

**KNOW A TEEN WHO WANTS TO LEARN
TO MAKE HIP-HOP MUSIC?
NOMINATE THEM FOR THE ARTS
GREENHOUSE!**



Arts Greenhouse Nomination Form

This is the official nomination form for the Arts Greenhouse. We are currently seeking 12 motivated Pittsburgh teens for our program this upcoming Fall.

About the Arts Greenhouse

The Arts Greenhouse is a free hip-hop music education program serving Pittsburgh teens through the resources of Carnegie Mellon University. We use Carnegie Mellon's recording studio and pre-production equipment to take a small but dedicated group of Pittsburgh teens (ages 13-18) through the process of creating beats and recording a hip-hop music CD. The program is taught by J. Armstead Brown, professional beatmaker and bandleader of Eviction Notice.

Supporting workshops in special topics relating to hip-hop are lead by Luqman Abdus-salaam, professional poet, recording artist and community activist.

Nomination forms can be submitted by prospective participants, or on behalf of prospective participants.

At the end of the program in December, the best student work will be made into a CD: "Volume 2, An Arts Greenhouse Mixtape". If your music is selected to appear on the CD, you will receive 25 free copies of the disc. Placement on the CD is selected by the program instructors, and is not a guaranteed for all program participants.

The Arts Greenhouse reserves a non-exclusive right to distribute all music created with the program to publicize or fundraise for the Arts Greenhouse program. This means that participants retain rights to sell or use their music however they see fit, excepting the selling of exclusive rights.

Personal Information (of nominee)

Application Date _____
mm/dd/yyyy

Name _____
first middle last

Birth Date _____
mm/dd/yyyy

E-Mail Address _____

Home Address

Street Apartment

City/Town State ZIP/Postal Code

Mailing Address (if differs from above)

Street Apartment

City/Town State ZIP/Postal Code

Home Phone _____ **Cell Phone** _____

Emergency Contact

Name _____
first middle last

Relationship _____

Home Phone _____ **Cell Phone** _____

Educational Info

Name of High School / Middle School _____

Grade Currently Attending _____

Reference (Nominating Person)

Name _____
first middle last

Relationship _____

Short Answer Questions

Why is this person a strong candidate for the Arts Greenhouse program?

In what important ways can the candidate benefit from the Arts Greenhouse program?

Does the candidate have any prior musical experience?

(formal musical experience is not required for acceptance to the Arts Greenhouse)

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