

## Instructors

**Music Doing Good In Schools** focuses on the personal strengths of each child, thus increasing their learning and artistic potential. The program is led by Aisha Ussery Adams and Phillip Hall, both professional performing artists who have also taught fine arts classes in the Houston Independent School District.



**Aisha Ussery Adams**, a graduate of University of Houston and LeTourneau University (post-graduate), brings 10 years of classroom experience to the program. A certified Fine Arts Teacher, she is a choreographer, director, vocalist, flautist, performer and educator. Adams has performed with Delfeayo Marsalis and Kelly Rowland of Destiny's Child, as well as performed for Nelson Mandela's 90th birthday in South Africa.

A Rice University graduate, **Phillip Hall** recently completed his 17th year as a public school educator. He has performed with Aretha Franklin and Liza Minnelli and for Presidents H. W. Bush and Bill Clinton. Hall is a member of the Texas Music Educators Association and an accomplished pianist and was also asked to accompany a choir assembled to commemorate Nelson Mandela's 90th birthday.

Aisha and Phillip are keenly aware that every child is unique, valuable and every role is important!

**Music Doing Good in Schools** is an innovative, interdisciplinary, musical arts, afterschool enrichment program for students ages 7 to 18 who want to take their skills to a higher level. Designed to enlighten, motivate, and stimulate student creativity using a diversified approach to music, this unique approach brings together music, dance and theater to support core curriculum learning such as math and science in a challenging, interactive and engaging environment where students work in harmony to create a live musical production that is presented at The Hobby Center for the Performing Arts on May 10, 2012 at 7:30pm.



### Schedule

**Spring & Fall Sessions:**  
**Feb - May | Sept - Dec**

Music Doing Good In Schools takes place each week for two (2) hours after school for a period of 12 - 14 weeks. In addition, there are **four (4) Saturday rehearsals** students are required to attend in preparation for the ensemble performance. Contact Phillip Hall for specific dates.

I'm bored. :(

well, what r u doin after school?

idk

Come join Music Doing Good in Schools and have fun with some friends?

what do y'all do?

make music, sing, dance, express ourselves through music

OMG! That sounds awesome!  
How do I join?



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## Benefits to Students

**Music Doing Good In Schools** is designed to enlighten, motivate and stimulate students' creativity by using music as a vehicle to reach the whole child.

The TEKS aligned program enables kids to:

- gain real-world knowledge of professional artistic experience
- develop leadership skills
- problem solve and use collaborative skills that increase self-respect and confidence
- release inhibitions and hone their ability to express themselves in a supportive, nurturing environment

## Procedures

We believe in fostering creativity through structure and discipline. Students and parents must follow the expectations set forth by Music Doing Good In Schools to create an optimal learning environment.

The requirements are to:

- be respectful
- stay open to constructive criticism
- be present and punctual
- emphasize quality and maximize your efforts
- listen attentively when someone has the floor
- risk your comfort zone in trying something new
- And most of all...enjoy yourself!

## How do I join?

**Music Doing Good In Schools** is open to students of all skill levels, ages 7 – 18. This program is free. To sign up or learn more, or have Music Doing Good In Schools visit your campus, please contact Phillip Hall, Assistant Program Director at [Phillip@MusicDoingGood.org](mailto:Phillip@MusicDoingGood.org).

Space is limited.



### About Music Doing Good

Music Doing Good, Inc. is a 501c3 performing arts organization whose mission is philanthropy through music. Through world-class concert events and music education programs, we generate friends and funds for outstanding non-profits working in health, education, music, and children's charities, enabling patrons to give back to the community.



"In elementary school, I was very shy, but when I came to Mrs. Adams' class, she made me find myself and who I am. She inspired me to do everything I do."

**-Sarah (13)**

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