## THE MAJOR LIFT

# Individual & Community Well-Being Through Music

Collaborative Songwriting Workshops
Interactive Youth Programs
Experiences for Teachers
Team Building







**UNSILENCE** 

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You have a story worth telling and a song worth singing. We can help you write it! Songwriting isn't just for pop singers and writers camps. The Major Lift team is passionate about giving music lovers of ALL ability levels the tools to bring their own stories, hopes, and emotions to life through song.

Our workshops are led by professional songwriters, performers, and educators with decades of experience. Our programs guide communities through vulnerability towards well-being and healing.

### **UNSILENCE**

The Major Lift is partnering with Unsilence!
Unsilence fills a critical gap in civics education.
Through storytelling, the arts, and serious games, we unsilence hidden histories, injustices, and marginalized voices. We spark dialogue, support critical thinking, and build empathy to inspire healing and social change.

#### **STEP 1: CHOOSE YOUR CONTENT**

#### FIND THE SONG THAT'S BEEN THERE ALL ALONG

Everyone has a story worth telling and a song worth singing. We can help you find it!

#### **SHAMELESS**

A collaborate songwriting workshop that gives participants tools to overcome shame through vulnerability.

#### STRONGER TOGETHER

A team-building workshop! your team will become closer as they construct the world-premiere of their own song!

#### **MUSICAL QUEER**

An identity-based workshop that explores music as it relates to gender, voice, and body.

#### **SOCIAL JUSTICE JAMS**

Songs with something to say. Unsilence injustice in the world together as you collaborate on a social justice song for the here and now.

#### **SOUND CAN GROUND**

Singing as breathing and music as a way of regulation.

#### **MINOR TO MAJOR LIFT**

Switch up the story. We will use a common technique in pop structure as a tool to inspire students to rewrite their own stories and reclaim their narratives in song!

#### **STEP 2: CHOOSE YOUR AUDIENCES**

#### **EDUCATORS**

Elementary School Teachers
Middle School Teachers
High School Teachers
Informal Educators
Museum Docents
Youth Workers & Social Workers
College Professors and Instructors
Medical Teams

#### YOUNG PEOPLE

Middle School High School University & College Youth Center Participants Choirs

#### **ADMINISTRATORS & TEAMS**

School Administrators
Museum Leaders
University & College Administrators
Nonprofit Teams
Government Workers and Policy Makers

#### **PUBLIC**

Parents & Caregivers
Congregations of Faith
Community Leaders
Volunteer & Civic Groups
Corporate Teams
General Public
Libraries
Other

#### **STEP 3: CHOOSE YOUR GROUP SIZE**

Intimate Groups 4-15
Classrooms 15-35
Medium Group 35-75
Large Group 75-150
Auditorium 150+

#### **STEP 4: CHOOSE PROGRAM DEPTH**

Short Session 45 minutes to 1 hour

Full Session 1.5 - 2 hours Half Day 2.5-4 hours Full Day 4.5-8 hours

Multi-Day Tailored to your community

#### **COMMUNITIES SERVED**

#### Illinois

Lurie Children's Hospital

Till Elementary

Sawyer Elementary

Mitchell Elementary

Nicholson Stem

Cooper Elementary

Rowe Middle School

Evergreen Academy

Hanson Elementary

Kershaw Elementary

Charles Henderson Elementary

John H Kinzie

Armour School

Westcott Elementary

Columbia Explorers Academy

Ariel Academy

Loyola Academy

Metropolis Theater

Till Elementary

Lincolnwood Academy

Stevenson High School

Till Elementary

Sawyer Elementary

Mitchell Elementary

Nicholson Stem

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Rowe Middle School

Evergreen Academy

Hanson Elementary

Kershaw Elementary

Charles Henderson Elementary

#### **Texas**

Skyview Elementary

#### Michigan

Fennvile High School

#### **California**

Junior League California Chapter

#### Ohio

Wogaman Middle School

**DECA Middle School** 

Incarnation Catholic Middle School

Magsig Middle School

Vandalia Butler High School

Chamberlain Middle School

Northridge High School

Springboro High School

Kettering Middle School

Houston High School

Carroll High School

Chaminade-Julienne High School

Kettering Fairmont High School

Tower Heights Middle School

Wright Brothers Middle School

Oakwood High School

Piqua Junior High

Coy Middle School

Fair Lawn High School

Graham Middle School

Xenia High School

Dixie High School

Wayne High School

Tecumseh High School

Trotwood Middle School

Archbishop Alter High School

Beavercreek High School

Miamisburg Middle School

Northmont High School

Bethel High School

Weisenborn Junior High

#### Minnesota

Camp Quality USA

Minnesota Childrens