



**NORTH TEXAS  
PERFORMING ARTS  
STUDIOS**

## **PREMIERE FILM PRODUCTION PROGRAM FOR GRADES 5-12**

Elevate Your Voice  
Through Cinema!

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## **Teaching Skills That Last a Lifetime**

NTPA's unique "Ten Characters" leadership development model ensures that students are not just honing their artistic skills but are also building essential life values. This dual focus on artistry and personal development is a distinguishing feature of the program.

### **LIFE SKILLS**

- ★ Teamwork
- ★ Leadership
- ★ Responsibility
- ★ Respect
- ★ Self-Confidence
- ★ Integrity
- ★ Discipline
- ★ Gratitude
- ★ Positive Attitude
- ★ Love One Another

### **FILM SKILLS**

- ★ Writing/Storytelling
- ★ Producing
- ★ Directing
- ★ Cinematography
- ★ Lighting and Sound
- ★ Set building/Props
- ★ Editing
- ★ Acting for screen
- ★ Marketing
- ★ Film Festivals



### **NEW TO FILMMAKING?**

Join us for a 1-hour New Filmmaker class!  
Offered monthly, these classes discuss what Studios is and the different cast and crew positions available. We'll help you figure out what program is the best fit for you, and will even help you put together your first audition!

North Texas Performing Arts is a nonprofit organization dedicated to developing the character of youth through quality performing arts education and family entertainment. Founded in Plano in 1991, NTPA has grown to five locations across the DFW area offering programs through 10 troupes including NTPA Studios.

NTPA Studios continues to build on the original mission of NTPA while focusing on the art of storytelling. We're not just making films; we're crafting cinematic stories that represent the diverse voices of our youth. NTPA Studios offers individual classes, filmmaking, acting and tech tracks that focus on building confident leaders in a nurturing environment. Explore, create, and grow with NTPA Studios.



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# OUR PROGRAMS

## NTPA STUDIOS PRODUCTIONS

Students are integrally involved both behind and in front of the camera as writers, producers, directors, camera operators, lighting/sound techs, editors, and on-screen actors. With the guidance of professionals, students produce a film that is premiered in a public screening at NTPA or a local movie theater.

Auditions for actors typically take place 2 weeks prior to the production with a final call back on the first day. For those interested in being behind the scenes, crew positions are usually determined at the first in-person meeting. All students are welcome to participate.

Productions include unique adaptations of classic youth stories, original scripts, and unique work of our students!

## CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS

NTPA Studios offers classes and workshops throughout the year that focus on a specific skill/area of film allowing students to take a deeper dive into the storytelling and filmmaking process.

Students do not need to take a class before joining an upcoming film production.

## FESTIVAL PRODUCTIONS

NTPA Studios offers a specific Filmmaking program geared towards those interested in learning what it takes to get a film into the film festival circuit.

Similar to NTPA productions, students lead the production of the film, however given the limited number on screen roles and crew positions, the class size may be limited depending on the film being produced.

# WHAT MAKES US UNIQUE?

## NTPA RESOURCES

NTPA offers a network of extensive resources, experienced mentors, and the opportunity to participate in a broad spectrum of performing arts experiences.

## FOCUS ON ORIGINALITY

NTPA Studios emphasizes producing original scripts and unique titles. This allows students to work on fresh content while pushing their creativity and originality.

## STATE-OF-THE-ART FACILITIES

Dedicated film, sound and editing studios, specifically designed for our programs provide students with professional-level facilities to learn and produce.

## INTERNATIONAL EXPOSURE

The NTPA International Youth Film Festival provides students an opportunity for global exposure, showcasing their work to an international audience, and to view and learn from their peers worldwide.

## COMMUNITY ORIENTATION

Being part of a community that values teamwork and respect fosters a positive learning environment for student development.



# LOCATIONS

## Willow Bend Center of the Arts

6121 W. Park Blvd. B216  
Plano, TX 75093  
The Shops at Willow Bend

## Fairview Youth Theatre

302 Town Place  
Fairview, TX 75069  
Fairview Town Center

## NTPA - Southlake

1101 N Carroll Ave.  
Southlake, TX 76092

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