



**Arts Impact continually seeks to expand its roster of contract artists who draw inspiration from working with young people.**

Since 2002, Arts Impact (formerly Progressive Arts Alliance) has been bringing learning to life through art by exciting students, teachers, and the general public with dynamic arts programs that integrate art into the curriculum. Arts Impact brings art to the classroom, and builds collaborative partnerships with teachers in a variety of art forms while providing inclusive and culturally responsive programs. Our specialized group of professional artists build an environment that helps students learn, imagine, create and innovate in schools, libraries and after-school programs throughout the community. We are currently looking to build our team of contract teaching artists with the following skills:

- Skills/training and professional experience in any art form. Artists who specialize in the following forms are encouraged to apply:
  - Dance: hip hop and step dance, culturally-specific dance forms
  - Visual Arts: mural design, installation, mixed media, digital animation, graphic design, photography, filmmaking
- Experience in working with children
- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Ability to write lesson plans (for in-school residencies only)
- Experience working collaboratively
- Positive attitude and respect for children and their ability to learn
- On-going commitment to strengthening teaching practice through feedback, professional development, and collaboration
- Ability to perform administrative duties such as lesson plan submission and scheduling
- Bachelor's degree and experience as a teaching artist preferred
- Commitment to arts education and arts integration as an approach to empowering student achievement

**To Apply:**

Submit resumé and cover letter to Maryanne Hiti, Program Manager at [maryanne@artsimpact.org](mailto:maryanne@artsimpact.org)

No phone calls please