

# Artspiration E-blast

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HOPE IN A NEW ERA Young Artist Showcase 2023 - People's Choice Award Winners



## Artspiration News

### Artspiration Leadership Council



Join a community of arts leaders to inform a community-based plan for engagement in arts education and leverage shared leadership in the arts to support the sustainability of arts education in our county. How can we create arts education programming in schools that will nurture positive outcomes for our students?

Our final meeting will occur virtually on **April 9, 2024**, from 4-5 p.m.

The January meeting was devoted to funding, particularly Proposition 28. We will continue to be a resource for Prop 28 guidances as the California Department of Education releases them.

## Register To Attend the Council

### LCAP Day 2024 - February 7 from 8:30 to 3:45

We hope you can join us virtually on Wednesday, February 7 at 8:30 a.m. Come to Session One at 10:40 a.m. to hear how the arts can be leveraged to support the eight state priorities of the LCAP.

Click on the button to register.



Register

## Artspiration Partner Corner

### New Information: Arts and Music in Schools

#### Updated Guidance from the California Department of Education

The California Department of Education (CDE) has recently updated its [Proposition 28—Arts and Music in Schools FAQs](#) webpage with a new question regarding whether the reallocation of AMS funds is permitted. This new question is number 18.

The AMS FAQs webpage is a work in progress. In addition, access the resources posted on the [Proposition 28—Arts and Music in Schools Funding](#) webpage.

Please share this update with colleagues who may benefit and encourage them to join the AMS listserv by sending a blank message to [join-prop28@mlist.cde.ca.gov](mailto:join-prop28@mlist.cde.ca.gov).

## CREATE CA Prop 28 Planning Toolkit

Create CA is kicking off the new year with new resources with the launch of the Prop 28 Planning Toolkit. Within the toolkit, discover profiles showcasing school districts' successful efforts in cultivating arts programs, a user-friendly Common Questions section, and practical templates to streamline planning processes.

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## Create CA Prop 28 Planning Toolkit

[Click here to go to the landing page.](#)

### California Full-Time Equivalent Arts Educator Dashboard

This interactive dashboard shows the number of Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) arts education teachers by school level, district, county, and statewide.

Local educational agencies (LEAs) report this data to the California Department of Education (CDE) through the California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS). Please note that itinerant arts education programs (i.e., traveling teachers coordinated by a school district) reporting varies by LEA; some LEAs report their itinerant FTEs at the District level data, and other LEAs report their itinerant FTEs at the school level.

Data Source: Classroom-based teaching assignments and FTE submitted and certified by LEAs and/or charter schools as part of the annual CALPADS Fall 2 submission and assignment monitoring outcome data determined during the annual assignment monitoring process conducted by the CTC through CalSAAS. (<https://createca.org/california-arts-education-data-project/>, pulled 11.28.2023)

[Click Here - FTE Arts Educators Dashboard](#)

## Last Call: 2024 CABA Mariachi Festival



**MARIACHI FESTIVAL - COMPETITION**  
Saturday, February 24, 2024 • 12:30 pm • Anaheim Convention Center North Hall  
Middle School: 1st Prize: \$2,000 • 2nd Prize: \$1,000 • 3rd Prize: \$500  
High School: 1st Prize: \$2,000 • 2nd Prize: \$1,000 • 3rd Prize: \$500

The banner features a black background with yellow and white text. It includes decorative elements such as a sombrero, a maraca, and a guitar with a Mexican flag on its neck.

### [mariachifestival - CABA 2024 Conference](#)

This is your moment to shine, and the thrill doesn't stop there! The High School & Middle School Student Mariachi Festival Competition is not an exclusive affair - it's open to all CABA 2024 Registrants and their families. This spectacular showdown is absolutely free for conference attendees.



## About us

**Artspiration** is the countywide initiative to support arts education for all students in Santa Clara County Schools.

**Vision:** Partnering with public schools, arts organizations, and the greater community to foster equitable and transformative education through the Arts.

**Mission:** Artspiration is committed to shared leadership in advocating, empowering, and supporting sustainable arts education to develop the creative capacity of each student and educator in Santa Clara County public schools.

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