



Trope Performer



Badge Overview

Find out what goes into putting on a show. When you've earned this badge, you'll know how to organize a team of people and put together a performance.

Badge Components

1. Pick your performance style

There are many different styles of performing arts: dance, singing, musical theater, spoken word, poetry, and even magic, to name a few. Earn this step by learning about the different variety of performing arts and choosing one to explore for this badge.

- Dance: Learn about dance by watching this [video](#)
- Singing: Learn about singing by watching this [video](#)
- Musical: Theatre: Learn about musical theatre by watching this [video](#)
- Spoken Word: Learn about spoken word by watching this [video](#)
- Poetry: Learn about poetry by watching this [video](#)
- Feel free to explore other types of performing arts not included in this list!

2. Find and develop material

Earn this step by watching the appropriate video associated with the performance you choose in Step 1, and then create your own performance

- Get inspired by these performances: [Dance](#) [Singing](#) [Musical Theatre](#) [Spoken Word](#) [Poetry](#)
- Now, begin creating your own performance inspired by your video. For example, if you choose dance, begin developing your one-of-a-kind choreography, or if you choose spoken word, write your story on paper.

3. Rehearse!

Rehearsing is very important, and helps you prepare for your live performance. Earn this step by rehearsing your performance 5 times. Also, make sure to watch this [video](#) on why rehearsing is important!

- BONUS!** Consider recording your performance. This allows you to look back and see your performance differently through the eyes of the audience. You may notice little things you'd like to change or correct through this process.

4. Launch your performance

The promotion of your performance is just as important as creating it. When productions on Broadway begin development, an entire Marketing department works to promote the show—because without sales and spectators, the production couldn't go on. Earn this step by promoting your performance. Here are some ways to do this. Make sure you have your parents permission before doing any of these suggestions.

- Create a flyer/poster to promote your show and send it through a group text to your family and friends.
- Post about your upcoming performance on social media-create an event or a canva graphic.
- Create an electronic invite to send your friends and family through email.

5. Put on your show

It's time to take a bow! Earn this step by performing your show. Invite your family and friends over to perform in person or record your show and screen it together!

Materials

- Access to internet
- Something to write with
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