

SARA CARREIRA ASSOCIATION AWARDS 21 SCHOLARSHIPS

The 21 finalists of the Sara Carreira Scholarship 2021, created by the Sara Carreira Association, have been chosen. From a total of 453 applications screened, over 500 interviews were carried out, leading to the group of finalists. After screening, verifying and validating each potential scholarship holder, the 21 candidates had a final interview with the Carreira family. The final list is to be published on the week of Sara's birthday, 12 October.

The process of analysing applications for the Sara Carreira Scholarship ended on 31 August 2021 with the sending of emails to all applicants informing them of the outcome: application not approved or application in the final evaluation phase. The application phase – open to all children and young people, resident and attending educational establishments in Portugal, who on the date of application were between the ages of 12 and 21 – ended on 30 June, after which the applications were evaluated by a panel composed of three members appointed by the Association's Board of Directors.

As well as the right to a scholarship, each one of those selected will be assigned a godfather or godmother who will accompany every step of this new journey towards the realisation of a dream. The Godfathers/Godmothers are professionals whose objective is to help the scholarship holder with his/her difficulties and to assess whether the training he/she is receiving is suitable for his/her profile. Scholarship holders will have the support of their godparents and a multidisciplinary team that will follow their progress throughout this year.

Continuing Sara Carreira's dreams and honouring her generosity towards others is the reason the Sara Carreira Association exists. It aims to sow seeds in talented children and young people in need. In the words of the Carreira family, 'Sara was a young woman who was always present in people's lives. She believed in dreams and fought for them with hard work and dedication. The Association will reflect all that she is and will fulfill the dreams of those most in need'.

The Sara Carreira Association aims to provide a future for children and young people who have talent in any area through scholarships that will allow them to grow through hard work and resilience, and provide them with the opportunity to overcome and develop their talent.

About Sara Carreira

Being in perfect harmony with music, it was practically inevitable that she would follow this path in life. **In 2018, she made her first special appearance** with the song "Gosto de ti", side by side with her **brother David**. In **November**, Sara Carreira **began dubbing animated films**, voicing the character of Snow White in the film "The Seven Dwarfs and the Magic Shoes", together with Fernando Daniel. Previously, with SONY France, she had recorded the audio for a children's story:



"La Légende des Fées" (by Lisa Angell, Anggun). **In 2019, Sara Carreira made her professional debut**, launching a **solo career with her first single "Vou Ficar"**, which reached more than two million views on Youtube and thousands of plays on Spotify. "Para Não Chorar" is the **second single** by Sara Carreira that features the



participation of Nuno Ribeiro. This second song is part of her **first EP, released on 22 November 2019: “Metade”**.

This EP reached top 5 in the FNAC sales chart in December. “Metade” includes the songs “Vou Ficar”, “Para Não Chorar” featuring Nuno Ribeiro, “Sentimento”, “As Nossas Conversas”, “Penso em nós”, “Já Tou High” featuring Rogg, “Gosto de ti” featuring David Carreira and “A nossa metade”. In **2020, Sara Carreira appeared on the SIC programme “A Máscara”** and won over the audience over with her unforgettable Panther. In the same year, **she created the brand “Éssê by Sara Carreira”** and once again won the acclaim of all her admirers.

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