



Jordan Sanchez

Poet, Advocate, Student

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Born and raised in the Bronx, Jordan Sanchez has always loved sharing her perspective through creative writing. A spoken word poet dedicated to leaving the world better than she found it, her words have reached hundreds of millions of people, including Lizzo, Lin-Manuel Miranda, Chadwick Boseman, Danai Gurira, Lupita Nyong'o, and more. No matter who is in the audience, Jordan's goal remains the same: remind people that this is their world and they too have the power to change it.

After being named a finalist in the Climate Museum's 2019 Climate Speaks competition, she has performed for various organizations including the United Nations Environment Programme, Rare, the Climate Group, the Raben Group, and Everytown for Gun Safety. Her work has been featured in several publications and documentaries by PBS, The New Republic, Reuters, and more. "Reimage, Recreate, Restore" is currently displayed in the Peabody Essex Museum's Climate Action exhibit.

Jordan is a Junior at Harvard University concentrating in Mathematics and Teaching with a secondary in Educational Studies. As a participant in the Undergraduate Teachers Education Program by the Harvard Graduate School of Education, she will graduate with a K-12 Teaching Certification valid in Massachusetts and its states with reciprocity agreements. When she's not studying or performing, you can find her advocating for educational equity, sharing resources for young women living with ADHD, or mentoring high school students through the college application process. She is the 2022 Miss Five Boroughs in the Miss America Organization and will be competing for the job of Miss New York in May 2022.

Complete List of Performances & Appearances

2022 Act Now, Only One Earth**
2022 Life & Peace Institute, Stockholm Forum on Peace and Development**
2022 Rare and Peabody Essex Museum, Climate Action: Inspiring Change*
2022 Miss New York Scholarship Organization, Miss Manhattan Local Competition

2021 Rare, BE.Hive: Behavioral Solutions to Water Pollution*
2021 United Nations Environment Programme, World Environment Day & Festival*
2021 POP Movement, POP Festival for Youth-Led Climate Action
2021 Smile Jamaica, Weekend Smile Interview
2021 NYC Parks, Open Garden Day
2021 Act Now, Peace is Green—Every Act Matters
2021 Pathway to Paris, UNEP, and 350 Org, World Environment Day Launch Gala
2021 World Health Organization, Climate Change Video Challenge
2021 Sony Music U, Incoming Class Panel

2020 Raben Group, Raben Respite at the Democratic Convention

2019 Climate Group, Climate Week NYC
2019 Rare, BE.Hive On Campus at Dickinson College
2019 Climate Museum, Climate Speaks Showcase at the Apollo Theater*

2018 United Nations, Global Citizen Event in NYC*
2018 Bronx Borough President Vanessa Gibson, Black History Month Celebration*
2018 Everytown for Gun Safety, Stay Amped at the March For Our Lives in Washington DC*
2018 Danai Gurira and the cast of Black Panther, Birthday Party and One Org Celebration*
2018 Girl Be Heard Mainstage, Indivisible: Liberty and Justice for Whom?*2018 Girl Be Heard, Sunday Workshops Unplugged Open Mic
2018 Girl Be Heard, Sunday Workshops Break the Internet

2017 Girl Be Heard, Sunday Workshops Unplugged Open Mic
2017 Girl Be Heard, Sunday Workshops Rage Against the Machine

Notable Press & Media Features

2022 Malala Fund, “Barriers students face to ADHD diagnosis and care”
2022 Peabody Essex Museum, “Earth Week brings a Rare opportunity to talk frankly about the climate crisis”
2021 Society of Physics Students, “Time”
2021, UNEP, “Recreate. Reimagine. Restore! Poet Jordan Sanchez calls for a greener world”
2021 The Climate Daily, “Poet Jordan Sanchez Rocks World Environment Day”
2019 PBS, *Climate Artists*
2019 Reuters, “U.S. teen poets find no rhyme or reason to climate peril”
2019 The New Republic, October Issue

*Denotes commissioned work

**Denotes upcoming event