

## BECOMING A NEW STUDENT

1. Attend one of our scheduled open tour days to learn more about our arts programs and visit the program location
2. Schedule a 3-5 day trial during which the student can experience immersion into the arts while accompanied by a familiar family member, friend, guardian or other adult
3. Once it is determined Cobblestone's arts program is a fit for you and services are approved, we will set up an Intake Meeting with your team and Intake Case Manager to discuss:
  - which days you will attend program
  - daily goals
  - transportation needs

## Contact Us

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Program Hours: 8:45am-2:15pm

Office Hours: 8:00am-3:30pm

Monday-Friday



**EMBRACING THE ARTS FOR ALL**

*Celebrating the Arts  
Dayhab program*



*"Witnessing Katie's happiness onstage, performing with a dedicated staff, reflects the exceptional atmosphere and care at Cobblestone."  
- Marybeth Speicher*

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## The **“Celebrating the Arts” Dayhab**

**Program** was created to offer persons with disabilities an educational program focused on the arts. Our classes in Theatre, Dance, Music, and Visual Arts are aimed to help students achieve a higher potential while developing a sense of involvement in the community. Our “Celebrating the Arts” day program is a full day NYS Medicaid waived program. The program runs from 9am to 2pm, Monday through Friday, all year long. Our participants range from students transitioning out of high school to senior citizens.

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*“Jake’s continuous growth in musical theater and his joy spending time at Cobblestone confirms that it’s the perfect fit for his passions and development.” - Pat Webster*

In our **Dayhab Without Walls ( DWOW)** program, students have the opportunity to visit local galleries, libraries, free concerts, and many other events or locations. These students also take part in our arts-based curriculum.

Our **On-Site program** is a classroom setting focused on arts-based classes and continuing their education.



- Our visual arts classes encourage students to explore their unique creative expressions through drawing, painting, sculpting, and more. These sessions enhance emotional and visual motor skills while also fostering fine motor development
- Our theater classes focus on all aspects of theater productions and public speaking throughout the year. They learn songs, dialogue, assist with making sets, costumes, and more. All shows are performed for friends, family, and the community.
- Our dance classes emphasize leadership through learning choreography and supporting one another. Dance enhances cognitive, emotional, and motor skills by incorporating yoga, ballet, ballroom, jazz, tap, and musical theatre techniques in classes.
- Our music classes focus on vocal instruction. Through reciting lyrics, working on pronunciation, and memorizing songs, students improve in their emotional, communicative, cognitive, and diaphragmatic motor skills.

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*“Cobblestone’s impact on Chrissy’s life echoes in her newfound abilities, interactions, and happiness, a testament to their dedication and care.” - Rose Sosa*

## TRANSPORTATION

Cobblestone Arts Center transports individuals to and from program across 5 counties. Our transportation specialists are hired and trained by Cobblestone Arts Center. Transportation is included to our 4 different program locations: On-site, Studio, DWOW Hub & Waterloo



*“The arts-focused program at Cobblestone was a perfect fit for Gerry, nurturing his love for music, dance and drama, fostering growth and happiness daily.” - Julie Kurtz*

## Performance Opportunities

Focusing on different themes throughout the year, students engage in a variety of material. At the end of each theme, we present a show during program, featuring their growing performing skills