



## Calling High School Actors!

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This year, we're aiming to hold a showcase at our final session to act out our students' works!

They will be writing a story and watching it come to life as we invite local high school theatre groups to act them out.

**For more info contact: [info@reach4pylusd.org](mailto:info@reach4pylusd.org)**

# Testimonials:

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## Emily Pasillas (Founder)

“I was inspired to do Imagination Team because of the great experience I had as an elementary student with Imagination Machine and I wanted to find a way to bring that magic of creative writing to kids year-round. Seeing the students improve and find their own voices and writing styles after every lesson was the most rewarding to see that the program is actually making a difference in their writing skills and confidence.”



## Mrs. Pasillas

“The Imagination Team is a remarkable program because it offers invaluable small group support by high school students, directly addressing individual student needs in writing in elementary. This personalized attention is instrumental in both motivating students' creativity and significantly improving their writing skills.”



## Ms. Gisele

“Our imagination is the fuel to our creativity and inner strength. I'm proud of our interns who are leading the Imagination team program designed to support younger elementary students harness their imagination.”

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## Angela Yao (Intern)

“I think being a part of the Imagination Team was a great learning experience for both the students and me. Interacting with the children, helping them spell certain words, and learning about them through small conversations was an exhausting but insightful journey. It was great making memories with and hopefully making an educational difference in the children’s lives!”



## Lauren Gei (Intern)

“Imagination Team is such a fun and creative after-school class where kids learn to truly love English. I had the chance to help design the lesson plans for the program, and my goal was to make every activity feel like play instead of schoolwork. It’s been so rewarding to see how that approach helps students come out of their shells, build confidence, and get excited about reading, writing, and expressing themselves in new ways!”



## Evelyn Yao (Intern)

“I loved volunteering with the Imagination Team last spring! Being able to be part of the students’ creative processes and helping them write their stories is such a blessing and I am so grateful to be able to do so. Even when we have free time, hearing about their days and lives at school is really fun. I would highly recommend anyone to volunteer because it is just helping the kids with basic reading and writing!”