Arts Education Programs

Lane Arts Council offers arts education programs for students and professional development opportunities for educators in Lane County.

CHOOSE FROM THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS

• In-School Professional Artist Residencies
• Performance Assemblies
• Product of Eugene Arts Apprenticeships
• Teacher Professional Development Workshops

BRING THE ARTS INTO YOUR SCHOOL

The arts increase student ability to retain knowledge, engage students in creative problem solving, develop cultural awareness, and inspire confidence and self-worth. Lane Arts Council believes the arts are essential to preparing young people for the future and we strive to ensure every young person across Lane County has access to engaging and high-quality arts experiences. Advocate for arts education, bring the arts into your school, and watch your students thrive!
MEET OUR ARTS EDUCATION PROGRAM COORDINATOR

Lane Arts Council works to ensure our arts education programming is high-quality, accessible, and fun. My role is to help you identify the best arts programming for your school’s unique needs and interests. I am excited to work with you this year!

Bringing our arts programs to your school is easy:
1. Choose the type of program that best fits your school’s needs.
2. Visit our website to select an artist.
3. Contact us to discuss options and schedule.

Every year we watch students thrive thanks to the powerful impact of the arts. We witness students experience joy, build resilience and self confidence, and expand their creative capacity.

Contact us to schedule an arts program for your school.

Learn more at lanearts.org/arts-education.

Sincerely,

Eric Braman
Arts Education Program Coordinator
Lane Arts Council

PERFORMANCE ASSEMBLIES

Bring a burst of energy into your school with one of our dynamic performance assemblies. Professional artists bring their expertise to the stage in ways that are engaging and interactive, leaving students motivated, empowered and inspired. Open your doors to a professional storyteller, circus artist, live-looping violinist, hip-hop artist, dance troupe or one of our many other performing artists available for one-time or back-to-back performances.

Visit our website to select an artist and contact us to schedule.

PROFESSIONAL ARTIST RESIDENCIES

Professional visual and performing artists bring unique educational arts programming to your school for extended residences with multiple classrooms lasting up to several weeks. Students learn new skills and methods of expression, develop creative thinking and self confidence, and gain career insights. Quality arts instruction provides young people with holistic learning experiences that engage minds, hearts and bodies.

Choose from five residency categories: visual & craft arts, dance & theatre arts, musical arts, tech & media arts, cultural arts, and integrated arts.

Choose the type of residency best for your school and contact us to schedule.

lanearts.org/artist-residencies

“Cullen had the students stand and declare, ‘I am smart!’ One of our students with autism gently wept as he said these words. Experiences like these keep me rejuvenated and reinvested in our mission.”

- Elementary school teacher

“Our students loved their experience with theatre and were thankful for the opportunity. Many who are not confident speaking in front of others found this new way of expressing themselves.”

- Middle school principal

“I think the mural we created helps us feel more confident to go to school and helps us learn because every time we walk by it, we’ll be inspired.”

- Elementary school student

Students learn color theory with tempera paints.
VISUAL & CRAFT ARTS
Lane Arts Council’s visual arts residencies expose students to new and diverse materials, a wide variety of art forms, and ways of making that strengthen their ability to communicate ideas, concepts, and personal identity. The visual arts provide a creative container in which students generate unique creations that are completely their own. Programs range from ceramics and watercolor to cartooning, large-scale mural paintings and much more.

A Springfield High School student works on a collaborative mural.

DANCE & THEATRE ARTS
Students learn to express and communicate with their bodies and voices. Dance not only awakens and focuses students, it also intersects with math and science concepts in a way that connects for kinesthetic learners. Through theatre, students build confidence and strengthen writing and public speaking skills. Teamwork becomes an essential foundation during improvisation or collaborative choreography.

Students get moving during a residency focused on dance and music.

MUSICAL ARTS
Music provides young people an opportunity for expression that actively engages both mind and body. Requiring practice and patience, learning music inspires confidence. Music also supports student learning by igniting the part of our brain responsible for information gathering and memory retention. Our music offerings range from learning fiddle or Latin music to playing clay flutes.

Students learn to play traditional West African beats on Guinean drums.

TECH & MEDIA ARTS
It is no secret that tech literacy is essential to prepare for the innovations and careers of the future. The creative use of technology teaches 21st Century Skills in a hands-on way. Through our tech and media arts residencies, students learn essential tools to engage technology on a deeper and more exploratory level. Residency opportunities range from video editing and stop-motion animation to sound editing, video game design and more.

A student brainstorms ideas for their digital story with artist Olive Del Sol.

INTEGRATED ARTS
Students learn math, science, social studies and language arts concepts more deeply when they explore them in creative ways. Our integrated arts residencies unite common core subjects with artistic expression. Whether it is investigating geology through watercolor, historical figures through the creation of a mural, or fractions through dance, these residencies will engage students and inspire teachers.

A mural depicts stages of salmon spawning, inspired by the school’s science curriculum.

CULTURAL ARTS
Artists from cultures around the world have artistic traditions that enrich our community through diversity of thought and perspective. Our cultural arts residencies are a great way to build empathetic, active and engaged classrooms. We bring residency programs such as West African dance, Latin American sculpture or Louisiana fiddle into the classroom to understand the importance of diversity and tradition.

Artists collaboratively paint a traditional Aztec-style ceramic mask.

1) Choose from six types of residencies. 2) Visit www.lanearts.org to select an artist. 3) Contact us to schedule.
PRODUCT DESIGN APPRENTICESHIPS

Lane Arts Council partners with the University of Oregon Department of Product Design to pair middle and high school students with professional product designers. Students explore graphic, digital and physical design over the course of ten weeks and spend approximately 25 hours developing, designing and producing products of their own. Past group projects have included ceramic mugs, phone cases, biodegradable storage containers, travel bags, bedside tables and much more.

Learn more and apply at lanearts.org/arts-apprenticeship

2018-2019
APPLICATION DEADLINES:
Fall Term: September 30th
Winter Term: December 16th
Spring Term: March 24th

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

Lane Arts Council offers opportunities for teachers to expand their instructional repertoire through arts integrated trainings. Look out for professional development opportunities made available through our partnership with Lane ESD or schedule an in-school training for your instructional team.

Our arts integration experts are versed in creative engagement, academic standards, curriculum design, classroom management, and teacher support.

Contact us to plan a customized teacher training for your school.

PROGRAM PRICING STRUCTURE

PROFESSIONAL ARTIST RESIDENCIES
$45 per hour for in-classroom instruction
(approximately $180 per classroom for a typical residency)

Additional costs may include:
• Prep time: $17.50 per hour
  (typically 1 hour per classroom)
• Materials Fees: $0.25-$3 per student
• Mileage Reimbursement: $0.54 per mile
  (applied to residencies over 24 miles, round-trip,
  from the city-center of the artist’s home base)

Average cost for a school of 7 classrooms with 25 students per classroom is $1,700 for a full-school residency.

PERFORMANCE ASSEMBLIES
One Time: $350
Two Back-to-Back: $300 each

TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

One-Hour: $300
Half-Day (2-4 hours): $600
Full-Day (4-8 hours): $1,000

STUDENT WORKSHOPS

One-Hour: $150
Half-Day (2-4 hours): $300
Full-Day (4-8 hours): $500

Lane Arts Council strives to provide accessible programming for all schools. If funding or cost of program is a barrier, please contact us to discuss options.
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