

Making the Case
for
Arts in Education
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Youth in Arts®

Imagine if all of the schools in Marin County demonstrated why art is so critical to education?

Together, as one voice, the message that the arts are essential to education will resonate and reverberate.

ART MATTERS
because..

Art Brings Lessons to Life

Teachers incorporating projects like nature journaling turn STEM to STEAM, while building keen observation skills, embodying knowledge and increasing dexterity.

NATIONAL
ARTS IN
EDUCATION WEEK

**ART BRINGS
LESSONS TO LIFE**

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Youth in Arts. STEM to STEAM Teacher Training

Art Fosters Creative Thinking

Architecture integrates STEM curriculum while fostering design thinking abilities and the power of creativity, which are both keys for success.

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**ART FOSTERS
CREATIVE THINKING**



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Youth in Arts. Architects in Schools

Art Helps Us Find Our Voice

Art making can build community and be a catalyst for understanding more about each other. Visual art can help a child communicate feelings and stories that may be hard to share through other means.



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Youth in Arts. Model Arts Programs

Performance Creates Capable Students

The art of staging and memorization required in performing arts trains teens in communication skills while building confidence, focus, and grit.



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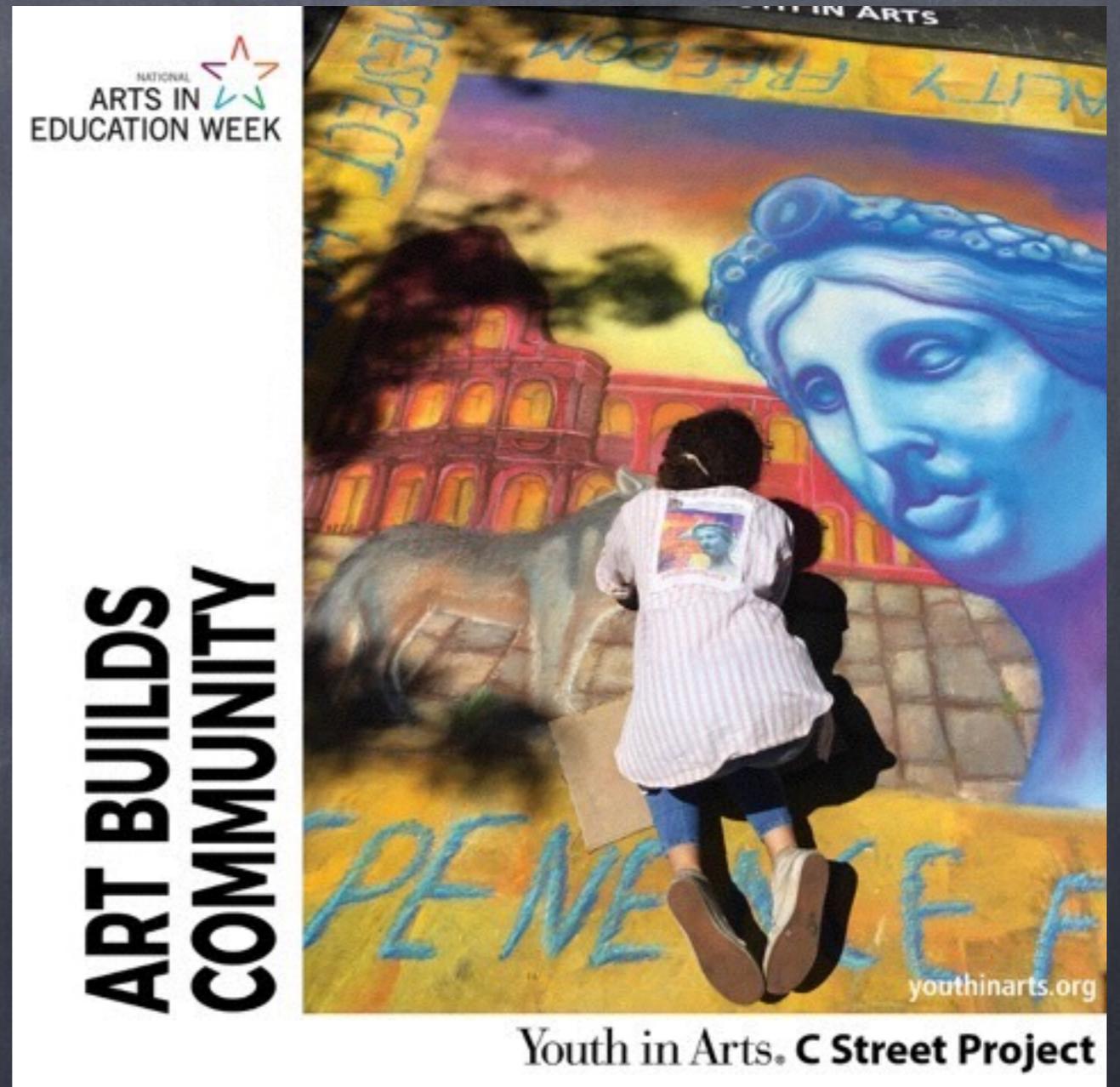
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BUILDS CONFIDENCE**

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Youth in Arts. 'Til Dawn A Cappella

Art Builds Confidence and Community

Community art projects are ways for children and teens to practice working together, developing the skills of sharing, collaboration, teamwork, and communication.



MAKE YOUR CASE
For Arts Education in Your
Community

Join Together

School
Administrators

Teachers

Art Specialists

PTA Parents

Art and Music
Booster Parents

Annual Fund Parent

Youth in Arts

Collect Stories

- Encourage parents to share how arts benefit their children
- Ask students to share stories in writing or through photos and video
- Celebrate student artwork or visit a student art gallery (Youth in Arts)

Share on Social Media

- Create a schedule Monday-Friday
- Tag posts #BecauseOfArtsEd #Marin
- Also tag #ArtsEdWeek
- Is your art program part of Youth in Arts? Then add @youthinarts

Celebrate Youth Art

- Highlight student artists with galleries, performances, workshops and family celebrations
- Turn the walls and hallways into an gallery; turn a courtyard into a theatre; hang poetry on a clothesline
- Promote expression and self confidence

Youth in Arts can help you expand
your school's art programs!

please reach out

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