

Sonoma County Arts Education Alliance

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TOP STORIES



Advocacy for Increased Funding for California Arts and Music Education Programs

Californians may see an arts education funding initiative on their ballots when they vote in November 2022.

"With the backing of a growing number of artists and educators, [Los Angeles Unified Superintendent] Austin Beutner wants to put an [initiative on next November's ballot](#) that would require the state to spend between \$800 million

and \$1 billion extra each year out of its general fund for arts and music education in the state." -Louis Freedburg, EdSource Commentary, 1/12/2022

To read Freedburg's distillation of the current effort, continue reading [HERE](#).

Click on Learn More to explore advocacy related to the initiative.

LEARN MORE

▪ CALIFORNIA ▪

Celebrate and Join
the Virtual Launch!

March 1, 2022
3:30-4:45PM

ARTS EDUCATION
FRAMEWORK
RESOURCES FOR
IMPLEMENTATION

CALIFORNIA COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS
ARTS INITIATIVE

The California Arts Project

CCSESA

CISC
Curriculum and Instruction
Steering Committee

STATEMENT OF EDUCATION
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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ARTS &
CULTURAL
EQUITY FELLOWSHIP
PROGRAM

All program art and graphics created by Sonoma Hispanic Media.

Creative Sonoma, in collaboration with Kimzin Creative, has announced the Arts & Cultural Equity Fellowship Grant program available for emerging to mid-career artists and culture workers that work within or in support of Sonoma County's communities of color. The deadline to apply is **March 1, 2022**.

LEARN MORE & APPLY

ArtsEd RESOURCES

ADMIN MEETUPS
FOR SONOMA COUNTY
SCHOOL AND DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION

Learn, Discuss, and Network!

Topics include Arts and...
Social Emotional Learning, LCAP, Title 1 Funding, Portrait of a Graduate

Virtual meetings 2/17, 3/17, 4/21 3:30-5:00

www.CreativeSonoma.org/opportunities/admin-meetups

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**FIRST EVER FEDERALLY FUNDED NATIONAL
CONVENING OF TEACHING ARTISTS!**

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Student Arts Spotlight

Wright Charter School, Grades 7-8



This monthly feature celebrates excellence in local arts education.

Learn more: www.creativesonoma.org/artsed-news-february-2022

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ArtsEd BLOG & STUDENT ARTS SPOTLIGHT

The AEA Student Arts Spotlight celebrates excellence in arts education. Submit your school's work in the arts on the ArtsEd Blog page!

[READ THE BLOG](#)

SAVE THE DATE:

STATE OF THE ARTS

UPLIFT, INFORM, CONNECT

Sonoma County Arts Education Alliance

- Panel of Sonoma County Superintendent Candidates
- Updates on Alliance Cohorts and Projects
- Student Performances

Registration opening soon!

May 26, 2022 8:30AM-10:00AM

In-person at the Sonoma County Office of Education

ArtsEd DIRECTORY & OPPORTUNITIES FROM CREATIVESONOMA.ORG

Featured ArtsEd Training: Educators! [Unlock connections in all learning areas for your students!](#) Help your students excel through creative thinking.

From Opportunities: [SoCo Clicks Photography Exhibition](#) showcases local youth work. Prizes available!





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