

"I love it!"  
Sara, age 4

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Santa Monica Playhouse, the oldest continuously producing professional repertory theatre and theatre-for-youth conservatory in the Los Angeles area, has been providing vital theatrical services for fifty years, making an enormous impact on the local and global community, touching the lives of over five million people to date, including one million young people in local, national and international theatre workshops, school programs and arts exchanges. Home of one of the state's only Young Professionals' Companies, the Playhouse has received twelve Mayor's commendations for cultural contributions to the community.

## Acclaim from Parents, Students, Educators, Media

"Thanks for being here! *Elijah enjoys every moment he spends at the Playhouse. I find it helps with his communication skills and interacting with people. He's always so happy when he knows it's Saturday morning and time to go to class!*"

A & E Roselinsky

"You have created an oasis of remarkable values for the kids."

Association for Human Achievement

"This is the most fun I've had in a long time. *Can I come back?*"

Claire (age 4;  
she stayed at the Playhouse until age 12)

"...probably the best continuing children's theatre program in the area, *if not one of the best in the country.*"

DAILY VARIETY

"It is one of the best institutions in the city *and you are an angel for establishing the program.*"

G. Segal (parent)

"*Santa Monica Playhouse is supported by a strong creative and instructional staff dedicated to providing young people enriched experiences.*"

S.S.L. (educator and parent)

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**Children's Programs**  
**in Los Angeles!"**

L.A. PARENT, L.A. MAGAZINE,  
DAILY VARIETY, L.A. TIMES MAGAZINE

# Early Stages Create-a-Play Workshops for kids 4 to 6

## Theatre Magic

Santa Monica Playhouse offers an internationally recognized one-of-a-kind program where young thespians ages 4 to 6 experience the joys of creativity and self-expression as they sing, dance and act in a colorful and fun workshop environment. Early Stages focuses on theatre as a total activity, emphasizing:

*Creativity & Imagination*

*Freedom of Expression*

*Singing & Storytelling*

*Building Confidence & Self-esteem*

*Make-up*

*Props*

*Costumes*

*Body Movement*

*Dance*

*Arts & Crafts*

*Masks and more*

## The Schedule

Monday through Friday  
9:00am to noon

July 23-Aug 10, 2012

Dues: \$495.00 per session

(Visit [SantaMonicaPlayhouse.com](http://SantaMonicaPlayhouse.com)  
for fall & spring dates)



## The Program

Members of the workshop create and present an original scene which is incorporated into the Play Production Workshop presentation and performed for family and friends at the end of the session. During the semester, members participate in structured creative activities that stimulate cognitive, language, social, emotional and physical skills in the early stages of a child's development. Early Stages offers youngsters imaginative play that instills a true love of creativity and sharing, and challenges the imagination through self-expression, play and performance. But most important of all, it's just plain fun!

## The Personnel

Teachers are professional theatre artists trained in the Santa Monica Playhouse Acting Method and related areas of expertise, and have studied and taught with such institutions as the UCLA Institute for Early Education, the English Shakespeare Company, the American Academy of Dramatic Arts and the Strasberg Institute. Santa Monica Playhouse alumni include Kate Hudson, Zooey Deschanel, Jason Ritter, Obi Ndefo, Rina Mimoun, Liz Dean, Jason Segel and Cami Anderson.

## Registration

Enrollment is limited!  
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