

Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* Spring 2020 (May-June) Application Preview

Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* is a unique and free ArtsConnection Teen Program for visual artists from NYC public high schools to draw inspiration from a hit musical currently on Broadway. Teens will meet fellow teen artists, participate in an interactive workshop, and attend a performance of *Dear Evan Hansen* on Broadway, which will include a talkback with members of the cast/creative team. Teens will create a piece of art inspired by the musical and their art will be displayed in an online gallery and the Music Box Theatre.

1. Eligibility: Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* is a program for students (grades 9-12) currently enrolled in a NYC public high school. We will not be able to consider students who are NOT enrolled in a NYC public high school. We cannot consider former Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* participants at this time. Students who have not previously seen *Dear Evan Hansen* are encouraged to apply.

2. Schedule for Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* (Spring 2020: February-March)

All events are in midtown Manhattan

1. Workshop: **Tuesday, May 12 from 4:30-6:30pm**
2. Attend *Dear Evan Hansen* Performance: **Tuesday, May 19 from 6-10pm**
3. Art due to ArtsConnection: **by Friday, June 5 @ 5pm**
4. Celebration: **Tuesday, June 23 @ 5pm**

3. Click on *Log-In and Apply*. For new registrants this will allow you to set up a profile and see other open applications in Teen Programs. Be sure to include your most accurate contact information in the bio so we can communicate with you. Do not include email addresses or phone numbers that you rarely use.

4. Check the *Open Applications* list and start the Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* Application. The application asks you a few questions about your availability to attend program dates, your interest in the program, and your experience and interests as a visual artist. We strongly recommend that you read over your answers before submitting your application to ensure they are clear. Here are the questions we ask you to answer on the application:

***First and last name:**

***School:**

***Current grade:**

***Best email address to reach you:**

***Best phone number to reach you:**

***How did you find out about this program?**

- I have done another ArtsConnection Teen Program
- Friends and family/word of mouth

- Sibling or relative; Friends and family participated
- Social media
- School
- Other teen or arts program
- Search engine
- Advertisement (print or online)

***Have you exhibited or participated in any other ArtsConnection Teen Programs before? Select all that apply.**

- High 5 Tickets to the Arts
- Teen Advisory Council (TAC)
- Teen Reviewers and Critics (TRaC)
- Student Art Program exhibitions (artist exhibitor)
- Teens Curate Teens (artist exhibitor)
- Teens Curate Teens (curator)
- Pizza and a Movie Night
- Internship
- Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* (please note: we cannot consider former Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* participants at this time)
- If selected, this would be my first ArtsConnection Teen Program

***Have you applied to Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* before?**

***What interests you about the Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen* visual art exhibition opportunity?**

***What do you typically gain inspiration from when creating your visual art?**

***As a visual artist, what art medium do you like to use (ex: paint, photography, etc.)?**

***Briefly describe one piece of artwork you have created that you're really proud of. What makes you proud of it?**

***Has your visual artwork ever been exhibited (at school or elsewhere) and/or won an award? If yes, please briefly tell us more about one of these experiences.**

***Have you ever taken an art class or been part of an art club at school? Have you participated in an after-school or summer art program? If yes, please briefly tell us about your favorite of these experiences.**

If you have a platform (website, Instagram, etc.) where you post your artwork, we'd love to see it! (Don't worry if you don't). Share the link or handle below.

***We're curious: Have you ever seen a Broadway show? (Don't worry if you haven't!)**

- No – this would be my first!
- Yes – I've seen 1 Broadway show!
- Yes – I've seen 2 or more Broadway shows!

***If you have seen a Broadway show, who did you attend with? Select all that apply.**

- Family or friends
- School program
- After-school program
- High 5 Tickets to the Arts

***Have you seen the musical *Dear Evan Hansen*?**

***Are you available for ALL of the Art2Art dates listed above (5/12; 5/19; 6/5; 6/23)? Please check your calendar & check with your guardian to confirm, and note that you will need to attend all dates in order to participate.**

***If not, what are your potential conflicts?**

***Will your parent/guardian approve of your participation in Art2Art: *Dear Evan Hansen*? Please note: one of the dates (Tuesday, May 19) will end around 10pm.**

***Please share the name and email address of an adult advocate who can speak to your *commitment to the visual arts* and *ability to fulfill the requirements* of the program.**

Name:

Email:

Relationship to you:

5. Save and submit your application. You can save your application and work on it later if you need to by clicking the **SAVE** button at the bottom of the screen. This is a great tool if you need more time to think about your answers. Just keep in mind that you will have to log in to the Teen Application Portal to complete and submit your application in order for it to be reviewed for the program. Once you submit the application, then you'll receive a confirmation email telling you that we have your application.

6. Application Timeline. Applications must be submitted no later than **Sunday, April 19 @ 11:59pm**. All applicants will be notified of their application status by April 24.