

AmazingVox School Residencies

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High School After School Programs

AmazingVox offers both one time and multiple visit “Club” style Residencies for High School After School Programs, which can involve all participants or self-selected groups.

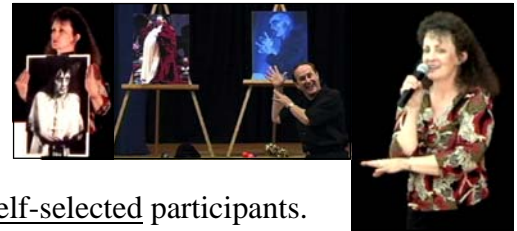
In the current reality of harsh cutbacks to most arts related programs during the school day, After School Programs can partially fill the gap through intense Performing Arts opportunities. These unforgettable life experiences encourage self-confidence, promote positive alternative activities & life paths, while linking in a fun way to participants’ lives and education.

Single Afternoon Residency

The least costly alternative, beginning with an engaging, fun and fast-paced interdisciplinary assembly (“Ancient Rap!”) for all or self-selected participants.

Continuing with follow-up interactive lectures and participatory workshops for all or self-selected groups.

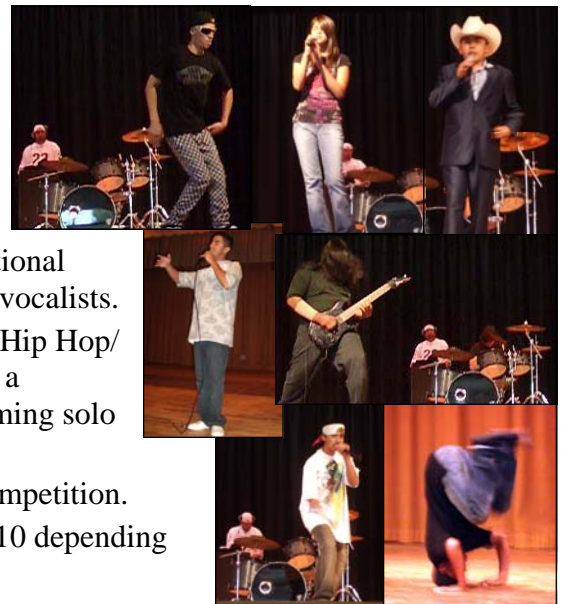
- ◆ Options include; vocal, acting, international travel, world history, Shakespeare, foreign language, etc.



American Idol Style Workshop and Competition

An “Idol” style talent workshop and competition. Not limited to vocals only. An opportunity to encourage talented dancers (from Folklorico to Hip Hop and Breakdancers) and vocalists (from Classical to Gospel to Pop to Rap), instrumentalists, as well as original song writers/performers (often Rap).

- ◆ AmazingVox provides group workshops in performing techniques, self-presentation, performance anxiety, international styles of performing arts (DVD), and voice instruction for vocalists.
- ◆ Hip-Hop Choreographer: AmazingVox has a very talented Hip Hop/Breakdance Choreographer partner who can be included as a resource for young men and women with interest in performing solo or group dance “acts.”
- ◆ AmazingVox helps organize the judges, prizes and final competition.
- ◆ The number of site visits by AmazingVox range from 2 to 10 depending upon site interest, needs and funding.



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Showcase of Talent Workshop

Over the course of several weeks, the “Showcase” includes workshops on performance techniques, performance anxiety, international performing arts, private vocal instruction for vocalists, acting for the drama participants, careers in performing arts and much more. The culmination is an exciting public performance combining the talents of the participants. Any number of participants can be accommodated. Any kind of talent (vocal, instrumental, dance, etc.) can be included and encouraged. Most common components:

Drama: Students interested in drama, musical theater, acting and singing participate in the rehearsal and production of scenes from musicals or straight theater, led by Roy & Annalisa. This includes the staging of the scenes, acting and vocal workshops, private vocal instruction for vocalists, etc. The scenes are full staged and costumed. Current scenes selections include excerpts from:

- ◆ **Les Miz & Phantom of the Opera**, the Broadway Musicals
- ◆ Dicken’s **Christmas Carol** (a 22 minute version with music & SFX!)
- ◆ Shakespeare’s **Romeo & Juliet** (includes spoken dialogue, and music from musical/operaic versions of the story, such as West Side Story)
- ◆ **Aida & Miss Saigon/Madama Butterfly**; Both are in the planning stages; will include music from Broadway and operaic versions



Hip-Hop/Break-dance: Led by AmazingVox’ partner, a talented young choreographer/dancer, who makes multiple site visits to dance with, train and choreograph the solo or group “acts.”

Song Writing Workshop: Original lyrics and songs, often Rap style. Usually overseen by program staff. Lyrics must be approved by site coordinator.



Drama/Musical Theater Workshop

For any number of self-selected participants. In addition to scenes from straight theater or musical theater sources, crafted into an exciting experience and public performance, participants are encouraged to prepare monologues and Broadway songs of their choice, which are trained, staged and included in the public performance. Roy & Annalisa create the staging and costuming, as well as providing intense acting and vocal training, and perspective on performing arts careers.

