

CAMP YAT

YOUNG ACTORS THEATRE



ABOUT YAT

Located in Tallahassee, Young Actors Theatre has been educating students in the performing arts since founded by Tina Williams in 1975. Long regarded as a community treasure, YAT is one of the nation's few independent children's programs with its own on-site theater. Here, students ages 3 to 18 study acting, singing and dancing, but their education includes so much more. Through small classes taught by experienced, innovative instructors and professional-caliber productions, students grow up at YAT equipped to shine in all future endeavors!

OUR PURPOSE

Our purpose is to invest in the next generation of talent, create arts advocates, and develop future leaders who can think creatively and critically.

When children have access to the performing arts, research states... Reading fluidity increases in learners, test scores and GPAs rise, and school dropouts decrease.

Self-confidence is improved, which fosters optimism and resilience.

Teamwork is strengthened through the expansion of perspectives and interpersonal skills.

Innovation and problem solving are encouraged through inspired, creative thinking.

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CAMP STRUCTURE

All Campers will have the opportunity to take singing, movement, and acting classes with our team each week of camp, which will conclude with a Friday Showcase!

SHOWCASE

Each week on Friday, every camper will participate in a Showcase of the materials they have been learning throughout the week for parents and family members to enjoy.

Important information about Showcases:

- The time will be communicated to you the week of camp.
 - Your camper should wear their Showcase outfit – provided shirt and jean-material bottoms (more info to come the week of camp).
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PAYMENT PROCESS

Half of your total tuition will be charged upon registration.

The second half will be charged on May 18th.

Discount - 10% off additional weeks or for additional siblings registered.

Please Note:

Multiple weeks discount + sibling discount cannot be used together.

REFUND AVAILABILITY

A refund will be available for tuition until March 15.

All registrations past May 18 will not be eligible for a refund.

INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION

Camp communication will be via:

- Email
- Papers sent home with your Camper

Each piece of communication is crucial for you and your camper to remain fully informed! – Please do not hesitate to reach out!

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WHAT TO BRING?



CLOTHING

Your Camper should be in clothes that they can comfortably move in all day, and closed toe shoes are required! Keep in mind: campers will participate in stage blocking & dance movement!

ELECTRONICS / ITEMS

We do not recommend that your camper bring electronic devices to camp. If they do, they will be asked to keep them put away until the camp team gives permission of their use. We ask that your camper does not bring toys or items that may become lost or damaged or may be distracting to others. YAT holds no responsibility for any items that are damaged, lost, or stolen.



SNACK / MONEY (1ST - 6TH GRADERS ONLY)

If your camper is in our Camp Yat sections of Summer Camp, please send them with a snack and/or money to purchase items from concessions.

LUNCH (EXTENDED DAY ONLY)

If your camper is enrolled in our Extended Day program, please send them with a lunch.

WE DO NOT PROVIDE LUNCH.

Note - There is an opportunity to drop a lunch off should one be forgotten, but please attempt to send it with them in the morning.

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CAMP YAT: RISING 1ST - 6TH GRADERS



DROP OFF - 8:15AM ~ 8:30AM

When you arrive at YAT, your car will be routed around the building to the side of the Theatre, where our Team will greet and escort your camper to their section with their Teaching Assistant!

Campers will be fully supervised and Drivers must stay in their car, unless they fully park, and then could walk campers to the door!

Note for Monday of Camp - Your camper will be escorted to the stage to complete the simple check-in process with our Team.

CLASSES (PARTICIPATION REQUIRED)

Throughout your camper's day they will attend one class in each of the following disciplines: Acting, Movement, and Music!

SNACK TIME

(Please be mindful of all campers potential allergies)

Each day, your camper will have a 20 minute snack and break time.

Your child can bring their own snack if you wish! Or:

We will have Concessions – small snack items for sale:

- Most Concessions items are \$2 or less.
- Concessions items range from healthy, to salty, to sweet options!

If your child does not have a snack, they will get a free cup of apple juice..

EXTENDED DAY (ADDITIONAL COST) - 12:30 - 5:30 PM

Your camper will have a 30 minute Lunch and break!

Please send your child with their lunch! We do not provide Lunch!

Extended Day Campers can expect to enjoy extra classes in Acting, Movement, and Music as well as other arts related activities.

PICK UP -

(12:30 PM FOR REGULAR ~ 5:30 PM FOR EXTENDED DAY)

Pick Up will function the same way as Drop Off.

Our Teaching Assistants will greet you and get the name(s) of your camper(s) and bring them to your car!

Drivers **MUST** remain in their cars, unless they are fully parked.

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CAMP YAT JR: 3 TO 5 YEAR OLDS



DROP OFF - 2:00 PM

When you arrive at YAT, your car will be routed around the building to the side of the Theatre where our Team will greet and escort your camper to their section with their Teaching Assistant!

Campers will be fully supervised and Drivers must stay in their car, unless they fully park, and then could walk campers to the door!

Note for Monday of Camp - Your camper will be escorted to the stage to complete the simple check-in process with our Team.

CLASSES

Throughout your camper's two hour program with us, they will attend one class in each of the following areas: Acting, Movement, and Music!

POTTY TIME

We have a 20 minute designated snack and potty break!

Students must be able to use the restroom in a stall by themselves

Note Please contact the Summer Camp Director with any/all allergies/dietary restrictions!

PICK UP - 4:00 PM

Pick Up will function the same way as Drop Off.

Our Teaching Assistants will greet you and get the name(s) of your camper(s) and bring them to your car!

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PRODUCTION: RISING 7TH - 10TH GRADERS

DROP OFF - 1:30 PM

When you arrive at YAT, you can either:

- Drop your camper off in our front driveway.
- Park fully in a parking spot and have campers walk to the front porch.

All campers will wait on the front porch with their Teaching Assistant until their class begins.

CLASSES (PARTICIPATION REQUIRED)

Their class time will be devoted to putting on a production in one week! Your camper will explore the magic of story telling through advanced acting, singing, and stagecraft to create a truly spectacular performance!



PICK UP - 4:00 PM

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YOUNG ACTORS THEATRE CODE OF CONDUCT



Each Camper and Guardian is expected to adhere to YAT's Code of Conduct! Which includes but is not limited to the following:

- Harassing, discriminatory or abusive conduct or language, including emotional or verbal bullying and threats or otherwise violating YAT's Non-Discrimination & Anti-Harassment policies
 - Injuring the person or property of others, including but not limited to theft and vandalism;
 - Creating a dangerous or hazardous condition, including disruptive or disorderly conduct such as physical bullying, hazing, or horseplay;
 - Using or possessing weapons of any nature, fireworks, or an any article used in a dangerous or menacing manner;
 - Repeated tardiness or extensive absences from assigned duties, classes, rehearsals, performances and/or other activities without notification or approval;
 - Failing to comply with a staff member's reasonable request and/or being disrespectful to members of the YAT community; and/or
 - Otherwise violating the law, safety rules, practices, policies, procedures and/or rules of YAT and 609 Glenview Drive.
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CONTACT

Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns!

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