

Perform. Create. Achieve.



WELCOME

For over forty-five years, this amazing public high school within the Nassau BOCES program has transformed the lives of young emerging artists from across Long Island through both its high school and summer programs. As the Principal of Long Island High School for the Arts (LIHSA), I am privileged to see this transformation first-hand, year-after-year, as many of our region's artistically talented students arrive eager and passionate. They are shaped by their team of mentors, supportive peers, and unique experiences and they leave prepared for what lies ahead with a better understanding of who they are as individuals and artists.

For students considering Long Island High School for the Arts, if you are passionate, self-motivated, open-minded, and willing to give it your all, you will excel here. You will be challenged and pushed to your perceived limits, but you will grow and accomplish so much more than you can imagine. You will make lifelong friends and join a network of LIHSA alumni who have established themselves as successful professionals throughout the professional art world.

Dr. Chris Rogutsky Bleecker, Principal





The LIHSA

Difference

Facilities

Long Island High School for the Arts facilities are specially designed to support the school's mission of educating the next generation of the creative workforce.

Work Based Learning Experiences

Work Based Learning exposes students to the realities of their future professions.

Curricular Philosophy

LIHSA gives young emerging artists the opportunity to explore and refine their talents in a one-of-a-kind, master apprentice, arts-centered community.

Alumni Success

LIHSA graduates are successful. You will find our alumni working all over the globe, pushing boundaries, discovering new frontiers, winning all kinds of awards and honors, and leading today's creative economy.

Career and Technical Education Program

Production & Managerial Arts

The Production and Managerial Arts pathway focuses on both the technical and managerial skills necessary to bring entertainment to the public.

Performing Arts

The Performing Arts pathway focuses on the direct creation of art and entertainment by the individual artist through mediums such as dance, theatre, and music.

Visual & Media Arts

The Visual and Media Arts pathway includes those occupations that use visual arts, film, and digital media as the primary means of communication and expression.

New for Fall 2021

Sonic Arts

The Sonic Arts pathway examines the creation of artistic and commercial works of sound through studio techniques for occupations such as a recording engineer, digital music composer, and sound designer.

New for Fall 2021

Expressive Arts & Human Development

The Expressive Arts and Human Development pathway will emphasize developmental health across the lifespan and incorporate coursework to develop students' artistic skills.

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Game Design

The Game Design pathway will explore current industry standard technologies, media and art applications, to prepare for employment or higher education in game design.





To be surrounded by teachers and students on a daily basis who shared the same love and enthusiasm as I did for singing and the arts in general was a true gift.

- Nicole Piccolomini, Alumna





Student Life

Find Your Tribe!

The LIHSA experience is a fully immersive artistic endeavor. Being on a campus with peers who have similar aspirations allows students to focus on their art. Interacting with established, practicing artists in their chosen area provides the time young artists need to truly explore, practice, and refine their skills.

Showcase Opportunities

Our various majors offer unique and exciting performances, screenings and other showcase opportunities, where students have the chance to demonstrate the artistic skills and talents they have gained throughout their time in the program.

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