



July 2023

Dear APA Students and Families,

It is time for the 27th annual **APA Walk for the Arts!** **The walk is on Friday, October 13th** and we need your enthusiasm and support to kick off APA’s biggest fundraiser of the year. This fundraiser is led by our very own APA Student Council, with all money raised directly benefiting our APA students. This year, our goal is to raise \$50,000 for the extra expenses that go along with APA’s quality arts education. The funds raised will be used for APA field trips, student dances, special master classes with industry professionals, care packages for the APA New Student BBQ and APA Big/Little Program, and the APA Academy Awards in June. Turn in your Sponsor Form Envelope beginning Aug. 28th (APA Back to School Meeting).

Once again, APA is partnering with the Educational Enrichment Foundation for the Arts (or, “EEFA”) to make our Walk for the Arts the most successful ever. EEFA’s mission is to improve arts education by attracting local business and community support. The more EEFA and APA raise, the more our APA students benefit!

All check donations for this year’s Walk for the Arts should be made out to “EEFA,” as EEFA has the 501(c)3 non-profit status. All funds donated to APA through EEFA are **100% tax deductible**, as well as eligible for various corporate matching funds programs (such as Boeing, Home Depot, and Southern California Edison, to name a few).

APA students often find success when they write a personalized letter, email, or text message to ask for support from family, friends, neighbors, voice teachers, dentists, local businesses – *anyone* in your community! We recommend visiting the following website for some easy and thoughtful templates: hbapa.online/donation-letters.

When you are ready to return your student’s Sponsor Form Envelope, be sure that your student’s name is printed on the front and that all donations are inside. Each donation should be attached to its corresponding EEFA Donation Receipt (only attach the top white copy, as the yellow copy goes back to each donor for their records).

Donors of \$50 or more will be recognized by APA, so please be sure to record accurate information on your Sponsor Form Envelope and EEFA Donation Receipts. If you have any questions or need any additional materials, you are always welcome to contact the APA office.

Thank you for being a part of APA’s Walk for the Arts, as your participation makes APA possible!

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Huntington Beach Academy for the Performing Arts



OCTOBER 13TH
*APA'S BIGGEST
Fundraiser of the Year!*

APA STUDENTS WHO RAISE THE MOST CAN WIN...

1ST PRIZE An APPLE IPAD

2ND PRIZE A Bluetooth Record Player

3RD PRIZE An HP Portable Printer

Raise \$250 and turn in your Sponsor Form
Envelope beginning AUG 28th (APA Back-to-School Meeting)
or by the **SEPT 29th DEADLINE** to be eligible for
PRIZE DRAWINGS during the
Walk for the Arts on **OCT 13th!**

AIR PODS

MINI FRIDGE

APA SHOW JACKETS

AKA "LETTERMAN JACKETS"

GIFT CARDS

MOVIE PASSES

...AND MORE!