

2020-21 CLASSROOM ARTS PARTNERS

A Teacher's Guide To North Alabama Creative Learning Opportunities



NORTH ALABAMA  **ARTS EDUCATION COLLABORATIVE**
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WELCOME

The NAAEC is excited to present the 2020-2021 Virtual Classroom Arts Education Guide to educational opportunities in the arts for teachers. This publication includes information about teaching artists and arts organizations that offer programs in visual and performing arts.

Activities are available for K-12 and are identified by the type of experience that they provide (Exposure, Enhancement, Integration, Competition). We hope that you will find this booklet useful as you plan meaningful, rigorous and enjoyable arts education experiences for your students this year.

Due to increased safety and sanitation measures implemented in local schools, most of the programs included are offered virtually. A few in person opportunities are listed for 2021. These may be offered as virtual experiences depending on future circumstances. As regulations change, we will adjust our guide to give you the most up to date information available.



BADGE KEY

This guide provides a system of badges that will allow you to make appropriate programming choices for your classroom needs. These badges are displayed at the beginning of each section.

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Students engage in a creative process which connects an art form and another subject area during the regular school day. This results in the attainment of specific learning goals and objectives in both subject areas.

4 ARTS ENHANCEMENT



Students participate in arts activities and receive instruction for a brief period during the regular school day. The result is deeper understanding and appreciation of the art form.

5 ARTS EXPOSURE



Students are exposed to the arts through sponsored performances and/or field trips. Schools are offered study guides and other resources to supplement exposure activities.



ARTS INTEGRATION

The Dance Connection In Residence

A FREE virtual program of Alabama Youth Ballet Theatre providing a nine week dance program. Students in grades K-8 will learn dance history, dance composition, and dance technique. For more information contact Whitney Steele at Whitney@aybtheatre.org or visit www.aybtheatre.org.

Huntsville Ballet Company

Explore Science through Dance

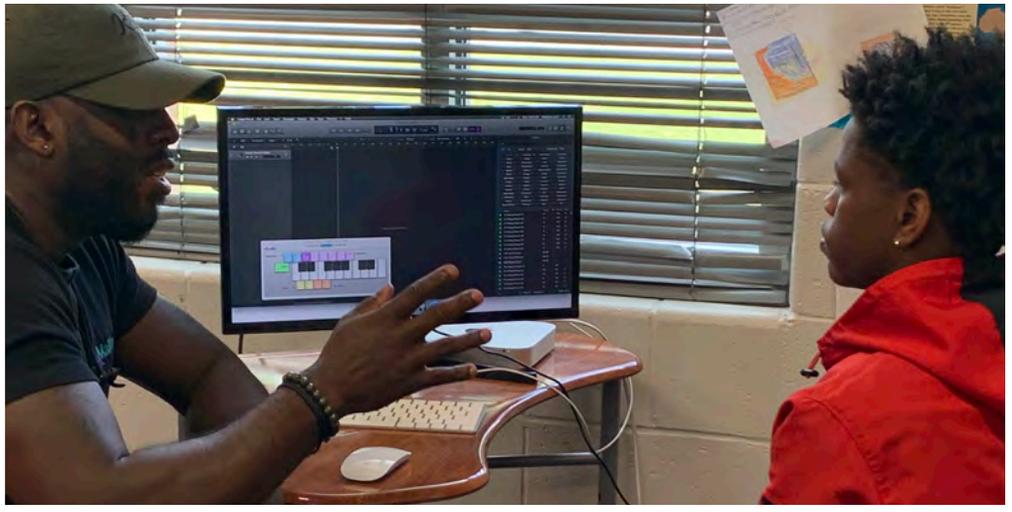
Arts Integration classes combining science concepts with movement are offered on the Huntsville Ballet YouTube channel. These classes are a great opportunity for teachers, homeschoolers or virtual learners to have fun exploring dance and science in your classroom or living room! For teachers interested in further pre-recorded or live Zoom classes for students contact Cathy Curry at cathycurry@huntsvilleballet.org or visit www.huntsvilleballet.org.

NAAEC Arts Integration Residency Partnership

This program pairs teaching artists with classroom teachers to help students master standards in a core subject area as well as an artistic discipline. We work in grades K-8. Partnerships last between 4 and 6 weeks and can be adapted to meet the needs of the school. The program is funded by the North Alabama Arts Education Collaborative. For more information contact Karen Anderson at Karen@artshuntsville.org or visit www.artshuntsville.org.

Explore History and Art Standards with the Huntsville Museum of Art

Selected works of art from the Huntsville Museum of Art's permanent collection will be made available for teachers to use as part of their curriculum development. Each post will consist of an image, historical context, visual art standards and proposed questions. These resources will be free of charge and available any time. Visit www.hsvmuseum.org/academy



ARTS ENHANCEMENT

Fantasy in the Virtual Classroom

FPCTA's Fantasy in the Virtual Classroom includes a general acting curriculum. The classes focus on developing the Actor's Tool Box (Body, Voice, Mind, and imagination) that inspires creativity and builds self-confidence. Explore elements of theatre that are developmentally appropriate and engaging. (Grades K-12)

For more information contact Candice Cooper at educationdirector@fantasyplayhouse.com or visit www.fantasyplayhouse.com.



ARTS EXPOSURE

School Performances Of Alabama Youth Ballet's Music Box Ballets

FREE Virtual performances for students grades K-5. For more information, contact Whitney Steele at whitney@aybtheatre.org, or visit www.aybtheatre.org

Broadway Theatre League Presents ArtRageous!

Five FREE performances in Spring of 2021. Pre-show workshops and Study & Activity Guides available. For reservations or more information, email david@broadwaytheatreleague.org or visit www.broadwaytheatreleague.org/outreach-shows

Broadway Theatre League Presents Henry Ford's Innovation Nation - Live!

Three FREE performances in February 2021. Pre-show workshops and Study & Activity Guides available. For reservations or for more information email david@bradwaytheatreleague.org or visit www.broadwaytheatreleague.org/outreach-shows.

Burritt On The Mountain's Virtual Field Trips

Burritt's education team offers numerous Interactive Birtual Field Trips every weekday for your class to experience the arts, history and science. These virtual field trips are hosted live by a Burritt educator who will present the lesson and be available for questions. Additional programming will be developed throughout the year so be sure to visit our webpage to see a complete list.

For more information, contact Alice Kirsch at alice.kirsch@huntsvilleal.gov or visit www.burrittonthemountain.com.

Encore Opera Huntsville presents The Bremen Town Musicians!

Friday, Apr. 17, 2019, 9:00-1:30

This show is best for grades 4 through 6. The four characters, a rooster, a donkey, a cat and a dog learn the friendship, cooperation and respect is far better than facing problems alone.

For more information email info@encoreopera.org or visit www.encoreopera.org

FPCTA presents A Christmas Carol

An original adaptation of this familiar Christmas story has a shadowy new twist! Through shadows, puppetry, and live Foley sounds, actors play multiple roles to inventively recreate the classic Dickens tale for a virtual classroom experience great for all ages.

For more information email educationdirector@fantasyplayhouse.com.

FPCTA In-School Virtual Field Trips!

FPCTA introduces students to theatre through age appropriate, curriculum-based theatre performances teaching civil rights, indigenous peoples' history and health sciences. Each video performance is supported by ALCOS Standards Study Guides: Freedom Riders (Grades 6-10), Poarch Creek Courage (Grades 3-5), The Adventures of Nick Nutrition and his Dog Fiber (Grades K-6).

For booking information please contact EducationDirector@fantasyplayhouse.com.



Huntsville Symphony Orchestra presents Carnival of the Animals

HSO, in conjunction with the Huntsville Symphony Orchestra Guild, presents the annual Young People's Concerts to area fourth graders at no cost on February, 26, 2021 at 9:30am. Carnival of the Animals will also be presented free for families on February 27, 2021 at 11:00am. For more information please visit hso.org.

Virtual Field Trip to The Weeden House

Students in grades 4-8 will learn how the residents lived prior to modern conveniences. Students are then guided through what was happening in Huntsville during the lives of the home's residents and get an introduction into Howard Weeden's paintings and poems. (\$3.00 per student)

For more information please email Beth at theweedenhouse@att.net or visit www.theweedenhousemuseum.com

