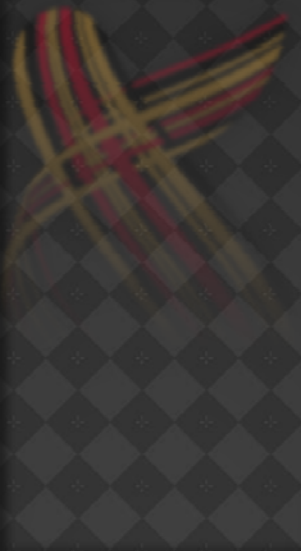




**MARYLAND STATE
ARTS COUNCIL**

Arts in Education Program Update

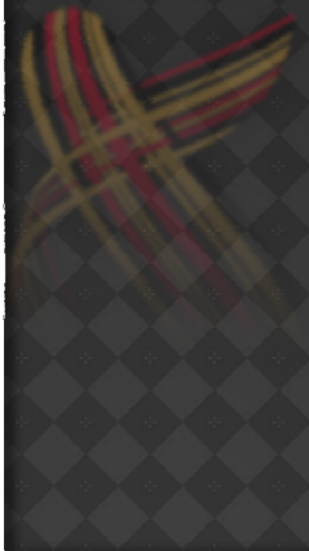


ARTIST-IN-RESIDENCE PROGRAM

MISSION:

The MSAC's AiE Program is designed to promote, strengthen, and enhance the arts and arts education in Maryland's elementary and secondary schools and other community settings. To accomplish its mission, the AiE Program:

- **Identifies and provides access** to educational arts resources
- **Offers financial and technical support** for artist residencies in schools
- **Assists in the professional development** of artists for in-school programs
- **Stimulates support for integrating the arts** as a vital and effective element in the curriculum



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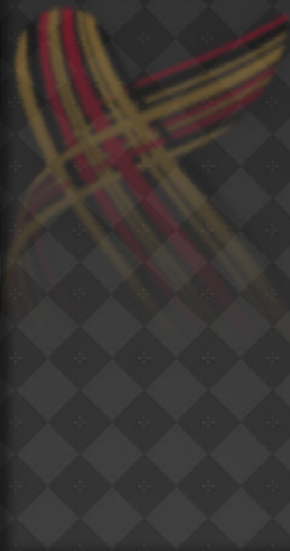
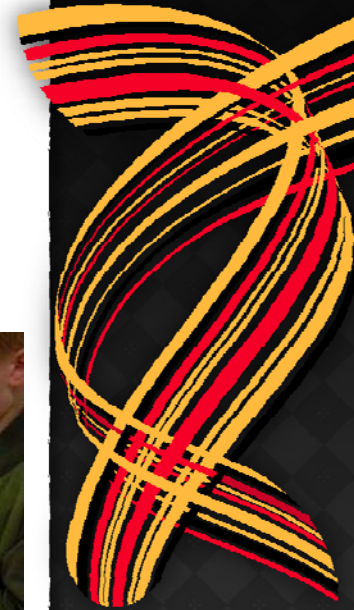
The **AiE Artists-in-Residence Program** provides opportunities for hands-on intensive workshops involving a small core group of students and teachers over a number of days or weeks.

Residencies are available in:

Performing Arts
Visual Arts
Poetry
Playwriting

Number of artists by discipline:

Performing Artists	50
Visual Artists	23
Poets	15
Playwrights	2
TOTAL	90

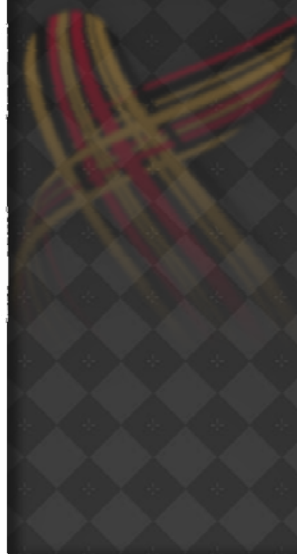


VISITING PERFORMER PROGRAM

The **AiE Visiting Performers Program** provides opportunities for presentations of one or more performances, sometimes followed by workshop sessions for students in assembly programs or classrooms.

Number of Visiting Performers

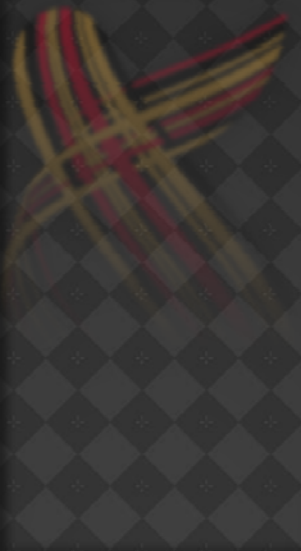
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TEACHER-ARTIST CONFERENCE



- Annual conference
March, 2011
- Opportunity for
artists to exhibit and
meet teachers to
discuss/plan
residencies
- Networking
opportunity for the
artists
- Professional
Development
Sessions for artists



TEACHER-ARTIST CONFERENCE

Professional Development Sessions for Artists:

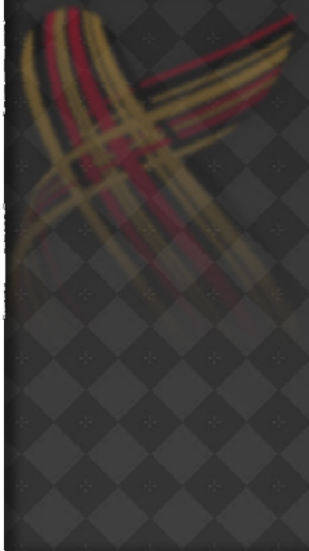
- Designing a professional development residency for teachers
- Linking the residency to the curriculum
- Designing a showcase (visiting performers)
- Tech Clinic: creating audio/visual files of artists' work for their online profiles on the MSAC website



ARTS EDUCATION IN MARYLAND SCHOOLS



- Formed by the Maryland State Arts Council, in partnership with the Maryland State Department of Education, in June 1992.
- In response to concern about the diminishing quality of and equity of access to arts education in Maryland's public schools.

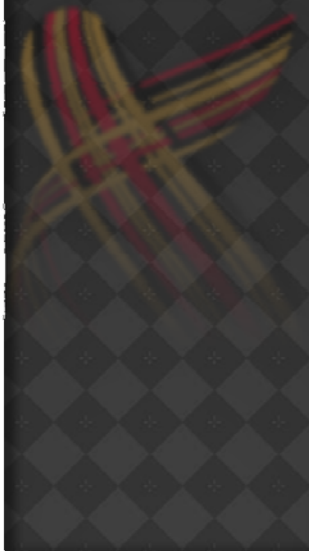


ARTS EDUCATION IN MARYLAND SCHOOLS



➤ Facilitates improving the quality of, and access to, arts education through strategies such as:

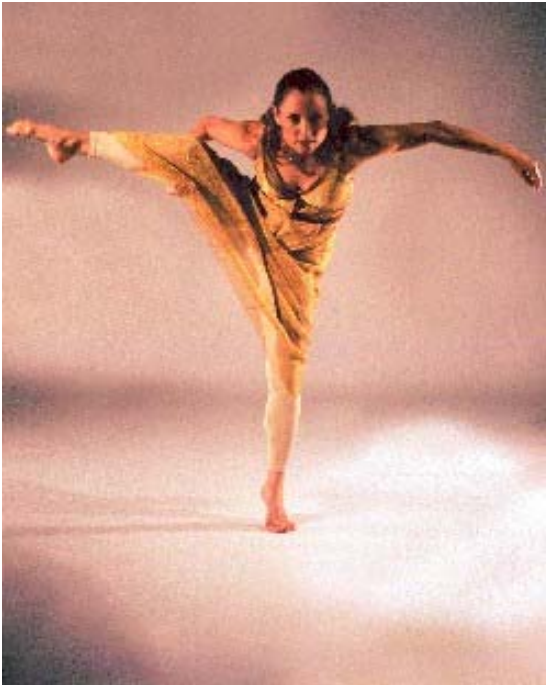
- supporting arts education policy and advocacy efforts
- developing partnerships with schools and school systems
- offering professional development for teachers and artists
- providing technical assistance through research and evaluation tools.



MARYLAND ARTIST TEACHER INSTITUTE



➤ Established in 1994, MATI is an intensive professional development summer program for elementary and middle school teachers and administrators .



➤ Conducted by master teachers, artists, and artist-educators with follow-up throughout the academic year.

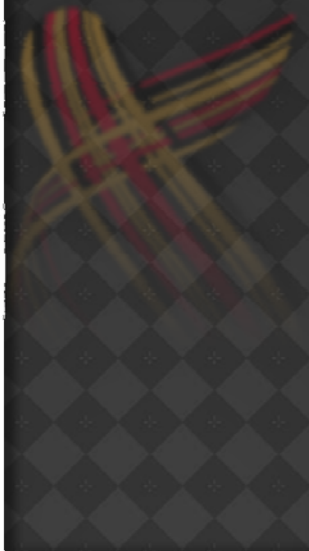
➤ In FY 2010, MATI served 90 teachers from 21 schools and employed 10 master teaching artists and performers.



21ST CENTURY LEARNING INSTITUTE

- A comprehensive, hands-on, professional development program
- K-8 teachers attend a 5 day summer workshop
- **Dance, music, theatre, visual arts, and creative writing** are examined as distinct disciplines and used as a means to access other content areas.
- Particular focus is given to the essential skills that children need to succeed as citizens and workers in the 21st century:

critical thinking and problem solving, communication, collaboration, creativity and innovation



TEACHING ARTIST INSTITUTE



- Established in 2007
- The Teaching Artist Institute (TAI) builds community artists' capacity to contribute to student learning in and through the arts.
- Trains teaching artists in the use and understanding of the Fine Arts State Curriculum as well as arts integration strategies that will enable them to more effectively engage teachers and students.
- 37 MSAC artists-in-residence have completed the program.



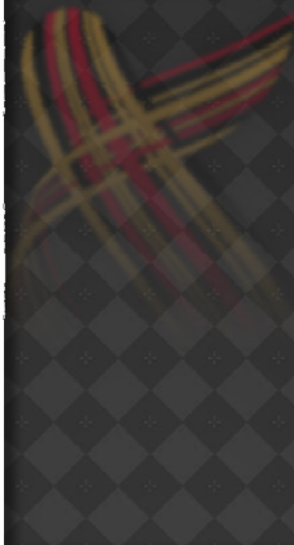
POETRY OUT LOUD 2010-2011

➤ **15 Counties, 59 schools participating, including**

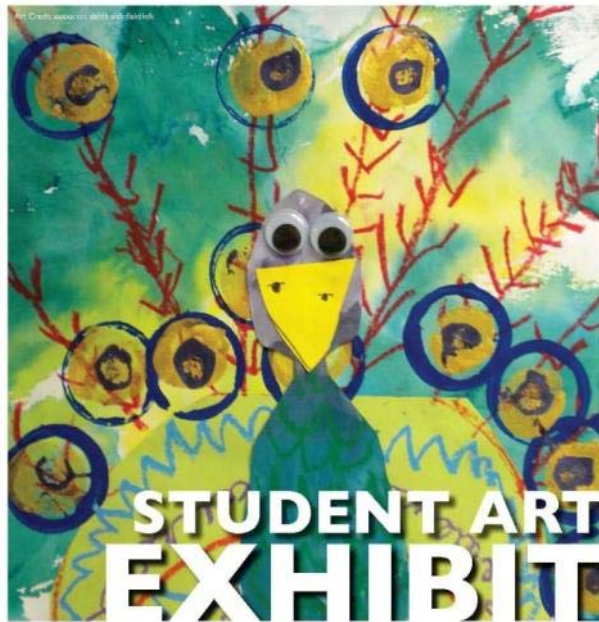
- Katherine Thomas, a school for students with language, learning and sensory motor disabilities, as well as high-functioning autism
- Waxter Young Women's Academy, a juvenile detention facility in Anne Arundel County

➤ **Prince George's and Washington Counties now on board**

- ### ➤ **Finals: February 26, 2011** **1:00 p.m.** Enoch Pratt Central Library Wheeler Auditorium Aaron Henkin, WYPR, host



MARYLAND ART EDUCATION ASSOCIATION YOUTH EXHIBIT



JANUARY 9 - APRIL 20, 2010

The House and Senate Tunnels

The 2010 Student Art Exhibit at the Maryland General Assembly celebrates excellence in art education in public schools and showcases hundreds of students' artwork from participating schools throughout the State. The exhibition is presented by the Maryland Art Education Association (MAEA), a network of professional art educators who encourage, strengthen and promote the role of visual arts in schools, in cooperation with the Maryland State Arts Council (MSAC).

For information on the MAEA visit www.mdarted.org



Martin O'Malley, Governor
Anthony G. Brown, Lt. Governor

An agency of the Department of Business and Economic Development, Division of Tourism, Film and the Arts, the MDC is dedicated to nurturing a vibrant cultural community where the arts thrive. Special thanks to the Maryland State Legislature for supporting this student showcase and to the Department of General Services.



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- Located in the House and Senate tunnels in Annapolis from January through April.



NATIONAL CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENT PROJECT

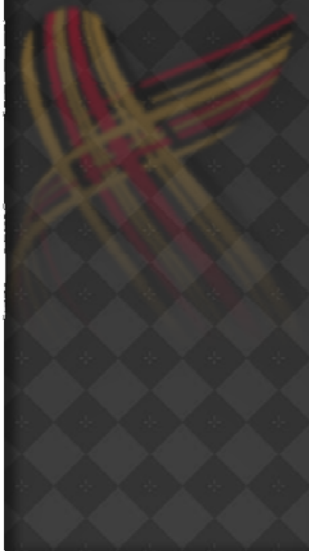


➤ 26 Ornaments created for the Maryland State Tree at the 2010 National Christmas Tree Lighting.

➤ 4th graders at Longfellow Elementary in Columbia participated.



➤ MSAC artists-in-residence Suzanne Herbert-Forton and Tara Holl designed the project.



NEW INITIATIVES

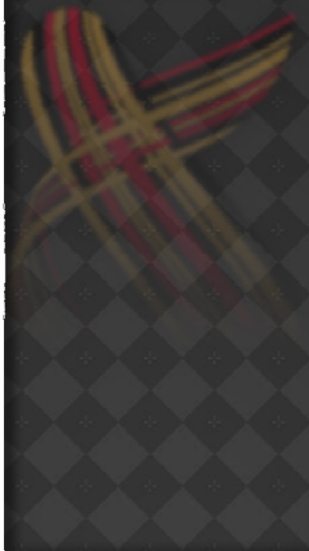
2010-2011 School Year Partnerships

BLACK CHERRY PUPPET THEATRE

Black Cherry will provide 4-5 performances at schools in St. Mary's, Charles, and Calvert Counties (each), with the support of the local county arts councils.

YOUNG AUDIENCES OF MARYLAND

Young Audiences will extend their 'Access for All' (visiting performer) program to northern counties such as Harford, Cecil, and Carroll.



UPCOMING PROJECTS



MARYLAND TRADITIONS RESIDENCY PILOT

- Western Maryland (partnership with Mountain City Traditional Arts and Frostburg University)
- Montgomery County (partnership with Class Acts Arts and National Council on Traditional Arts)
 - Maryland Traditions-vetted Montgomery County artists in Montgomery County Schools
- One Week Residency with demonstration and hands on activity; artist will provide historical and cultural information



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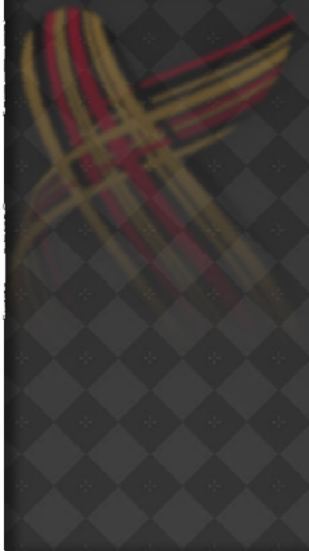
MARYLAND TRADITIONS RESIDENCY PILOT



Samia Ahmad, Bangladeshi/North Indian
Classical, Bethesda, Montgomery County



David Reed, Old Time
Bluegrass/Gospel
Musician, Rosedale,
Baltimore County



RESIDENCY PILOT



Phil Wiggins, Blues
Musician, Takoma Park,
Montgomery County



Ann Jones, Weaver,
Grantsville, Garrett
County

