New Settlement Program for Girls & Young Women Spring 2019 PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Unless otherwise noted, programs meet at <u>1525 Townsend Ave.</u> in one of our two basement program spaces and begin the week of January 28th, 2019

Project VIP (Voice, Identity, Power), grades 6th-12th (Mondays, 4:30-6pm)

Dramatic writing and performance project. Participants read and discuss poetry, literature and current events; write collaboratively and perform their own scenes, poems, and sometimes short films. *Fall, spring & summer semesters*.

G.O.A.L. (Girls Organize to Achieve Leadership), ages 14+; must be enrolled in HS or HSE program.

Do right for yourself AND **earn a monthly stipend** with perfect or near-perfect attendance in the following program components (must participate in both to earn stipend):

Futures & OptionsSM, (Mondays, 6:30-8pm)

Do you have a career planned? Do you have a resume? Are you prepared to interview for jobs? Learn to prepare for the lifestyle you want! *January-May, 2019*

College Explorers, (Tuesdays, 6:30-8pm)

Considering your options? Learn more about how to prepare for college, apply and get financial aid. Juniors also visit schools and prep for SATs in spring semester. <u>Meets at 1514 Townsend Ave, Community Rooms</u>. *October 2018-May 2019*

EDsnaps, grades 6-12 (Tuesdays 5:30-6:45pm; early birds welcome at 5)

STEM-oriented curriculum with hands-on activities that let girls personally experience "snapshots" of life-changing career possibilities in STEM fields.—including fashion, videography, photography, finance, chemistry, architecture and more. Less talk, more do! *September 2018– May 2019*.

Sadie Nash Leadership Project: Sisterhood Academy, grades 9th-12th (Wednesdays, 5-6:30pm)

Come participate in activity based workshops around identity, leadership, media, healthy relationships, wellness, youth activism and social justice. Using your own life experiences as a starting point, discuss important issues while building a community of support. Come join the sisterhood! **Stipend** (based on attendance) paid at the end of each semester. *September 2018 – May 2019.*

<u>Silence Out Loud</u> ages 14-YA **Start Date TBA** (Thursdays, 5:30-7pm) Led by performance poet Roya Marsh, these workshops are a truth telling experience through the art of spoken word, encompassing life, love, self, justice, and the power of happiness and self-actualization experienced through writing and performing. *May include photography component this spring, discussions in progress with En Foco.*

Next Level Dancers

Junior Company, ages 10-14 (Thursdays, 6-8:30pm) meets at 1514 Townsend Ave, Community Room 1 Senior Company ages 14+ (Saturdays, 12:30-4pm) meets at 1514 Townsend Ave, Community Room 1 Come join the Next Level Dancers and learn, create and perform some fierce choreography! Primary dance styles include Hip-Hop and Contemporary. September 2018– June 2019.

April 22-27, 2019 (Spring Recess for public schools) we will once again offer <u>In My Words</u>, an intensive arts workshop combining singing, visual art, theatrical performance and spoken word, open to 24 young women aged 13-18. For more information or to download the application, contact Joy Leonard or visit **www.inmywordsbronx.org**. In My Words 2019 application deadline March 22nd!

For more information, contact Director Joy Leonard at (718) 716-8000 x119 or j.leonard@newsettlement.org

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