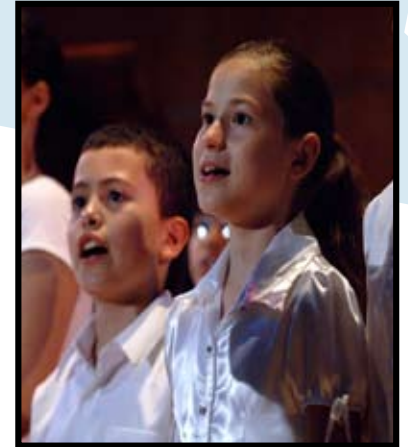




# Jazz House Kids now auditioning for the Vocal Summit Jazz Choir



**Wednesdays - 6:30-7:45 pm**  
**Spring Tuition: \$400 - 16 weeks**  
**No class held on April 21**

**Instructor: Philip Bingham**

This spring, Jazz House Kids launches its Vocal Summit Jazz Choir for New Jersey youth. Our junior choir will introduce the art of singing to students with little or no experience. Come discover the musical artistry and discipline of jazz choral singing lead by the former Associate Director of the New York City All City High School Chorus. Jazz House Kids will connect today's youth to the original American musical art form of Jazz. Participating students will learn fundamentals of jazz, while mastering vocal techniques such as legato, staccato, control of dynamics, posture, breathing and sight-reading. The choir will emphasize part-singing, repertoire development and live performance accompanied by professional jazz musicians. The vocal arrangements will explore the rich harmonies and creativity of jazz.

**Cultivate  
your  
talent!**

Jazz House Kids is currently conducting an open call audition for The Vocal Summit Jazz Choir. We have a limited number of openings that are still available. Students ages 9 to 14 are encouraged to audition. No prior jazz vocal experience is necessary, however, candidates should have a clear voice, a sense of pitch and rhythm, and a commitment to actively participate and consistently attend rehearsals and class performances.

**The audition process is simple!** Candidates may sing a song of their choice or "Happy Birthday", and should be able to sing basic music patterns and melodies. Students may be asked to echo a music phrase and read a short paragraph out loud and learn an easy song. The interactive, positive and fun audition will take 10-15 minutes to complete.



**Call Now - Space is Limited! 973.744.2273**

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# Vocal Summit Jazz Choir

**At the Jazz House, you get more than a music class!**

## About the Instructor: Philip Bingham

Philip Bingham is composer, arranger, and music education leader. Mr. Bingham has been setting a higher standard for children's music education for over two decades, conducting choirs both in the New York metropolitan area and internationally and receiving accolades for his accomplishments. As a former Associate Director of the New York City All City High School Chorus, Mr. Bingham has been recognized as a consummate choral teacher and conductor.

## The Jazz House Kids Mission

Jazz House Kids is dedicated to improving the quality of life for young people through the medium of jazz. We provide young people with an innovative concept of understanding music. Working together with professional jazz musicians and educators we build a musical foundation wherein a blending of multiple intelligences, the arts, and other disciplines are a natural component. At the Jazz House, we embrace one of America's greatest contributions to the world.

**Build a Jazz House ~ Build a Child's Future!**

**Jazz  
Jammers Social Club**  
Receive exciting invitations  
to monthly jazz events!

**Audition for Spring 2010  
Class starts Wednesday, February 3**

**Auditioning ages 9-14\***

Wednesday, January 20 from 6:30-7:45 pm

Wednesday, January 27 from 6:30-7:45 pm

**Auditions and classes will be held at**

Jazz House Kids

14 South Park Street, Floor 2 within SMAPA

Montclair, NJ 07042

**Phone us at 973.744.2273 to reserve your audition time.**

\*Young people outside of this age range should call JHK to inquire about future auditions.



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