New Settlement’s
Program for Girls & Young Women
Offers FREE arts & leadership development programs.

Spring 2020 After-school Programs include:
- Project VIP (grades 6-12) Playwriting & performance,
- G.O.A.L. (grades 9-12) Self-defense training + college prep.;
- *Sadie Nash Leadership Project (grades 9-12) Community building & youth activism;
- EDsnaps (grades 6-12) STEM-focused hands-on activities connecting science, math & art
- Silence Out Loud (ages 12-YA) performance poetry & film workshop
- Girls Encourage (ages 11-18) Adventure learning
- Next Level Dance, (ages 10-YA) Lyrical Hip Hop with a message ...

PLUS February Recess arts workshop, STEM trip and more!!

*Participants in these programs earn a stipend

Enrolling NOW for spring semester
ORIENTATION Wednesday, January 22nd
6:30-7:30pm
1514 Townsend Avenue, Bronx, NY 10452
(Between 172nd & Mt. Eden Ave.)

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La información del programa y el paquete de inscripción también están disponibles en español en
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Spring 2020 PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Unless otherwise noted, programs meet at 1525 Townsend Ave., in one of our two basement program spaces and begin the week of January 27th, 2020

**Project VIP (Voice, Identity, Power), grades 6th-12th (Mondays & Wednesdays, 5-6:15pm)**
Dramatic writing and performance project. Participants read and discuss poetry, literature & current events; write collaboratively and perform their own scenes, poems, and sometimes short films. Fall, spring & summer sessions

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

- **Living Safe and Strong, (Mondays, 6:30-8pm)** meets at 1514 Townsend Ave, Community Room 1
  Do you want to learn how to defend yourself? Are you ready to build your mind, body and spirit? Learn more about the causes of violence and how to protect yourself from it. Developed by Girls Inc. Late January – May

- **College Explorers, (2 Tuesdays per month, 6:30-8pm)**
  Considering your options? Learn more about how to prepare for college, apply and get financial aid. October 2019-May 2020. Juniors also have opportunity to visit schools and prep for SATs in more intensive spring semester with the College Access Center January-May 2020.

**Sadie Nash Leadership Project: Sisterhood Academy, grades 9th-12th (Tuesdays, 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 2019-May 2020.

**EDsnaps, grades 6-12 (2 Wednesdays per month, 6-7:30pm + trips)**
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 2019– May 2020.

**Girls EnCourage®, ages 12-18 (2 Thursdays per month, 5-6pm + trips)**

**Silence Out Loud ages 12-YA **Starts in April** (Thursdays, 6-7:30pm)** Led by performance Poet Roya Marsh & Video Artist Estefania Chavez, these workshops are a truth telling experience through the media of spoken word and video, encompassing life, love, self, justice, and the power of happiness and self-actualization. April-June 2020, start date TBD.

**Next Level Dancers** meets at 1514 Townsend Ave, Community Room 1
- **Junior Company, ages 10-14 (Thursdays, 6-8:30pm)** Starts February 6th.
- **Senior Company ages 14+ (Saturdays, 12-4pm)** Starts February 8th.
Come join the Next Level Dancers and learn, create and perform some fierce choreography! Primary dance styles include Hip-Hop and Contemporary. September 2019– June 2020.

PLUS Poetry & Film workshop and STE(A)M trip February 18-21, 2020 (when public schools are closed).

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