhower Dance Detroit	Music Hall	Y Arts & The Detroit Creativity Project



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**Detroit School of Arts**



# DSA

# PATHWAYS

**METRO DETROIT'S PREMIER  
PUBLIC EDUCATION  
ARTS & MUSIC PATHWAY**



Students Rise. We All Rise.

**APPLY FOR EXCELLENCE IN THE ARTS & ACADEMICS**

## HIGH SCHOOL ARTS & MUSIC EDUCATION

### DETROIT SCHOOL OF ARTS

*Principal - Dr. Lisa Reynolds*

Where you find your heART in the ARTS! Detroit School of Arts honors the talents of Detroit's youth and provides an extraordinary program in a facility that is world class and a downtown treasure. DSA provides exceptional resources to gifted and talented students through a college prep curriculum that maximizes learning, motivation, achievement, and excellence by integrating academic and desirable artistic mediums. Guided by some of the best teachers and professional artists in Metro Detroit, students attending DSA will be ready for the next step of being college and career ready with the goal of entering the arts profession. DSA is simply the premier arts high school in Metro Detroit.

123 Selden | Detroit, MI 48201 | 313.494.6000 | [detroitk12.org/dsa](http://detroitk12.org/dsa)

## A COMMITMENT TO ARTS & MUSIC EDUCATION

Detroit Public Schools Community District (DPSCD) is leveraging its legacy and expertise, and partnerships with 24 Arts Organizations for the Detroit School of Arts (DSA) Pathways Initiative for students in grades 6 -12. By positioning DSA as the premier performing and fine arts high school in Metro Detroit, students have a unique opportunity to combine outstanding academics and arts instruction, and connect with acclaimed professional artists via residencies, master classes, and workshops. Transportation will be provided from the Middle School Arts Conservatories to DSA.

DSA and the Middle School Arts Conservatories offer the following core art forms of study:

- Dance
- Instrumental Music
- Literary Arts \*
- Multimedia Production \*\*
- Theatre
- Visual Arts
- Vocal Music

\* At DSA only, \*\* At DSA and Brenda Scott Academy only



## MIDDLE SCHOOL ARTS CONSERVATORIES

### BRENDA SCOTT ACADEMY FOR THEATRE ARTS

*Principal - Willie Brewster, Jr.*

Student success begins with highly qualified teachers using a data-driven curriculum integrating robust academics and honors classes, outstanding arts instruction, and extracurricular activities and support services.

18440 Hoover | Detroit, MI 48205 | Phone: 313.866.6700 | [detroitk12.org/brendascott](http://detroitk12.org/brendascott)



### EDWARD 'DUKE' ELLINGTON CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC & ART AT BECKHAM ACADEMY

*Principal - Twila Ainsworth-Comfort*

Experience a 21st century state-of-the-ARTS learning environment where award winning students and teachers are recognized for their academic achievement and rigorous arts education.

9860 Park Drive | Detroit, MI 48213 | 313.852.8500 | [detroitk12.org/ellington](http://detroitk12.org/ellington)



### JOHN R. KING ACADEMIC AND PERFORMING ARTS ACADEMY

*Principal - Jennifer Spencer*

Students are engaged with a rigorous academic curriculum, fine and performing arts programming, and technology in a creative learning environment to become beyond extraordinary.

15850 Strathmoor Street | Detroit, MI 48227 | 313.866.9600 | [detroitk12.org/jrking](http://detroitk12.org/jrking)



### SPAIN ELEMENTARY-MIDDLE SCHOOL

*Principal - Frederick Cannon*

Located in the heart of the Midtown cultural district, students are encouraged to showcase their talents and set high expectations infused with strong academics and the arts located in a fine and performance dedicated wing.

3700 Beaubien Street | Detroit, MI 48201 | 313.494.2081 | [detroitk12.org/spain](http://detroitk12.org/spain)

