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ARTSPIRATION COMMUNITY SURVEY

Santa Clara County Office of Education is committed to advance the equity goals for arts education and integrated learning Santa Clara County public schools. This survey will take 5 minutes of your time. We greatly appreciate your sharing your thoughts.

Please click here for the survey link or https://tinyurl.com/ycqp3nzl

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNERS OF YOUNG ARTISTS SHOWCASE 2020

We are pleased to announce the K-12 winners of the 2020 Young Artists Showcase!

CONGRATULATIONS TO

ALLIE LIAO - BLUE HILLS ELEM, CUPERTINO UNION
CHELSEY TSAI - FAMMATRE ELEM, CAMBRIAN
JASMIN JIAN - FARNHAM ELEM, CAMBRIAN
JAYDEN LEAOKITTIKUL - BAGBY ELEM, CAMBRIAN
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SOPHIA LIU - OSTER ELEM, UNION SD
SOPHIA HE - PIEDMONT MIDDLE, BERRYESSA
MIA PEREZ - DOWNTOWN COLLEGE PREP, ALUM ROCK
LYNN DAI - REDWOOD MIDDLE, SARATOGA UNION
MISHA CHATURABUL - RANCHO MILPITAS MIDDLE, MILPITAS

HANNAH CHO - LYNBROOK HIGH, FREMONT UNION
JESSICA LI - HOMESTEAD HIGH, FREMONT UNION
ANN ZHU - PIEDMONT HILLS HIGH, EAST SIDE UNION
SIDDHI SHENOY - MONTA VISTA HIGH, FREMONT UNION
Please join us on our virtual event celebrating Young Artists Showcase and Silicon Valley Reads.


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**ARTS EDUCATION YEAR-END DEBRIEF**

We welcome you to join our virtual Arts Education Year-End Debrief as we introduce the new Arts Coordinator, Sofia Fojas and share ideas on how Artspiration SCCOE can provide support for arts education in our county.

For more information please click on the flyer below, to register, use the following link: [https://santaclara.k12oms.org/1050-166547](https://santaclara.k12oms.org/1050-166547)

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**ARTS EDUCATION YEAR-END DEBRIEF**

**INTRODUCING SOFIA FOJAS**

**THE NEW ARTS COORDINATOR**

Come join us virtually on Zoom and meet Sofia Fojas, the new Arts Coordinator for the Santa Clara County Office of Education on Monday, June 1, 3-4 pm.

Sofia Fojas grew up in San Jose, taught in San Jose schools and is back to help shepherd advocacy and sustainability of arts education for teachers, administrators, teaching artists, practitioners, and advocates.

**TOPIC:** What are the ways Artspiration SCCOE can provide support for arts education in our county?

Please register using the link: [https://tinyurl.com/ybxk4q6t](https://tinyurl.com/ybxk4q6t)  
We look forward to meeting you soon!
During this time of school closure, we would like to share some resources to share with educators and students.

**Dance**
- PK: [Moving with Mozart](#)
- Kindergarten: [GoNoodle Get Moving](#)
- Grade 1: [Move and Freeze](#)
- Grade 2: [Dancing Shapes](#)

**Media Arts**
- Grade 2: [The Big Drive](#) - This lesson plan will enable students to explore the concepts of waiting, creativity and group projects while stressing the importance of the unique contribution of every participant. The Big Drive deals, somewhat nostalgically, with the magic of creativity, the spirit of cooperation and an era when technology did not play such a significant role in individual entertainment. The lesson plan includes two activities linked to these topics and a recap activity.

**Music**
- PK - Grade 2
  - Multiple lessons, “The House on Music Street”
  - Make your own Musical Instruments
  - Music Teacher Resources for School Closures

**Theater Arts**
- PK - Grade 2
  - Piggyback Songs
  - Make your own puppet
  - Dress up and create a play, a story/Act out a story

**Visual Arts**
- PK - Grade 2
  - Make a Collage
  - Create At Home Lessons
  - Create Sculptures from Recycled Materials
  - Art with Nature
  - My Covid-19 Time Capsule

**ONLINE OFFICE HOURS**

**ARTS COORDINATOR OFFICE COLLABORATION HOURS**

In an effort to set time aside for educators in our county, all the coordinators have office hours where you can call in with questions, concerns or as a way to reach out as a thought partner. My Open Collaboration/Office Hours are listed below. I am also available for meetings as needed so don’t hesitate to reach out! I’m looking forward to getting to know you.
May 2020

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