

STAGE THE CHANGE

THE ARTS AS A SOCIAL VOICE

2020 CALL FOR ENTRIES

Take a Stand. Be Heard. UNIFY!

Who is Eligible?: All high school theatre, dance and film students

GUIDELINES:

- Submissions must be received via email prior to June 26, 2020. Please submit to rpincus@stagethechange.org
- Vignettes, films and dances must be no longer than 7 minutes and be based on the theme: **"Take a Stand. Be Heard. UNIFY!"**
- Submissions must include both a video component (link) and a full script (theatre, film) or written description (dance) attached as a PDF file. Videos should be uploaded to YouTube, Vimeo or Dropbox.
- Scripts and choreography must be original and created by students of the class performing; there is no cast size limit.
- All submissions must include a cover page with the following information: **title of piece; school name and address; name, email and phone number of the submitting teacher; name, grade level(s) of student writers/performers.**
- **Use this theme as a "framework" for submissions.** It is not necessary to quote the theme or incorporate it literally. Creators are encouraged to choose a social justice issue that effects the world at large, and should use the theme as inspiration.

What's next?

You will receive a confirmation once your submission is received. Entries will be evaluated by a panel including educators, theatre, film and dance professionals. Evaluations are based on artistic content, social message and impact. Up to three schools will be selected to perform at the 2020 conference at Tilles Center for the Performing Arts at LIU Post. Chosen schools will be notified by September 30, 2020. Performing groups are required to attend one dress/technical rehearsal at Tilles Center prior to the 2020 conference. Rehearsal date/time TBD.

Thank you so much for your participation and good luck!
Questions?: contact rpincus@stagethechange.org