



# Brooke Lambert

Jazz Voice • Flute

**Brooke Lambert**, a senior at Seattle's Roosevelt High School, enjoys a wide variety of musical pursuits, from jazz voice and alto sax, to classical flute and dance.

Brooke studies vocal jazz with **Greta Matassa** and has performed locally at **Edmonds Center for the Arts, Pacific Room Alki**, the **2017 North City Jazz Walk**, the **2018 Auburn Art Walk** and student workshops at **Jazz Alley, Tula's** and **North City Bistro**.

Brooke was selected as the 2020 recipient of the **Dee Daniels Vocal Jazz Scholarship** at the DeMiero Jazz Festival. She also earned national recognition as a **2020 National YoungArts Foundation** Merit winner in Voice/Jazz and as **DownBeat Magazine's Student Music Awards Vocal Jazz Soloist** winner for the high school division in 2019 and 2020. She was a co-winner of this same award in 2018 and the winner of the junior high school division in 2017. She also earned a spot in Michael Feinstein's **2018 Songbook Academy®** as a top 40 finalist.

Since 2011, Brooke has studied classical flute with Bonnie Blanchard. She placed second in the national **Music Teachers National Association Performance Competition**, Junior Woodwind Division (2018). She was a Concerto Division Finalist (Junior Concerto–Flute) in the 2017 **Seattle Young Artists Music Festival** and has earned recognition in the annual **Frank and Lu Horsfall Competition**, a solo contest managed by the Seattle Flute Society (2019: Honorable Mention, Upper Division; 2017: First Place, Lower Division; 2016: Third Place, Lower Division).

Brooke performs with **Roosevelt High School's** Vocal Jazz (soprano) and Symphony Orchestra (flute), and with **Seattle JazzEd's** Girls Ellington Project (jazz voice, flute, alto sax) and New Works Ensemble (jazz flute, alto sax). **Girls Ellington Project** was selected as a finalist in the 2019 Swing Central Jazz competition — making it the first all-girl band to compete in a major national competition.

In late 2019, Brooke was invited to sing with **Seattle JazzEd's Ellington Ensemble**, composed of students from 13 schools in the Seattle area and directed by Kelly Clingan. This ensemble was selected as a 2020 finalist for the **Essentially Ellington** High School Jazz Band Competition and Festival, and Brooke was recognized for Outstanding Vocals.