**Discovery Young Programmers 2025 – Application Form**

**Please complete all sections of this form and email to** [**amaya.marco@dca.org.uk**](mailto:amaya.marco@dca.org.uk) **with the subject line Discovery Young Programmers 2025 – Application Form**

**If you prefer to fill in an online form, please use this link:** [**https://forms.office.com/e/5M5iyh0qmv**](https://forms.office.com/e/5M5iyh0qmv)

**Eligibility**

Please complete the following checklist to check whether you are eligible for the Discovery Film Festival – Discovery Young Programmers programme. You will need to check all the required questions below.

☐ I am aged 15-19 years old on the first day of the programme \*

☐ I live within commutable distance to Dundee Contemporary Arts \*

☐ I am available in person on the following dates: Monday 4 – Friday 15 August (the programme will run on weekdays only), 25 & 26 October and 1 & 2 November (Discovery Film Festival dates; the Discovery Young Programmers’ event will take place during the festival, exact date to decided in August) \*

☐ I am NOT currently enrolled at University or at College when the course starts \*

**Applicant information**

To be completed by the participant:

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| **Full Name** |  | | |
| **Preferred Name (optional)** |  | | |
| **Date Of Birth** |  | **Age** |  |
| **Pronouns (optional)** |  | **Ethnicity (optional)** |  |
| **Email address** |  | | |
| **Phone** |  | | |
| **Name of school/college** |  | | |
| **Home address**  **(inc postcode):** |  | | |  | **Date** |  |

DCA is an equal opportunities organisation, please fill in the following to help us to support you appropriately. All information will remain confidential.

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|  | **YES** | **NO** | **PREFER NOT TO SAY** |
| Do you consider yourself to be disabled?  If yes please provide more details below: |  |  |  |
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| Do you have any access requirements?  If yes please provide more details below: |  |  |  |
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| Do you have any difficulties using stairs?  If yes please provide more details below: |  |  |  |
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To be completed by the participant’s parent/guardian:

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| **Name of Parent or Guardian** |  | | |
| **Is the Parent / Guardian the Emergency Contact? If not, please write name of Emergency Contact** |  | | |
| **Emergency Contact Tel No** |  | **E-mail address** |  |
| I confirm that I have given my permission for this individual to participate as a Discovery Young Programmer 2025. I would also like to be copied in to all the group’s e-mail information and messages: YES / NO | | | |
| **Signature** |  | **Date** |  |

**Supporting statement**

Here we want to hear why you love film and what makes you want to participate in the Discovery Film Festival – Discovery Young Programmers’ 2025 Programme.

We anticipate we will receive more applications than we have spaces for. If you are not selected, it doesn’t mean you aren’t right for the programme. Since we only have 5 spaces available, we will need to make some difficult decisions. Everyone will be notified of the outcome of their application.

Please use this section to tell us why you want to take part and why we should select you.

If you prefer to answer these questions through an audio or video file, please send us a file to [amaya.marco@dca.org.uk](mailto:amaya.marco@dca.org.uk)

Please try to keep your audio or video files to under 5 minutes. Applications will not be disqualified if you have to go over five minutes.

1. Why do you want to take part in this year’s Discovery Young Programmers? What do you expect you will gain from the experience? \* (up to 300 words)
2. Tell us about a favourite film of yours. In your response include what you liked the most about it, how it made you feel, if the place where you watched it made a difference in how you felt about it, and who did you watch it with. \* (up to 300 words)

**How your information will be used**

In order to progress your application, for administrative purposes, DCA will record, keep and hold the personal data which you have provided in this application stored in our files. Your data will not be transferred to any third parties outside of DCA. If you are successful DCA will retain this data as part of your record which will be stored on the basis of our Privacy Policy. In the event your applications is unsuccessful, we will hold the application and the data contained for a year in case of a future learning opportunity which we may invite you to apply for, following which we will delete it. If you have any questions about DCA’s use of data please contact us.