

AUDITION NOTICE

Calling performers ages 15-18!

Place des Arts' Summer Theatre Troupe (STT) is seeking youth actors to perform the A.A. Milne story of *Winnie the Pooh* as adapted by Lindsay Price. STT provides enriched learning for youth allowing them to engage with their community and learn new concepts and techniques which they can take forward into this production and beyond.

This is a paid contract, running from July 2-August 9, 2024, at \$16.75/hour (35 hour work week). Actors will attend rehearsals, learn roles as assigned and assist with technical/production elements of the production, including striking. The performance will be approximately 12 outdoor shows (tentatively set between July 24-August 2 on the Place des Arts site and/or other offsite locations). This is a non-equity production showcasing emerging talent.

We welcome applications from candidates who meet the requirements regardless of their gender, religion, race, ethnicity and nationality. We encourage submissions from members of the IBPOC and 2SLGBTQIA+ communities. You're encouraged to apply even if you don't feel you have enough experience.

Auditions will be held Saturday, April 6, 2024 from 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM,
Actors will be booked in 1-hour slots

Audition Requirements

This is a group audition where actors will participate in a warm up and imagination exercises. Actors should prepare a 30-second song of their choice and a 30-second animal study picked from the following list to present to the group. As there will be movement in the audition, please wear comfortable clothing and footwear.

Animal Choices: Owl, Pig, Bear, Donkey, Rabbit, Kangaroo

Actor Requirements

- Must be between 15 and 18 years of age at the start of employment.
- Must be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident or person on whom refugee protection had been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act.
- Must be legally entitled to work according to relevant provincial legislation and regulations.
- Must not hold another full-time (30 or more hours) summer job or full-time study during their employment.

How to Apply

Email Place des Arts' Program and Events Coordinator, Jessie Au at <u>jau@placedesarts.ca</u> with a photo or headshot and acting resume.

The deadline to apply is March 15, 2024.