



Instant Arts Classroom Funds

Resource Guide



Visual Arts



Humanities



Theater



Music

This guide is provided to give teachers a starting point to select an arts activity for their classroom to participate in. Contact each arts organization/service provider for a complete list of services. Fill out and return an application requesting Instant Arts Classroom Funds by **September 20, 2019**. Visit ArtsQuincy.org/InstantArts for more information. Additional providers are listed online at artsquincy.org/resourceguide.

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Application Guide



What are Instant Arts Classroom Funds?

These funds are granted to teachers to fund arts projects throughout the school year. Teachers can use funds to take their student on a field trip to a cultural event or museum, or bring a teaching artist into the classroom!

Instant Arts Classroom Funds Guidelines

Teachers should remember the following guidelines when applying for Instant Arts Classroom Funds:

1. Teachers from any grade level, from any public or parochial school in Adams County are eligible to apply.
2. Requests will be accepted up to a maximum of \$150 for one trip to a museum, cultural arts event, like a Muddy River Opera or Quincy Community Theatre production, or to host a teaching artist (visual arts, music, theatre, dance or humanities) in the classroom.
3. Teachers may apply for one grant per semester, Oct.-Dec. 2019 and Jan.-June 2020. If more than one application by a teacher is submitted, additional grants will be distributed based upon fund availability. Two requests per teacher maximum. Please indicate your first priority and second priority.
4. Up to 1/3 of funds requested can be used for either supplies or transportation.
5. Multiple teachers can coordinate to utilize funds for programs exceeding the individual maximum of \$150. One teacher may apply on behalf of multiple classrooms as long as the individual request does not exceed the maximum of \$150. This will count as one grant application for the organizing teacher only.
6. Teachers must make arrangements with a service provider and have proposed dates picked before applying for funds.
7. Applications must be submitted by September 20, 2019 via email to office@artsquincy.org, hand delivered to the Arts Quincy offices at the Oakley-Lindsay Center or mailed to 300 Civic Center Plaza, Suite #244, Quincy, IL 62301.
8. Teachers will be notified via email as to the status of their grant application.
9. Funds will be sent to your school approximately one month prior to the arts event.
10. **Please be thoughtful** with your answer to the application question about why these funds are important for you and your students. This information is very crucial for Arts Quincy to use when securing future funds. Email photos or additional comments to office@artsquincy.org.
**This question was previously on the evaluation form. Brief evaluations will be sent in an email after your event.*

How to Apply

1. Choose an activity from our Community Arts Resource Guide (artsquincy.org/ResourceGuide) and contact the provider to arrange a proposed date. Be sure to get estimates for any materials or transportation costs!
2. Fill out the Arts Quincy Application (artsquincy.org/InstantArts) and email it to office@artsquincy.com or drop it off at our office in the Oakley Lindsey Center. **Due on Sept. 20, 2019!**
3. Arts Quincy will notify you via email if your application has been funded!
4. Funds will be sent to your school about a month before your scheduled event. Brief evaluations will be sent in an email after your event. We would also appreciate any pictures from your activity. Please send pictures to office@artsquincy.org.

For more information, please visit artsquincy.org, call 217-222-3432 or email office@artsquincy.org

Field Trips

Requesting transportation funding. Teachers can request up to 1/3 of funds to be used for transportation or supplies. Quincy Public School District charges \$13 per hour (with a minimum of two hours) and per mile.

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All Wars Museum Tour

Illinois Veterans Home,
1702 N. 12th St., Quincy, IL 62301
Grades: K-12
Group Size: Chaperoned small groups and large groups are welcome
Price: No charge for the tour. Classes would need transportation funding.
Scheduling: Call Rick Gengenbacher at 217-222-8641 ext. 380 or email rick.gengenbacher@illinois.gov. The museum is open Tuesday through Saturday, 9 am-12 pm and 1-4 pm and 1-4 pm on Sundays March 1 through the Wednesday before Thanksgiving or by appointment
Description: Students will learn the history of the United States military from the Revolutionary War to the present. The museum displays military uniforms, military miniatures and dioramas, flags, weapons, cannons and military vehicles including a tank, helicopter, ambulance, jeeps and more.



Governor John Wood Mansion Campus Tour

425 South 12th St., Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: K-12
Group Size: Capacity is 60 students at one time with four adults
Price: The cost is \$30 per class and includes supplies and materials.
Scheduling: Call the Historical Society of Quincy and Adams County office at 217-222-1835 or susid@hsqac.org.
Description: Students will have the opportunity to tour the Governor John Wood Mansion, the two-story 1835 Log Cabin known as the Livery, and the Lincoln Gallery. They will learn about life in the early 1800s, John Wood (the man who founded Quincy and became governor of Illinois), and learn about Quincy's connections with Abraham Lincoln. The visit may be tailored to meet special interests and specific classroom curricula.

LIVERY TOUR

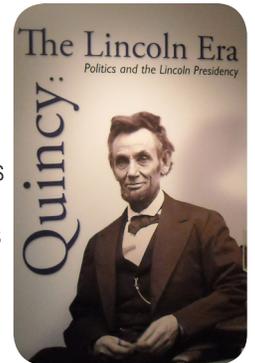
Grades: 3-12
Group Size: Capacity is 60 students at one time with four adults
Price: \$30 per class and includes supplies and materials.
Scheduling: Call the Historical Society of Quincy and Adams County office at 217-222-1835 or susid@hsqac.org.
Description: Students are given the opportunity to experience pioneer life in the early 1800s as John Wood did when he arrived in the area that is now Quincy. Experienced volunteer interpreters will guide students through the 1835 cabin known as the Livery and the herb garden, provide information about life on the frontier, and demonstrate various 19th century crafts. Students



will also learn about the Native Americans who lived in this area when settlers arrived.

LINCOLN GALLERY VISIT

Grades: 7-12
Group Size: Capacity is 30 students at one time with two adults
Price: The cost is \$30 per class and includes supplies and materials.
Scheduling: Call the Historical Society of Quincy and Adams County office at 217-222-1835 or susid@hsqac.org.
Description: Students will tour the Lincoln Gallery on the campus of the John Wood Mansion and learn the story of Abraham Lincoln's connections with Quincy and Quincyans through artifacts, period photos and documents from the Historical Society's collection. A special feature is the exhibit of authentic Lincoln assassination artifacts used by four of the conspirators including a key to the Old Capitol Prison in Washington, D.C., a padded hood worn by Lewis Paine while confined there, a manacle worn by George Atzerodt, and a key to Mary Surratt's cell. A Civil War commission for a Quincy officer signed by Abraham Lincoln is also on display. A Civil War presentation is included.



QUINCY DURING THE CIVIL WAR

(On Site OR In Class Activity)
Grades: K-12
Group Size: Capacity is 60 students at one time with four adults



Price: The cost is \$30 per class and includes supplies and materials.

Scheduling: Call the Historical Society of Quincy and Adams County office at 217-222-1835 or susid@hsqac.org

Description: How did the Civil War impact Quincy's past and present? During this program, students will learn about the local history during the war as they tour the restored home of John Wood, who was the founder of Quincy and 12th Governor of Illinois. The Greek Revival home has unique architectural features and many historic furnishings. The program also includes a PowerPoint presentation on Quincy and the Civil War and simulated demonstrations of Civil War era weapons. This program can be brought into the classroom or students can come on-site.

History Museum

332 Maine St., Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: K-12

Group Size: Capacity is 30 students at one time with two adults

Price: The cost is \$30 per class and includes supplies and materials

Scheduling: Call the Historical Society of Quincy and Adams County office at 217-222-1835 or susid@hsqac.org

Description: Students will learn about Quincy's rich and diverse history when they view displays of artifacts from the 1830s to the present including the Mormon Refuge Room, Window onto the Square Interactive Display, Stained Glass Gallery, the lost watercolor art of Quincyan Edward Everett and more. Students can tour the Sculpture Garden on the lawn that features historic and unique architectural elements from

the area. The visit may be tailored to meet special interests and specific classroom curricula. A gift shop is available.



Lincoln-Douglas Debate Interpretive Center

128 N. 5th St., Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: 7-12

Group Size: Chaperoned small groups and large groups are welcome.

Price: No charge for the tour. Classes would need transportation funding.

Scheduling: Call the Historical Society of Quincy and Adams County office at 217-222-1835 or susid@hsqac.org

Description: Learn about Abraham Lincoln's most famous appearance in Quincy when students visit the Lincoln-Douglas Debate Interpretive Center and debate site. The match that took place in what is now Washington Park was one of seven historic debates between Lincoln and Stephen Douglas during Illinois' 1858 election. The issues they discussed focused on slavery. The Quincy debate was the turning point of Lincoln's political career and led to him becoming our 16th president.



Log Cabin Village Tour

Quinsippi Island Park
Bonsinga Drive, Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: K-8

Group Size: Chaperoned small groups and large groups are welcome.

Price: \$1 per student

Scheduling: Email logcabinvillagequincyil@gmail.com. Tours are available Monday-Friday 9:30 am-3 pm.

Description: What was it like to be a kid in the 1800s? Join Friends of the Log Cabins for a day and find out! Students will be able to pretend play as a 19th century kid at Quincy's Lincoln-era Log Cabin Village. Small groups of students will rotate around the park to see inside the structures including the stone smoke house, log cabin homes, church, general store and the corn crib and learn about life in the village life through demonstrations including rail splitting, ice cutting and farming. The visit may be tailored to meet special interests and specific classroom curricula. Space is available for classes to eat a bag lunch.



Mark Twain Boyhood Home & Museum Tour

120 N. Main Street, Hannibal, Mo 63401

Grades: K-12

Group Size: 15 or more

Price: \$5 per student, teachers and bus drivers are free

Scheduling: Call 573-221-9010 ext. 410

Description: Teach students about Mark Twain and his works with help from the Mark Twain Boyhood Home & Museum in Hannibal, Missouri. Groups are welcome to take a walking tour of six properties: the Interpretive Center,

Huck Finn's house, Mark Twain's Boyhood Home, Becky Thatcher's house, Justice of the Peace Building and the Museum Gallery. Students can participate in a scavenger hunt while they are on the tour. Lesson plans and teacher resources are available at marktwainmuseum.org/for-teachers/. Teachers will receive a discount in the gift shop.



Prairie Mills Windmill & Museum Tour

902 Prairie Mills Rd., Golden, IL 62339

Grades: K-12

Group Size: Chaperoned small groups and large groups are welcome

Price: \$1 for students, \$3 for adults. Teachers and bus drivers are free.

Scheduling: Contact Marlene Ihnen at 217-696-2339 or by e-mail at mimi59@adams.net.

Description: The Golden Historical Society invites students to learn about German immigrants that settled in rural Adams County during the mid-19th century. Students will see the Prairie Mills Windmill and learn how it operates, its history from 1850-1930, how it drove economic development and how it was affected by the Civil War and Industrial Revolution. More advanced students at the high school level also discuss math and physics topics related to the mill design. The program can adjust to educational needs and grade level. Tour guides dressed in period clothing provide age-appropriate tours and hands-on activities. Each visit typically lasts two to three hours. Space is available for



classes to eat a bag lunch. Prior to each visit, teachers are provided with a video and other materials containing background information and suggestions for in-class activities.

Quincy Art Center Gallery Tour and Activity

1515 Jersey Street, Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: K-12

Group Size: Minimum of 9 students and a maximum of 40 students.

Price: \$3 per participant, chaperones are free.

Scheduling: Call 217-223-5900 or email Kayla Obert, Director of Education, at kobert@quincyartcenter.org.

Description: Explore the wonderful world of art in Quincy Art Center with a guided gallery tour followed by a hands-on art activity! Students will learn about current exhibits and participate in activities such as calligraphy, human figure sculpture, human



figure drawing, pottery wheel throwing, creative quilling and color by expression. For a full description of all of the activity options, please visit quincyartcenter.org/education/toursandmore.

Celebrate National Arts in Education Week September 8-14, 2019!

Students of all ages—from kindergarten to college to creative aging programs—benefit from artistic learning, innovative thinking, and creativity. Celebrating National Arts in Education Week is a way to recognize this impact and share the message with friends, family, and communities.

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www.AmericansfortheArts.org/By-Topic/Arts-Education





Quincy Community Theatre Tour

300 Civic Center Plaza, Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: K-12

Group Size: 15-100 students with one adult per 15 students.

Price: \$2 per student.

Scheduling: Email @1qct.org or call 217-222-3209.

Description: Expose students to the magic of live theatre with a behind the scenes look at areas like the costume shop, scene shop, stage, orchestra pit, dressing rooms and more. Students will be shown around by staff or trained volunteers and given information about the process of creating a show, with examples from the current show or shows in production.

STUDENT THEATRE MATINEE

Grades: Most productions are appropriate for all ages, but recommended age ranges are announced with the shows in September.

Group Size: Seating is limited and reservations are taken on a first come, first served basis.

Price: \$3 per person

Scheduling: Call the QCT Box Office at 217-



222-3209. QCT sets a date and time each year (usually in mid-September) when reservations are taken.

Description: Watch

your student's faces light up with excitement when they attend a live performance of Quincy Community Theatre's student productions during the school day. These are full-length plays or musicals that feature student actors from the region. After each performance, QCT holds a brief question and answer session with Kelsey Celek, Head of Education, while students wait to be dismissed to their busses. Each performance is no more than two hours long.



and Woodland Cemetery. Students will have a learning activity packet and in small groups, they will gather information through observation, rubbings, and photos for their activity and report.

Discover Quincy's Lincoln Legacy Bus Tour

Locations include 425 South 12th, 415 Jersey, 332 Maine, 128 North 5th, Washington Park, and Quinsippi Island.

Grades: 7-12

Group Size: Capacity is 30 students at one time with two adults. Up to six classes can be accommodated in one day.

Price: No charge for the tour. Classes would need transportation funding.

Scheduling: Call the Historical Society of Quincy and Adams County office at 217-222-1835 or susid@hsqac.org

Description: This day-long interdisciplinary field experience is provided by Quincy's Lincoln Legacy, the local Looking for Lincoln (LFL) working group. Students with accompanying adults rotate to six Abraham Lincoln-related historic sites and activities in Quincy that include the Lincoln Gallery on the John Wood Mansion grounds, Dr. Richard Eells House, Lincoln-Douglas Debate Site and Interpretive Center, History Museum, Looking for Lincoln Wayside Exhibits and the Log Cabin Village. Additional stops could potentially include the All-Wars Museum at the Illinois Veterans Home



Quincy Museum Tour & Hands-On Activity

601 Maine Street, Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: K-12

Group Size: 10 or more

Price: \$1.50/\$2 per student

Scheduling: Call 217-224-7669 Monday through Friday from 9 am-5 pm.

Description: The Quincy Museum offers early-mid elementary students tours and activities about dinosaurs, fossils, Mississippi River wildlife, Native American history, rocks and minerals. One of the most popular classes for mixed age groups is "Growing Up in the 1890s" in which children learn what it would have been like to live in the Newcomb-Stillwell Mansion. In late November throughout December, the museum offers holiday activities with tours of the beautifully decorated building. The visit may be tailored to meet special interests and specific classroom curricula. A gift shop is available.



Quincy Public Library Award Book Presentation

526 Jersey, Quincy, Illinois
(On Site OR In Class Activity)

Grades: K-12

Group Size: 16 maximum on-site, assemblies available at schools

Price: \$2 per student

Scheduling: Email Bill F. Waters, Children's Librarian, at bwaters@quincylibrary.org or call 217-223-1309.

Description: Get students excited about literature when they read titles meant just for them! In QPL's Award Book Presentation, students are divided into pairs and canvass a sampling of award books from Newbery, Caldecott, Monarch, Bluestem, Caudill, Abraham Lincoln Award and Illinois Reads before presenting a small book talk to their peers. A full list of titles and award backgrounds is provided as well as suggested activities to introduce books to children.



Quincy Public Library Facility Tour

Grades: K-12

Group Size: Tour groups can be split into 2 or more sections depending on size and attention span.

Price: No charge for the tour. Classes would need transportation funding.

Scheduling: Email kkraushaar@quincylibrary.org.

Description: Students will discover all the fun and engaging services and programs available to them during a full tour of Quincy Public Library. Tours may be requested for any age and will be customized by request to cover specific aspects of QPL's services, available materials, events and activities, computer and equipment use, and current topics of study.



Underground Railroad Home of Dr. Richard Eells

415 Jersey St., Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: 7-12

Group Size: Chaperoned small groups and large groups are welcome.

Price: No charge for the tour. Classes would need transportation funding.

Scheduling: Call 217-223-1800.

Description: Students will learn about the legendary role the home played as the first spot on the northern route of the Underground Railroad, just across the border of Missouri. From Quincy, slaves were quickly and secretly moved to Chicago and eventually Canada. The owner, Dr. Richard Eells, was a prominent physician who risked his own freedom and fortune to meet with other abolitionists and help slaves escape. The home was built in 1835 and is the oldest standing two-story brick house in Quincy and is an official Historic Underground Railroad Site.



Villa Kathrine Tour

532 Gardner Expressway,
Quincy, IL 62306 (PO Box 732)

Grades: preK-12

Group Size: Chaperoned small groups and large groups are welcome. Capacity is 50 students.

Price: \$1 per student in attendance/adults no charge.

Scheduling: Call Betty Poore at 217-224-6922.

Description: Teach students the value of

architecture and preservation when they visit the Villa Kathrine! The structure was built for Quincy native George Metz as his private home in 1900 and stands as a unique example of architecture

with influences from Spain, Morocco, North Africa, and the Mediterranean. Legends and lore surround the structure and the stories of its inhabitants, Mr. Metz and his giant dog, Bingo. Tours can be tailored to fit classroom curriculum (such as architecture, Quincy history, or the history of the Villa). Tour guides are available for group tours during business hours or by special arrangement. The Villa is open March through October, Monday-Saturday from 9 am-5 pm and Sunday from 1-5 pm and November through February, Monday-Saturday from 9 am-4 pm and Sunday from 1-4 pm.



In-School Classes & Performances

When artists visit the classroom or performers entertain the entire school, the activity functions as an in-place field trip and tackles many of the logistical challenges of taking students off school property. Programs like these listed invigorate the curriculum and help address cuts to arts programs that have happened in many schools. Programs are not only beneficial in the visual arts but also dance, music, performing arts, humanities and more. For a complete list of providers, please visit artsquincy.org/resourceguide.

The Budding Artist

Program: Rebecca Butler's Clay or Paint Classes (On-Site OR In-Class Activity)
307 N 36th Street, Quincy, IL 62301



Grades: K-12

Group Size: 30 students maximum

Price: \$2-4 per person, depending on activity
Scheduling: Call Rebecca at 217-228-7796 or email thebuddingartist@yahoo.com.

Description: Rebecca will lead the students through the step-by-step process of making a small dish out of wet clay. Once the dishes have been made, the students get to paint their creations. After this, the clay pieces are fired and returned to the students at a later date. She also offers step by step instruction on painting with tempera, watercolor or acrylic paint.

Jamie Green

Program: Visual Arts

Grades: K-12

Group Size: One class/ 25 students maximum

Price: \$50-\$150

Scheduling: Call 217-617-3729 or email jgcartoons@gmail.com.

Description: Jamie Green is a professional artist and can teach the visual arts on subjects that include caricatures, watercolor, pen and ink, charcoal, still life and figure drawing.



Beth Heinze

Program: Beth Heinze Dance Workshops

Grades: K-6

Group Size: One class/25 students max.

Price: The program fee is negotiable.

Scheduling: Call 217-222-2919 or 217-223-1484.

Description: Beth Grunden Heinze has a BFA in dance performance, an AA in liberal arts and an AA in child studies. She is the owner/operator of Heinze Dance Academy in Quincy where she teaches students age three through high school in the areas of ballet, pointe, jazz, tap and lyrical. Various programs are offered.

Becky Hoskins

Program: Custom Visual Art Lessons with Becky Hoskins

Grades: K-8

Group Size: One class/ 25 students maximum

Price: \$30 per classroom (approx. 1 hour lesson), 2 classroom (\$60) minimum. For example: (2) 1st grade classes doing the lesson, or (1) 1st grade and (1) 2nd grade doing the lesson. Classes need to be scheduled back to back. Supplies will be budgeted into the cost. Schools outside of Quincy will be charged for mileage.

Scheduling: Call Becky Hoskins at 217-224-8814 or email rh_designstudio@yahoo.com. During the 2018-19 school year, Monday-Thursday classes are preferred.

Description: Students learn, explore, and create awesome art with Miss Becky! Teachers can relax knowing that visual arts lessons are standards based and ready for the classroom. Teachers can suggest project ideas that connect with current subject matter or lessons ideas are available that discuss famous artists, increase student art vocabulary, and activities that utilize new art materials and techniques.

Cheryl Loatsch

Program: Dance & Movement In-Class at School OR On-Site Activity

Cheryl Loatsch Studio

334 South 48th Street, Quincy, IL 62301

Grades: K-6

Group Size: One class/30 students max., based on availability of adults at the site.

Price: Price varies based on the length of the session, number of students, and number of sessions done at a time.

Scheduling: Call the Cheryl Loatsch Studio at 217-224-5104, e-mail clstudio@adams.net or visit website www.clstudio.net.

Description: Cheryl Loatsch Studio staff wants to come dance with your kindergarten through sixth grade students! Using many different types of music and movement, the instructor encourages children to explore how their body works and moves with a fun activity. During the cool down and stretch portion of the

program the instructor engages the children in conversation about making healthy choices.

Mett Morris

Program: History

Presentations

(On Site OR In Class Activity)

Grades: K-12

Group Size: any size

Price: \$150

Scheduling: Call 217-228-3015 or email robe62301@yahoo.com

Description: Mett Morris is an actress, musician and storyteller with a large variety of stories that can be crafted for subjects including Black History Month in February, Women's History Month in March, the Underground Railroad and more that coincide with various history curriculums. She engages the audience with folk tales, African stories, fairy tales, ghost stories, songs, games and personal stories that she has written about growing up in the South and from her travels abroad. She facilitates workshops that specifically focus on teasing and bullying and character-building through stories.



Education Opera

Outreach with Muddy

River Opera Company

Program: Educational Opera Outreach

Grades: K-5

Group Size: any size

Price: \$2 students and adults

Scheduling: Call 217-224-4981 or email williamwinn9676@comcast.net

Description: Muddy River Opera Company performs a children's opera, typically a fairytale, each March (dates to be determined) through the group's Opera Outreach Program. College students from Quincy University and John Wood Community College will perform and opera that appeals to all audiences, but the recommendation is primarily for grades kindergarten through fifth grade. The cost is \$2 for students and adults.





Quincy Art Center



Grades: K-12

Group Size: One classroom (25-30 students).

Price: \$48 for one hour plus \$24 per each additional hour for the art instructor fees. Material fees are in addition to instructor fees and will be based off the projected attendance.

Scheduling: Call 217-223-5900 or email Kayla Obert, Director of Education, at kobert@quincyartcenter.org.

Description: Students will love making art with an experienced instructor. Projects vary and are fun for all ages and groups large and small! Students can learn about drawing, line sculpture, printmaking, watercolors, pottery wheel throwing and more.

Quincy Community Theatre On The Road

In-School Assembly

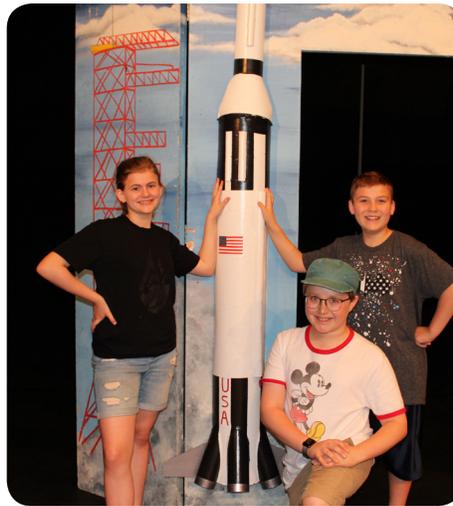
Grades: Most productions are appropriate for all ages, but precise age recommendations are announced each September.

Group Size: Performances of QCT On-the-Road are intended to accommodate up to 200 students.

Price: Fees are based on the date of the performance, number of students in the audience and distance traveled.

Scheduling: Reservations are requested at 217-222-3209. Dates can be found at 1qct.org.

Description: Quincy Community Theatre offers a touring production for local schools and community groups each spring. QCT On-the-Road will come to your school with actors, scenery, and costumes, you just supply the audience! Each show contains educational content and teachers will be supplied with a study guide pertaining to the show.



PERFORMING ARTS WORKSHOP

Grades: K-12

Group Size: 30 students maximum

Price: \$60 for a 45-minute workshop.

Discounts are available when multiple workshops are purchased at the same time. Limited financial assistance is available; for an application, contact education@1qct.org.

Scheduling: Availability varies. Email Sara reuschel@1qct.org for information.

Description: Quincy Community Theatre will send a professional teaching artist to your classroom for an interactive theatre workshop. All QCT lesson plans are in accordance with the National Core Arts Standards as well as Illinois State Standards for English Language Arts and Social/Emotional Learning. Lesson plans are differentiated by grade level and include topics such as acting, playwriting, choreography, puppetry, and more. These workshops get students up and moving and reinforce skills such as communication, collaboration, and creative problem solving.



Quincy Public Library Skype Visit

In-School Activity Done Remotely by QPL Staff

Grades: K-12

Group Size: As many as can be fit into a room with a projector or large monitor.

Price: No charge

Scheduling: Email Katie Kraushaar at kkraushaar@quincylibrary.org or call 217-223-1309.

Description: A teacher or two visit the library while sharing a tour via skype (or some other video chat) with students in the classroom.

Holly Schell

Program: Dance Education, body movement, dance history.

On-Site OR In-Class Activity

Elite Dance Studio, 425 Hampshire St., Quincy, IL

Grades: K-8

Group Size: 30 students maximum

Price: \$150 per classroom

Scheduling: Call 217-653-9894 or email hollyschell1@gmail.com.

Description: Students will learn how the body functions within dance, how different styles of dance came to be and how they influence culture and society as a whole. Students will be taught dance moves and implement them within a choreographed piece. Diagrams are available for use. Studio tours are available upon request, call for more information.



"Instant Arts Classroom Funds gives students opportunities that they might not experience at home, whether it's art, storytellers, or dance. Thank you for this great program!"

Becky Lunt, Ellington School

Find More Providers at
[artsquincy.org/](http://artsquincy.org/resourceguide)
resourceguide

Performances/Activities

Teachers, students, families and groups are encouraged to participate in local art and culture activities at local colleges and programming offered by Arts Quincy's partner organizations. Thanks to grants and donations, many of the programs are FREE for students!

Culver-Stockton College

Program: Music Concerts, Recitals and Instruction Days, Plays, Art Exhibits and more

Grades: K-12

Group Size: Any size

Price: No charge

Scheduling: Call 573-288-6413 or visit culver.edu for a calendar.



Description: Culver-Stockton College offers many free performing arts and culture events throughout the school year. Call the number listed above for further details.

John Wood Community College

Program: Art and Culture Activities

Grades: K-12

Group Size: Any size

Price: Varies

Scheduling: Visit jwcc.edu.



Description: John Wood Community College offers many opportunities for the community to indulge in the arts and culture throughout the school year. For a full performance schedule and offerings, visit jwcc.edu.

Quincy Art Center

Program: Family Day

Grades: Any grade level

Group Size: any size

Price: \$5 per family/no charge for members

Scheduling: No reservations are necessary

Description:

Quincy Art Center wants to bring the arts to the community and offers this in many free to low cost ways. On the second Saturday of each month, from 10 am-1 pm, families are invited to the art center to create artwork, view the current gallery exhibit and have the opportunity to paint pottery (for an additional fee). Learn more at quincyartcenter.org.



Quincy Civic Music Association

Program: 92nd Concert Season

Grades: K-12

Group Size: any size

Price: Students through high school are admitted at no charge.

Scheduling: Students will be admitted at the door.

Description: Quincy Civic Music Association is known for "Bringing the World to Quincy!" The 93rd season will kick off on Sunday, Oct. 13 with the Peacherine Ragtime Society Orchestra. Then, Bella Voce and Bella Voce Sinfonia will perform Friday, Nov. 22. Ring in 2020 with the acclaimed Siberian State Symphony Orchestra on Wednesday, Feb. 26. On Sunday, March 15, the Arianna String Orchestra will perform and the season will conclude with the Brubeck Brothers Quartet on Thursday, April 16 that includes some of the best young musicians from New York! As always, students through high school age are admitted at no charge. Adults may purchase tickets in advance or at the door. Learn more at quincycivictimusic.org.

Quincy Community Theatre

"Not every young person will go on to be an artist. But they will all be better students, employees, and citizens if they indeed have opportunities to embrace their creativity."

ROBERT L. LYNCH, PRESIDENT AND CEO,
AMERICANS FOR THE ARTS



Program: Discovery Night

Grades: All ages

Group Size: Any size

Price: No charge

Scheduling: Reservations are requested at 217-222-3209. Dates can be found at 1qct.org.

Description: Quincy Community Theatre offers the community a behind the scenes look at each upcoming production. Attendees can see back stage and get a behind the scenes look at the making of each production. Learn more at 1qct.org.

Quincy Concert Band



Program: Bi-Annual Concerts

Grades: K-12

Group Size: any size

Price: FREE

Scheduling: Sunday, Oct. 27 at 2:30 pm

Description: The Quincy Concert Band offers a "richer, fuller life with music" and will hold its fall concert on Sunday, Oct. 27. These free concerts are excellent for family or group outings and wonderful extra-credit opportunities. The band presents a spring concert each March. Learn more at quincyconcertband.com.



Quincy Public Library

Program: Super Saturdays

Grades: K-12

Group Size: any size

Price: Library programs are free and open to the public.

Scheduling: Fourth Saturday of each month, space is limited so register early by calling 217-222-1309.

Description: Children are invited to read books, make crafts, listen to music and participate in more activities during the 45 minute Super Saturday session. Learn more and view the full events calendar at quincylibrary.org.



Quincy Symphony Orchestra Association

Program: 72nd Concert Season:

Spirit and Wonder

Grades: K-12

Group Size: any size

Price: Students through high school are admitted at no charge. Adults may purchase tickets in advance or at the door.

Scheduling: Students will be admitted at the door.

Description: The Quincy Symphony Orchestra Association has announced its 2019-20 concert series of orchestral and choral performances. A mix of classical masterpieces, popular favorites and unique artistic collaborations will be showcased, and each piece has a story to tell! Performances include Disney in Concert on Sunday, Sept. 29, Myth and Mystery on Saturday, Nov. 16, The Bells of Christmas on Saturday, Dec. 7, Fire and Water on Sunday, Feb. 9, American Heritage on Saturday, March 7, The Thrill of the Orchestra on Friday, March 27 and the season finale will be an American

Salute on Saturday, April 13.

Auditions for the youth chorus and youth orchestra take place in the fall as well as the Young Artists' Competition. Additional opportunities to participate and for further information, visit qsoa.org.

Quincy University

Program: Music Concerts, Recitals and Instruction Days



Quincy University

Group Size: any size

Price: Free

Scheduling: For vocal performances, call Amy Stollberg at 217-228-5090. For instrumental performances email Dr. Christine Damm at dammch@quincy.edu or call 217-228-5432 ext. 3159. More information can be found at quincy.edu.

Description: Quincy University offers many free vocal and instrumental concerts, recitals and instructional days throughout the school year. Professors in the Music Department often schedule performances at local schools. Be informed by contacting the people listed above.

Sunday Music Series

Program: Intimate Music Recitals

Group Size: any size

Price: Free

Scheduling: Request a schedule by calling Dr. Phyllis Robertson at 217-228-2866.

Description: Sunday Music Series offers the community an opportunity to celebrate the artistry of fine performing arts. The recitals usually take place on the last Sunday of each month at 4 pm.



Long-Lasting Impact of Art Education

Students who participate in the arts, both in school and after school, demonstrate improved academic performance and lower dropout rates.

Students who are involved in the arts succeed in school. They are:

- 4** times more likely to participate in a math and science fair.
- 3** times more likely to win an award for school attendance.
- 4** times more likely to be recognized for academic achievement.
- 3** times more likely to be elected to class office.

Low-income students who are highly engaged in the arts are more than twice as likely to graduate college as their peers with no arts education.

*Source: Americans for the Arts, Education and Career News.

Check out our Calendar of Events

Classes, Clubs, Concerts, Exhibits,
Plays, Workshops, & More!



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2019-20 Instant Arts Classroom Funds Guidelines

17
Adams County
Public & Parochial
Schools

7,500
Students
Each School Year

124
Projects

300%
Increase in
Requests in
Over 3 Years

\$275
Avg. Cost Per
Student w/ Supplies
& Transportation

55%
of those served
receive free or
reduced lunch

The arts are essential to education. Research has shown impressive benefits of arts education on an entire school's culture, especially in student motivation, attitudes and attendance. These programs are also shown to have positive effects on test scores in math, science and reading. Increasing access and participation in arts education improves graduation rates and encourages students to succeed in school, work and life.

Keep in mind the following guidelines when applying for Instant Arts Classroom Funds:

Teachers should remember the following guidelines when applying for Instant Arts Classroom Funds:

1. Teachers from any grade level, from any public or parochial school in Adams County are eligible to apply.
2. Requests will be accepted up to a maximum of \$150 for one trip to a museum, cultural arts event, like a Muddy River Opera or Quincy Community Theatre production, or to host a teaching artist (visual arts, music, theatre, dance or humanities) in the classroom.
3. Teachers may apply for one grant per semester, Oct.-Dec. 2019 and Jan.-June 2020. If more than one application by a teacher is submitted, additional grants will be distributed based upon fund availability. Two requests per teacher maximum. Please indicate your first priority and second priority.
4. Up to 1/3 of funds requested can be used for either supplies or transportation.
5. Multiple teachers can coordinate to utilize funds for programs exceeding the individual maximum of \$150. One teacher may apply on behalf of multiple classrooms as long as the individual request does not exceed the maximum of \$150. This will count as one grant application for the organizing teacher only.
6. Teachers must have definite dates and program picked before applying for funds.
7. Applications must be submitted by September 20, 2019 via email to office@artsquincy.org, hand delivered to the Arts Quincy offices at the Oakley-Lindsay Center or mailed to 300 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 244, Quincy, IL 62301.
8. Teachers will be notified via email as to the status of their grant application.
9. Funds will be sent to your school approximately one month prior to the arts event.
10. **Please be thoughtful** with your answer to the application question about why these funds are important for you and your students. This information is very crucial for Arts Quincy to use when applying for future funds. Email photos or additional comments to office@artsquincy.org.
**This question was previously on the evaluation form. Brief evaluations will be sent in an email after your event.*

For more information call Arts Quincy at 217-222-3432 or email office@artsquincy.org.

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2019-20 Instant Arts Classroom Funds Request

Program Details:

Arts Event: _____

Date of Arts Event: _____

Classroom Information:

Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

School: _____

Address: _____

School phone number: _____ Cell phone number: _____

Email: _____

Demographics For Granting:

Art Event attendance: Students: _____ Faculty/Staff and/or Parents: _____

(For internal data only) Approximately how many of the students have:

IEPs/504 plans: _____ Free or Reduced Lunch: _____ Identify as Minorities: _____

***Required.** Why is the Arts Quincy Instant Arts Program important for you and your students?

Program Budget:

Amount for program: _____

Amount for transportation/supplies: _____

Total Grant Request: _____

Return this form to:
Arts Quincy
300 Civic Center Plaza, Suite #244
Quincy, IL 62301
OR via email to office@artsquincy.org.

Requests must be submitted by
September 20, 2019. Additional forms can be
downloaded at artsquincy.org/instantarts.



2019-20 Student Arts Awards

Student Art Awards Nomination Form

Sponsored by:



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DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 30, 2019

Arts Quincy's Student Art Awards recognize outstanding students in grades 9-12 who have demonstrated exceptional talent and accomplishments in the fine arts. They have challenged themselves to achieve excellence in one of the following six categories:

1. Visual Arts 2. Vocal Music 3. Instrumental Music 4. Theater/Performing Arts 5. Dance 6. Creative Writing

Award Criteria includes: academic success, community service, extra-curricular involvement. Anyone may propose a candidate for an Arts Quincy Student Arts Award, however it is highly recommended that the nominee be nominated by a non-relative such as school personnel, a coach or instructor.

Name of Nominee: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Category: _____ Age: _____ School: _____

Summary of Nominee Achievements: _____

Please attach a summary detailing nominee's award-winning achievements (*Limited to one typed page*)

List any of the nominee's extra-curricular school, community or church activities* (*Optional)

List any AP, Honor Courses and/or GPA: _____

Parents Name: _____

Address (if different from above): _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Nominator's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please return completed nomination form and photos* (**Optional*) to:

Arts Quincy

300 Civic Center Plaza, Suite #244

Quincy, IL 62301

OR via email to office@artsquincy.org



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- All donations are appreciated and are applied to our general classroom fund for all schools
- Donations can be made online at artsquincy.org/SponsorAClassroom

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Arts Quincy, 300 Civic Center Plaza, Suite #244, Quincy, IL 62301

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- o \$5,000+ *Underwriter*
- o \$2,500+ *Patron*
- o \$1,000+ *Benefactor*
- o \$500+ *Sponsor*
- o \$250+ *Associate*
- o \$100+ *Principal*
- o \$50+ *Family*
- o \$25+ *Friend*

I want to join!

Name _____
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Address _____

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