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## Coronado School of the Arts Welcomes Aspiring Artists to Open House

November 4, 2010 • 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Coronado High School Performing Arts Center  
650 D Avenue • Coronado, CA,

**October 12, 2010** – Is your student looking for a high school that emphasizes academic excellence and nurtures artistic expression? Coronado School of the Arts (CoSA) may be just what you are looking for. Artistically inclined teens and their parents are invited to attend the annual Open House at Coronado School of the Arts (CoSA) on Thursday, November 4, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. All parents and students interested in CoSA's award winning classical and contemporary dance, digital media, instrumental music, theatre, technical theatre, and visual art programs are encouraged to attend.

CoSA is a public arts conservatory for high school students that embraces and encourages artistic creativity and academic excellence. This pre-professional arts program is open to talented students from all over San Diego County. Students enrolled in the CoSA program choose, apply and audition for a discipline (listed above) and, once accepted, attend academic classes at Coronado High School (CHS) and CoSA classes after the traditional school day is over (also on the CHS campus).

CoSA's Open House will feature short performances and art displays by current students, an introduction to CoSA staff and guided tours. CoSA faculty, board members, parents, and student ambassadors will be on hand to answer questions about the school.

The Performing Arts Center on the campus of CHS boasts state-of-the-art-equipment and practice facilities for all of the CoSA disciplines. CoSA is the only San Diego area performing and visual arts school to be designated as a unique program by the San Diego County Office of Education. This allows students from all over the county who are accepted to CoSA to attend CHS and CoSA via an interdistrict transfer.

The open house will provide detailed information about the application process. For more information visit [www.cosafoundation.org](http://www.cosafoundation.org) or call 619.615.4050.

### **About Coronado School of the Arts (CoSA)**

CoSA is a public arts conservatory for high school students that embraces and encourages artistic creativity and academic excellence. This pre-professional arts program reaches out to talented students from all over San Diego County and offers a nurturing environment focused on individual growth, opportunity, and diversity. For more information on CoSA or the Foundation, call 619.522.4050 or visit [www.cosafoundation.org](http://www.cosafoundation.org).

Three photos: 1. CoSA dance student. 2. CoSA digital media student at work.