

Since 1991, A Noise Within Theatre has been producing world-class classic theatre. For the A Noise Within Teen Monologue Festival 2025, we encourage participants to select monologues from one of the following playwrights. We consider these playwrights essential members of the classic theatre canon.

Ayad Akhtar, David Auburn, Annie Baker, Amiri Baraka,
Anton Chekhov, Alice Childress, Caryl Churchill, Nilo Cruz,
Christopher Durang, María Irene Fornés,
Federico García Lorca, Stephen Adly Guirgis,
Lorraine Hansberry, David Henry Hwang,
Quiara Alegría Hudes, Henrik Ibsen, Rajiv Joseph,
Tony Kushner, Tracy Letts, David Lindsay-Abaire,
Christopher Marlowe, Arthur Miller, Molière, Lynn Nottage,
Qui Nguyen, Eugene O'Neill, Suzan-Lori Parks, Manuel Puig,
José Rivera, Sarah Ruhl, William Shakespeare, Sam Shepard,
Ntozake Shange, Anna Deavere Smith, Tom Stoppard,
Diana Son, Oscar Wilde, Thorton Wilder, Luis Valdez, Tennessee
Williams, August Wilson, George C. Wolfe, Mary Zimmerman

Teen Monologue Festival monologue selections must be between one and two minutes. They must be from a published play written before 2010.

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