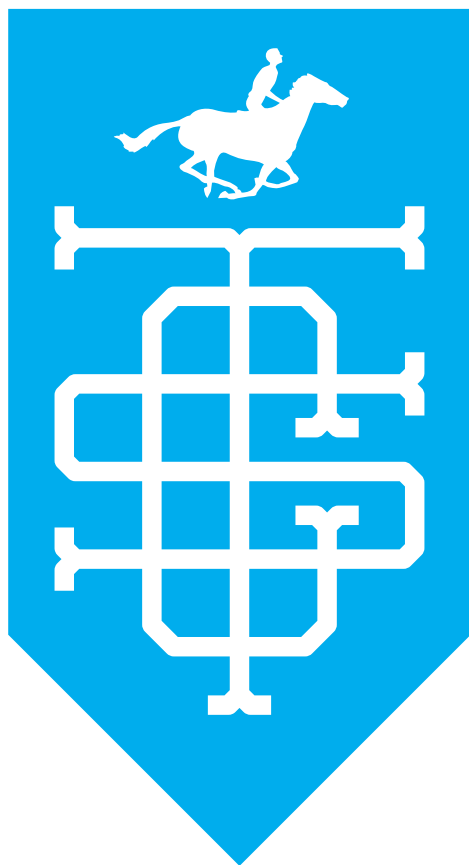


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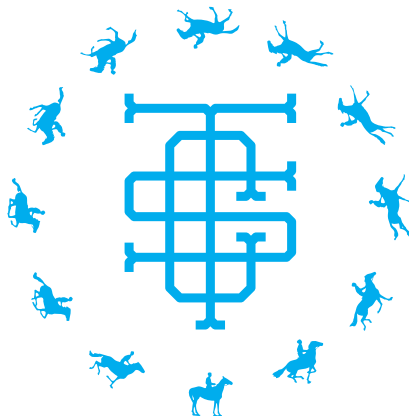


MISSION:

THE CINEMA SCHOOL IS A SELECTIVE ACADEMIC HIGH SCHOOL OFFERING A RIGOROUS LIBERAL ARTS CURRICULUM THAT IS **GROUNDED IN CREATIVITY.**

WE PREPARE OUR STUDENTS FOR THE BEST COLLEGES BY CHALLENGING THEM TO ACHIEVE NEW LEVELS OF UNDERSTANDING – OF THEMSELVES AND THE WORLD – **THROUGH THE ART OF FILMMAKING.**

OUR WELL-ROUNDED ACADEMIC PROGRAM LAYS A STRONG FOUNDATION FOR SUCCESS IN ANY FIELD WHILE SIMULTANEOUSLY EMPOWERING THE VOICES, CREATIVE VISIONS AND ASPIRATIONS OF OUR STUDENTS.



SPECIAL FEATURES



THE ANIMATION & MOVIE INSTITUTE:

Our school calendar is divided into two semesters and a separate production-intensive course (AMI) held in the spring of each year. Students learn filmmaking from professional filmmakers devoted to teach the craft and techniques for visual storytelling, with concentration in Animation (Freshman Year), Music Video (Sophomore Year), Short Film Screenwriting (Junior Year) and Sound Narrative Film (Senior Year). This cinematic expression is supported by cutting-edge media and technology.

CINEMA STUDIES AND FILMMAKING:

Filmmaking helps all students develop the creative, collaborative and organizational skills needed to excel in many fields. We offer four years of this coursework and students produce original films in their Senior year.

STRONG PARTNERSHIPS AND COMMUNITY:

Our partnership with Ghetto Film School (GFS), an award-winning local non-profit organization, provides support for all film education and production training, industry internships, guest filmmaker lecture series, and professional development. GFS assists The Cinema School by coordinating ongoing planning, external fundraising, community and industry relations, and events such as public screenings of student work.

STRONG ACADEMICS:

All students will be offered a rigorous college preparatory curriculum that is rooted in the Liberal Arts tradition with an emphasis on creative activity. AP or advanced courses will be offered in multiple subjects. All students will be required to earn an Advanced Regents Diploma.

SUPPORTIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT:

All students work with an advisor receiving personal attention and support to achieve their goals. Students will quickly learn that the skills and knowledge obtained at The Cinema School will prepare them to meet success in college and beyond in any profession they may choose.

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS



ADMISSION CONSIDERATIONS:

The Cinema School is a selective high school.

We base our admissions decisions on:

- ELA and Math Scores (preference given to level 3 and 4)
- Course grades (preference given to 85 averages and above)
- Attendance (preference given to students with 95% attendance or better)

HOW TO APPLY:

Select The Cinema School on your High School Application-
Code: Y42A

If you do not meet all of our selection criteria, but are still interested, you can schedule an interview with us. Our interview process will include a creative writing and group activity, and a short Math diagnostic exam. To schedule an interview you can:

- Attend one of our Open House events in the fall
- Come visit our table at the High School Fair in October
- Call us at (718) 620-2560 or e-mail the school's Guidance Counselor, Ms. Martinez at kmartinez@tcs-nyc.org

ACTIVITIES & PROGRAMS:

Visual Arts & Filmmaking (Mid-Winter Institute and afterschool filmmaking), Drama & Acting, Debate, Web-Design, Computer Animation. All students are eligible to play on any Monroe campus sports teams, including basketball, baseball, and track and field.

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