



## SPOTLIGHT AWARDS MUSIC•CENTER

Applications for The Music Center Spotlight Awards are now available online!! <http://musiccenter.org/education/spot/index.html>

The Spotlight Awards is a nationally-acclaimed scholarship and arts training program for Southern California high school students in the performing and visual arts. Open to all students who are enrolled in high school, approved independent study or home school programs in Orange, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Riverside, San Bernardino, and San Diego Counties.

The extended deadline for Performing Arts is October 9, 2007.

Visual Arts Deadline is December 1, 2007.

The Performing Arts program includes ballet, non-classical dance, classical voice, non-classical voice, classical instrumental and jazz instrumental.

All preliminary participants receive a performance evaluation letter by mail plus the opportunity to observe master classes. All who advance to the semifinal level participate in professional master classes to be held from January – March 2008 and receive \$100. Honorable Mentions receive \$250 each.

Twelve finalists will be selected, two from each category. The twelve students selected as finalists will be showcased at a gala performance at the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion on Saturday, April 26, 2008. First grand prize is \$5,000 and the second grand prize is \$4,000.

For Visual Arts; the two-dimensional design and photography program offer young artists and photographers the opportunity to have their work viewed by a panel of prominent museum curators, artists and designers as well as professional photographers and collectors. All applicants are invited to attend master classes and museum tours. All who advance to the semi-final level will receive summer scholarships and have their artwork hung in a prominent Southern California Gallery. First grand prize is \$5,000 and the second grand prize is \$4,000. Honorable Mentions receive \$250 each.

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