

TRIPLE THREAT AWARDS What to Know / Do if Your Student's Name is Called. TEACHER Information

Dear Teacher,

We are excited to have your student in the Triple Threat Awards Track as part of the lowa High School Musical Theater Awards. You should be incredibly proud of this accomplishment, as they represent hundreds of students who received Outstanding Achievement in a Principal Role.

As part of this process, your student will be auditioning for either/or both of the following recognitions:

- 1. Represent Iowa at the National High School Musical Theater Awards (The Jimmy Awards) in New York City. (Two awards bestowed).
- 2. Receive a full-ride scholarship to DMPA's Broadway Intensive Camp in Des Moines. (Four awards bestowed).

Both of these awards will be announced LIVE on stage a the IHSMTA Awards Showcase on Thursday, May 29, 2025 at 7:00pm.

There are a couple of things to note if your student's name is called on stage:

- 1. If recognized as a representative for the Jimmy Awards Students will preform
 - an ENCORE PERFORMANCE directly following the announcement.
 - a. Get your tissues ready!
- 2. ALL Award Recipients will be required to attend the Post-Show Award Recipient Meeting.
 - a. This will take place in the STONER THEATER inside the Civic Center building.
 - b. Teachers are WELCOME to join and come in to take pictures.
 - c. Students are NOT ALLOWED to leave the room until all requirements are met. This may take a couple of hours.
 - i. If you are wanting a picture with your student, please come inside the Stoner to do so. We will NOT be releasing students.
- 3. If recognized as a representative for the Jimmy Awards Students may need access to a costume worn in their production. If you still have access to those costumes, please work with the student and their caregivers to grant them access.

We at DMPA recognize that your student being recognized is partially because of YOU and the time you have poured into your student's growth. We hope you are able to come join for part of the Award Recipient Meeting so that you can be celebrated as well.

If you have any questions, please contact IHSMTA staff at ihsmta@dmpa.org.

For now, this information is just an "if my student's name is called". There is nothing you need to act on before the Showcase.

Thank you, Karoline, MK, and Maddie