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**Calling All Young Artists  
Audition for Mosaic**

September 5, 2006 – This is it, Mosaic Auditions, and they happen only once a year. Mosaic Youth Theatre, invites youth ages 11-18 from all over the metro area to audition for the upcoming season. Mosaic is calling all aspiring teenage actors, singers and technicians from Wayne, Macomb and Oakland counties, and beyond, to join Mosaic and receive professional performing arts training.

**Auditions are Tuesday September 26, Wednesday September 27, and Thursday September 28** starting at 6 p.m. each night. Auditions happen on a first come, first serve basis. Auditions will be held at the General Motors Mosaic Theatre at 610 Antoinette, between Second and Third Ave near Wayne State University. The audition fee is \$5.00 per person. Free parking is available on site.

**Actors:**

Option 1: Actors may prepare and memorize a 1-minute monologue from a published play.

Option 2: Actors can be assigned a monologue upon arrival by Mosaic staff

All candidates will participate in a series of group warm-up exercises.

**Singers:**

Singers must prepare a 2-minute song, sung a capella, (meaning without music), and they will be asked to show harmonization skills, perform scales and arpeggios

**Technicians:**

Technicians must attend a 10-15 minute interview where they will be expected to present an original creation they have made in any medium (wood, paint, metal, drawing, etc).

Every young person who auditions for Mosaic will be invited to participate in one of the three levels of training that are offered each year. **Beginning Training** classes in vocal performance and acting only are held at Youthville Detroit. Mosaic's **Intermediate Training Program**, a transitional program where members perform at Mosaic's annual holiday Perform-A-Thon, provides a higher level of training and responsibility. The **Mosaic Ensemble** is the core training program, has the most demands and is at the highest level of professionalism. The youth invited to join the Ensemble will perform at Mosaic's major events throughout the year, including Metro Tour and possible College Tour.

For additional information regarding auditions, please call Chanell Scott, Program Administrator, at **(313) 872-6910, ext 4007** or write to [chanell@mosaicdetroit.org](mailto:chanell@mosaicdetroit.org).

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