

## 7. 2025 STUDENT REPORTER SEARCH

Each year, the Jimmy Awards invites select Student Reporters from participating Regional Awards Programs to cover Jimmy Awards events through social media. This provides a chance to expand connections into local schools' journalism, film, and other related departments. Student Reporters work directly with the Jimmy Awards Digital team which allows them to receive an insider look at the digital marketing strategy of Jimmy Awards coverage while gaining insight into the field as a whole.

Two (2) Student Reporters identified via a national search will be brought to NYC to cover the Jimmy Awards this year. Applicants may be submitted by their RAP only and must NOT be students who are eligible to compete as a nominee for The Jimmy Awards. There is a limit of two (2) student reporter applicant submissions per RAP. Submissions are due on Monday, April 14, 2025.

All applicant materials must be submitted by the RAP. You may use the Student Reporter Submission Form provided on pages 42 – 44 (*Reference Form C*) if it is useful in collecting this information from your applicant(s), however, you will input each answer into individual fields in the Google Form linked below.

- [\*\*This page may be shared with prospective applicants explaining our rules and criteria.\*\*](#) Feel free to distribute this to the teachers and schools in your RAP network. How you choose your student reporter applicant(s) is entirely up to your program.
- [\*\*The form to submit your chosen student reporter applicant\(s\) can be found here.\*\*](#) **This page is for your use only; do not share it with schools or students.** The form includes a link you may use to upload your applicant video(s). **Jimmy Awards Student Reporter submissions are due no later than Monday, April 14.** If you have any issues with the form or uploading the video(s), please contact Erin Coffey at [\*\*ECoffey@Broadway.org\*\*](mailto:ECoffey@Broadway.org).

**Student Reporter candidates will be notified whether they will move on to the second round of consideration on or around May 5, 2025. Finalists will be notified of the outcome of their application on or around June 2, 2025.** Notifications will be sent directly to the candidates at the email address provided. The RAP Manager will be copied on the notification email.