



**CAMILA CABELLO LEADS “2018 MTV EMA” NOMINATIONS,
FOLLOWED BY ARIANA GRANDE, POST MALONE, DRAKE, DUA LIPA AND SHAWN
MENDES FOR GLOBAL SHOW AIRING LIVE ON NOVEMBER 4**

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NEW YORK/BILBAO—OCT. 4, 2018—MTV today announced nominations for the “2018 MTV EMAs” with Camila Cabello leading the pack. Cabello snagged six nominations including “Best Song” and “Best Video” for her chart-topping hit “Havana” featuring Young Thug, as well as “Best Artist” alongside Ariana Grande and Post Malone, who follow Cabello with five nods each. Drake and Dua Lipa also join the above contenders for “Best Artist,” scoring four nods each alongside Shawn Mendes, including “Best Local Act” for all three of their respective home countries.

MTV creatively teased the nominees via a series of captivating Autonomous Sensory Meridian Response (ASMR) style videos, with visuals involving floral foam smashing, paint mixing and kinetic sand slicing for the “Best Artist,” “Best Song” and “Best Video” categories. The mesmerizing video reveals were broadcast across MTV’s global digital platforms and a coalition of media partners.

The “2018 MTV EMAs” will air live around the globe from Bilbao Exhibition Centre, Spain on Sunday, November 4 at 9:00pm CEST, and across MTV’s global network of channels in more than 180 countries and territories, reaching more than half a billion households around the world.

Voting is now open at mtvema.com until November 3rd at 11:59pm CET, so fans can cast votes beginning today.

COMPLETE LIST – 2018 MTV EMA NOMINEES

BEST ARTIST

Ariana Grande
Camila Cabello
Drake

Dua Lipa
Post Malone

BEST VIDEO

Ariana Grande	no tears left to cry
Camila Cabello	Havana ft. Young Thug
Childish Gambino	This Is America
Lil Dicky	Freaky Friday ft. Chris Brown
The Carters	APES**T

BEST SONG

Ariana Grande	no tears left to cry
Bebe Rexha	Meant To Be ft. Florida Georgia Line
Camila Cabello	Havana ft. Young Thug
Drake	God's Plan
Post Malone	rockstar ft. 21 Savage

BEST POP

Ariana Grande
Camila Cabello
Dua Lipa
Hailee Steinfeld
Shawn Mendes

BEST NEW

Anne-Marie
Bazzi
Cardi B
Hayley Kiyoko
Jessie Reyez

BEST LOOK

Cardi B
Dua Lipa
Migos
Nicki Minaj
Post Malone

BEST HIP HOP

Drake
Eminem
Migos
Nicki Minaj
Travis Scott

BEST LIVE

Ed Sheeran
Muse
P!nk
Shawn Mendes
The Carters

BEST ROCK

5 Seconds Of Summer
Foo Fighters
Imagine Dragons
Muse
U2

BEST ALTERNATIVE

Fall Out Boy
Panic! At The Disco
The 1975
Thirty Seconds To Mars
twenty one pilots

BEST ELECTRONIC

Calvin Harris
David Guetta
Marshmello
Martin Garrix
The Chainsmokers

BIGGEST FANS

BTS
Camila Cabello
Selena Gomez
Shawn Mendes
Taylor Swift

BEST WORLD STAGE

Clean Bandit	MTV Crashes Plymouth, UK 2017
Charli XCX	MTV Crashes Plymouth, UK 2017
David Guetta	Trafalgar Square, UK 2017
Jason Derulo	Isle of MTV Malta 2018
Post Malone	Wireless Festival, UK 2018
Migos	Wireless Festival, UK 2018
J Cole	Wireless Festival, UK 2018
Nick Jonas	MTV Spotlight @ Hyperplay, Singapore 2018
Alessia Cara	MTV Spotlight @ Hyperplay, Singapore 2018

BEST PUSH

PRETTYMUCH (October 2017)
Why Don't We (November 2017)

Grace VanderWaal (December 2017)
Bishop Briggs (January 2018)
Superorganism (February 2018)
Jessie Reyez (March 2018)
Hayley Kiyoko (April 2018)
Lil Xan (May 2018)
Sigrid (June 2018)
Chloe x Halle (July 2018)
Bazzi (August 2018)
Jorja Smith (September 2018)

BEST US ACT (BEST LOCAL ACT*)

Ariana Grande
Camila Cabello
Cardi B
Imagine Dragons
Post Malone

*Camila Cabello (US), Post Malone (US), Dua Lipa (UK & Ireland), Drake (Canada), Shawn Mendes (Canada) and Belako (Spain) are among those nominated for Best Act in their respective home regions. For more detail, check with your local MTV PR representative for participating countries and respective local nominees.

For artwork, press assets and further information please visit press.mtvema.com.

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ABOUT THE 2018 MTV EMA

The 2018 MTV EMAs will broadcast LIVE on Sunday, 4th November at 9pm CET from Bilbao Exhibition Centre, Spain. One of the biggest global music events of the year that celebrates the hottest artists from around the world, the MTV EMAs bring music fans a unique, multi-platform experience across MTV's global network in nearly 180 countries and 450 million homes around the world, connecting with over 350 million fans across all social media platforms. Follow @MTVEMA on Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat (@MTVEMA) and Instagram, and join the conversation with #MTVEMA. Bruce Gillmer and Richard Godfrey are Executive Producers for the 2018 MTV EMAs. Debbie Phillips and Ceire Deery are Producers. Hamish Hamilton is Director. For MTV EMA news, updates and press materials please visit press.mtvema.com.

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