

3rd-6th Grade Audition Requirements

3rd-6th graders will audition in all four Fine Arts

Auditions for the 2021-2022 school year will be in an online format where students will view an instructional video and then record themselves completing the required tasks. Ensure that your student is seen clearly in the camera frame of the audition recording. For dance and theatre the entire body should be visible. Provide your student with enough room to move around freely (8 to 10 feet is recommended). You and your student should watch the full **Audition Instructional Video** from beginning to end and then record themselves performing.

Audition Attire: Students should wear clothing in which they can move easily. Dance clothes are encouraged, but not required. Students may wear their dance attire during the other portions of the audition if preferred. Costumes and props are not allowed. Long hair must be secured back. Examples of appropriate clothing include:

Top = leotard, fitted t-shirt, or tank top Bottom = dance pants, tights, leggings, or fitted athletic pants Feet = ballet shoes, jazz shoes, or socks

Supplies Needed: Graphite pencil, 2 large sheets of drawing paper (mixed media paper or poster board can work), other art supplies that can be found around you home (examples: crayons, colored pencils, markers, paints). Items from around the house to create a still life display. A variety of simple three dimensional objects.

ART (3 rd -6 th grade)		
Audition	Evaluation	
Students will use a pencil to draw a still-life containing a variety of simple three-dimensional shapes.	Reproduce What is SeenFollowing Directions	
 Students will create an original composition based on a universal art theme/idea to demonstrate their creative problem-solving and personal art making style. Students will use a variety of color and black and white drawing media to create an original artwork that visually communicates a big idea in art. Students should not submit a personal portfolio. 	 Composition/Use of Space Value/Shading/Blending Reflection/Creativity 	

Audition	Evaluation
 Students will be expected to demonstrate basic movement skills and capabilities through guided exercises. 	 Sequence ConsistencyBody Alignment Technical Skills Performance Skills
 Students will learn and perform choreographed dance combinations. 	

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• Coordination

MUSIC (3 rd -6 th grade)		
Audition	Evaluation	
Students will sing "My Country 'Tis of Thee." The required sheet music and accompaniment track are	Preparation	
located on the TeSA website.	Pitch/Tone	
	Rhythmic Accuracy	
Students will be evaluated on the standards listed	Diction/Articulation	
as demonstrated through guided music activities.	 Musicality/General Presentation 	

THEATRE (3 rd -6 th grade)		
Audition	Evaluation	
Students will be evaluated on the listed standards	 Preparation 	
as demonstrated by performing a monologue and	 Expression 	
improvisational exercise.	 Vocalization 	
	 Stage Presence 	
• Students must perform one of the poems or	Imagination	
monologues listed on the TeSA website. The		
performance should be thoroughly prepared and		
memorized.		