

DISCOVER ARTS WORKSHOPS

Education Arts Workshops! 2014 -2015



transforming kids' lives through the arts

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Junior Players provides after-school & school day workshops at recreation centers, elementary, middle & high schools in need of alternative after-school and day programming. All of our classes are taught by professionals in their respective fields.

Classes are 1 hour sessions, with a maximum of 25 students unless noted. We recommend booking a minimum of ten sessions. Session prices include supply costs.

Classes correlate to various subjects in school including Reading, Multi-Cultural Studies, Writing, P.E., and Language Arts. 21st CCLC & Arts Partners Provider.

DISCOVER AFRICA: Students explore Africa through African Stories, African Dance, & African Drumming. \$85 a class session.

DISCOVER ART: Students explore the different mediums as well as exposure to art history and its influences. (Mediums include: Painting, Drawing, Sculpture, Mural, Mixed Media) \$85 a class session

DISCOVER THEATER: Lead by a professional actor/actress, students will learn basic skills in theatre arts, emphasizing oral communication skills. Specializations include improvisation, movie making, & stage combat. \$80 a class session.

DISCOVER DANCE: Students learn basic steps that are used towards creating dances. Choose from ballet, modern, jazz, hip-hop, ballet-folklorico, flamenco & tap. (Limited availability for tap & flamenco) \$80 a class session. \$110 a session for TAP Only. **(Tap & Ballet classes must book a minimum of 12 sessions to receive dance shoes)**

VISIONS OF COMMUNITY: Through the lens of a camera students learn to explore the concepts of non-violent communication, creative problem solving skills, "talk it out", work out anger safely and "cool off". \$110 a class session, limited availability. **This class allows a maximum of 15 students.**

DISCOVER CREATIVE WRITING: Students experiment with numerous writing exercises to release the creative voice. Students may work on poetry, playwriting, spoken word and short story. \$80 a class session.

DISCOVER MODELING: Students learn basic skills in fashion including poise, etiquette, photography and nutrition. Emphasis is placed on personal development and self esteem. A great class for boys too! \$80 a class session

DISCOVER MUSICAL THEATER: Various eras of catchy songs and dances from musical theater masterpieces, both classic and contemporary, are introduced and explored. \$80-\$155 a class session, limited availability.

DISCOVER SHAKESPEARE: Erase the fear of Shakespeare from your students! Through various theater, vocal and movement games and exercises, students will see the works of the Bard in a new light while putting together a short piece from one of his famous works! \$80 a class session

DISCOVER PHOTOGRAPHY: Cultivate young artists through digital photographic projects. This class emphasizes learning through and engagement in both observing art & making it. Students will use their environment & writing exercises to create their artistic pieces of work. \$110 a class session, limited availability. **This class allows a maximum of 15 students.**

Proudly offers low priced

FINE ARTS PERFORMANCES!



African Griot Performance

One of Junior Players' Griot Storytellers will entertain and educate students on African culture through the telling of stories, folktales and drumming of Africa.

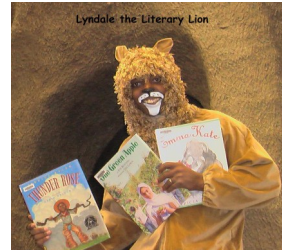
Performance material varies based on the grade level.

Celebrate Readers with Lyndale the Literary Lion

A positive literary experience for elementary students that demonstrates that it is fun to learn!

Lyndale uses storytelling, reading and songs on his journey to literacy and also emphasizes character building skills. The program is an on-location one of its kind literary based program that will inspire, motivate and entertain! Children walk away with the awareness that education is the key to Learn, Understand and Communicate.

Performance material varies based on the grade level.



Commander Salamander Live

Lizza provides your students with an interactive, one-of-a-kind experience! Learn through fun sing-a-longs, instrument play and dance. Lizza is available for concerts, schools, libraries, museums, enrichment programs, special events and more. Her album Commander Salamander is comprised of 13 original songs promoting healthy lifestyle and nutrition, physical activity and positive self-esteem.

Performance material varies based on the grade level.

Creative Spoken Word Performance

A Junior Players Artist will perform the art of spoken word. Spoken word performances focus on words, the dynamics of tone, gestures & facial expressions.

Performance material varies based on the grade level.



Flamenco Dance Performance

A variety of Flamenco dances available for performance! Students will be exposed to a dance performance by a professional company. Flamenco combines elements of Spain's culture, history, folklore with rhythm and body movement. (Limited Availability).

Performance material varies based on the grade level.

Strike, Scrape & Shake

Entertaining and Educational! Mark Shelton treats students to high energy performances on several members of the percussion family. Students get into the act with a little hambonin' body music as Mark discusses the history of percussion. Instruments include Cajon, Hammered Dulcimer, Cymbals, Electronic Percussion, Handpan, & more. Lots of sound & variety!

Performance material varies based on the grade level.



The Sing-Along Cowboy

Bob Ackerman, also known as the Sing Along Cowboy provides a fun and interactive performance featuring classic country western songs! His performance will combine songs that are suitable for all age groups with different versions of songs to accommodate any age level. His performance is highly educational and popular at public schools in the Dallas area and features both a musical Texas History Show as well as a tribute to the great African American musicians.

Performance material varies based on the grade level.

Please call the Junior Players Office for more information!

All 1 hour performances are \$400!