

Art Sphere Inc.

Celebrating 20 years of Art Teaching



Inspire. Connect. Transform.

Creating a new world of possibilities through art!
Founded in 1998, ASI is a Philadelphia-based non-profit, established to teach art to inner-city low-income youth.



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Teaching Artists, Interns and Volunteers

Designing site-specific curriculum and teaching quality art programs to preschool through high school age students



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Pottery, Clay and Glazing

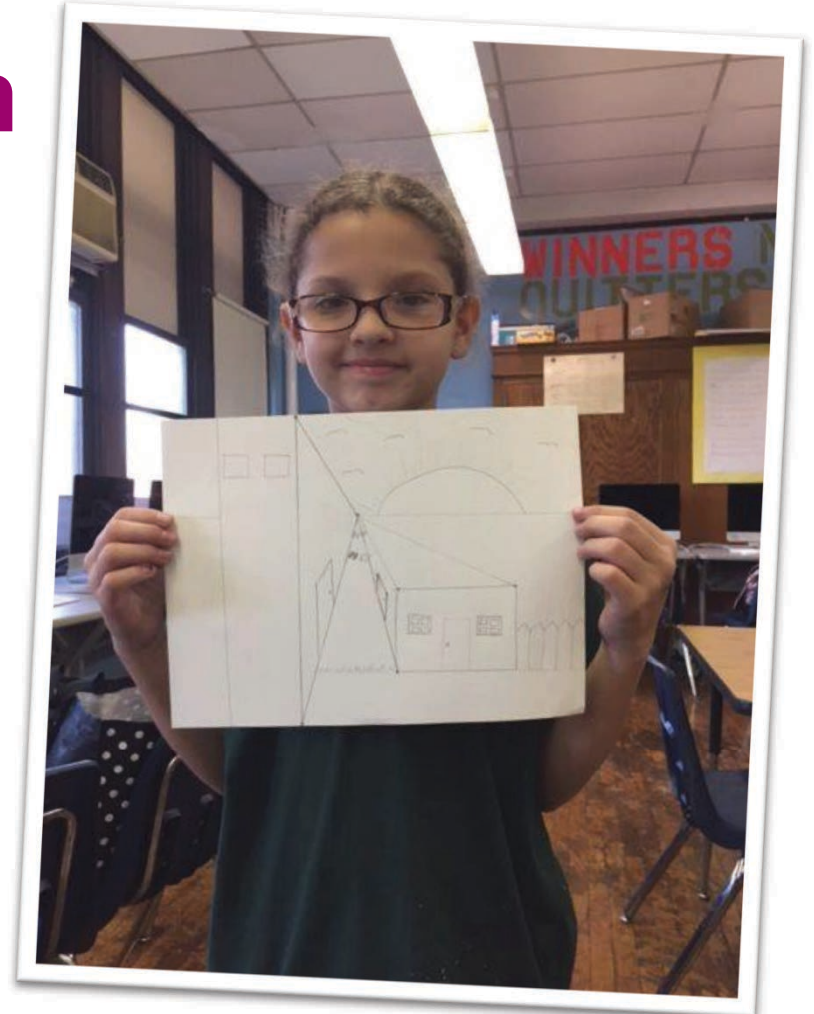
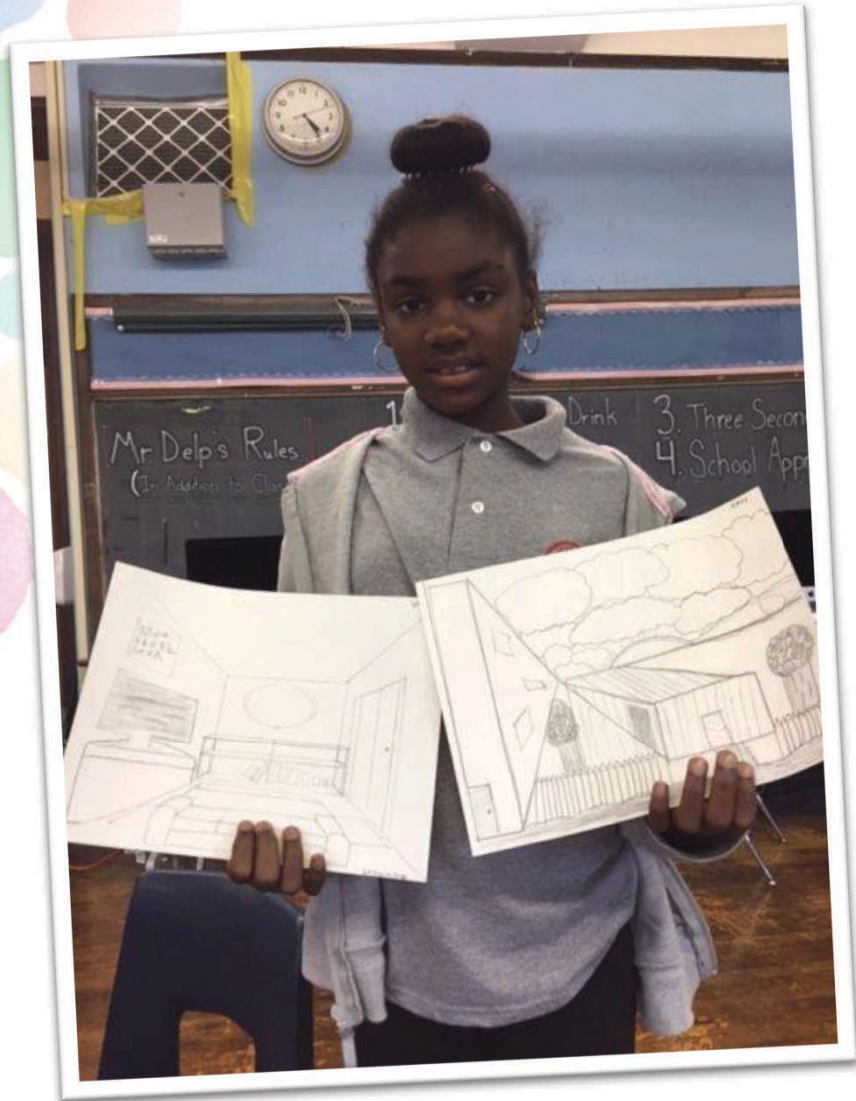


Learning slab, coil, and hand building techniques and sculpting shapes using different textures



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Architectural Design



- Designing facades and interiors of buildings
- Drawing in one, two and three point perspective
- Studying Proportion



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Celebrating the Holidays Through Art



Learning symmetry through cut-out clovers and the color wheel using a rainbow for St. Patrick's Day



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Thanks Giving Through Sharing

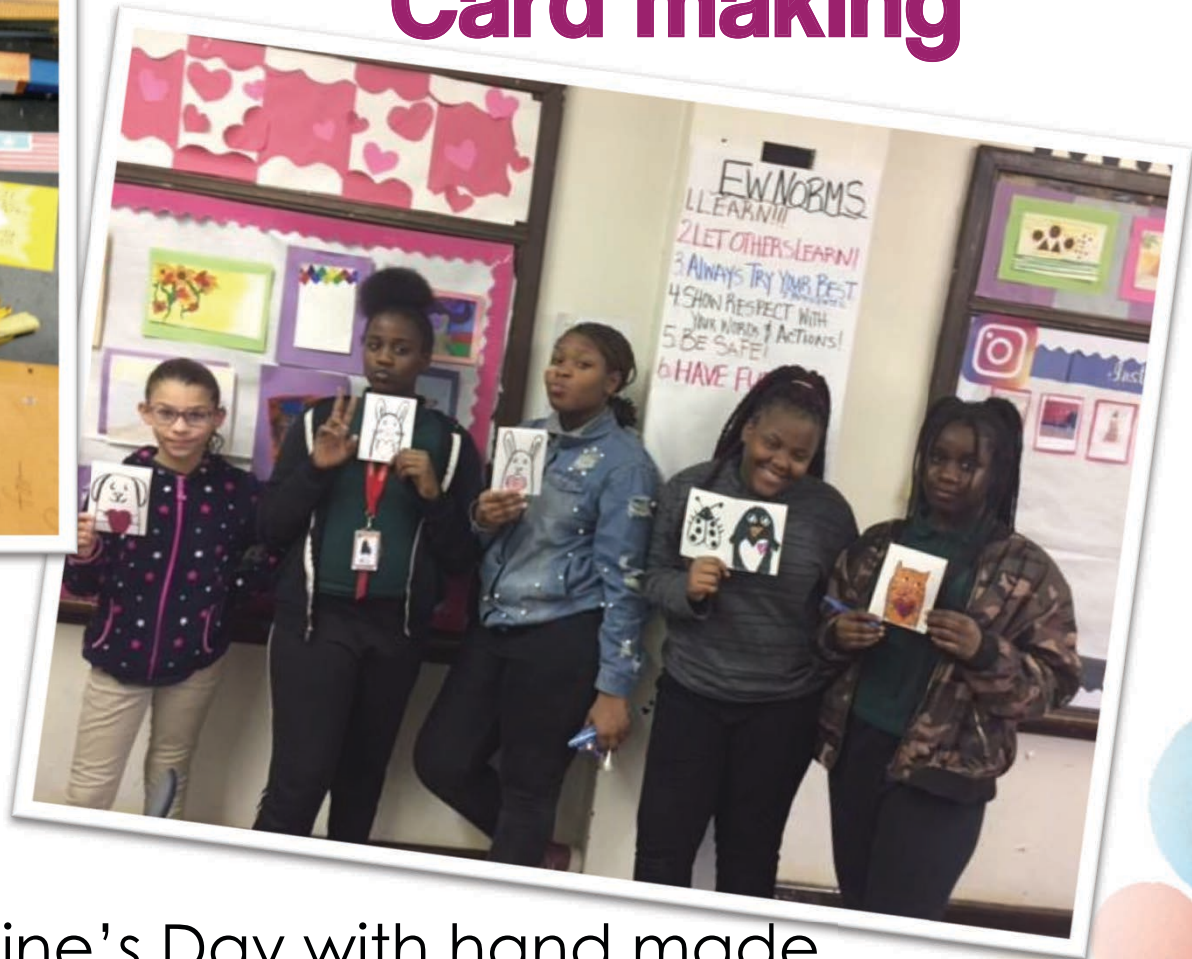


Collaborating
on group
cut-paper
collage
displays and
cards for veterans and seniors



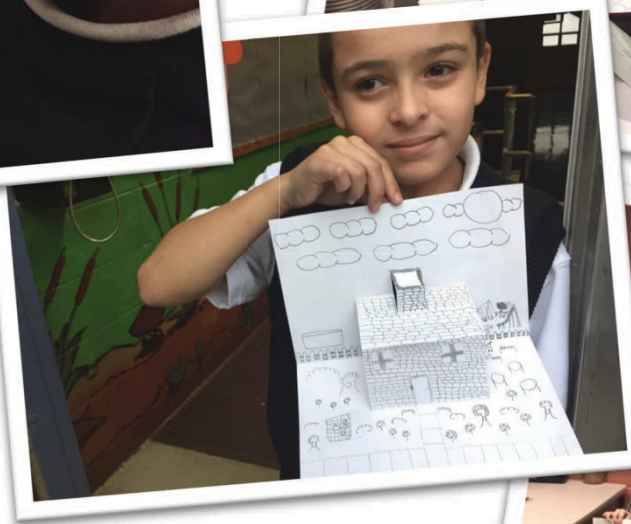
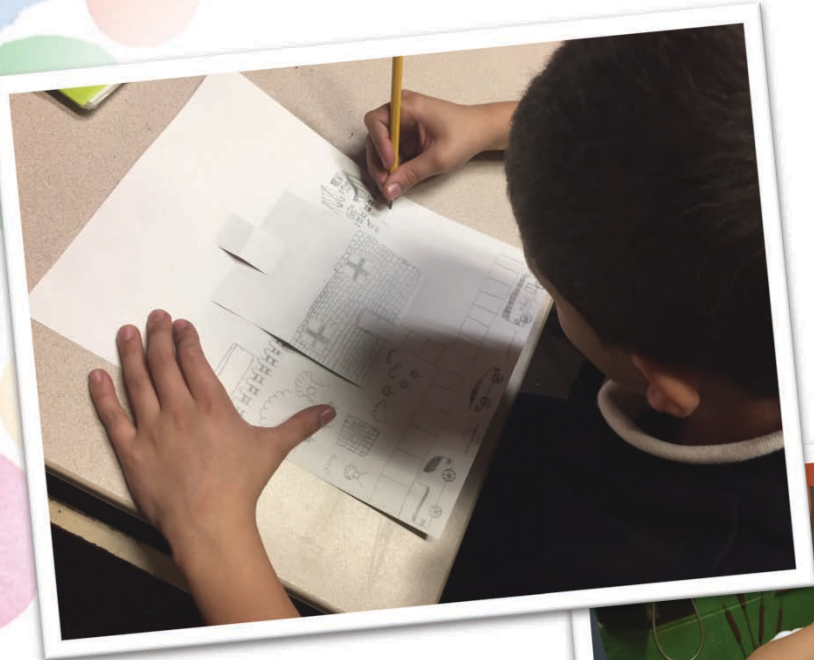
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Cartooning and Card making



- Learning to draw animals using simple shapes
- Celebrating Valentine's Day with hand made, personalized cards for Senior Citizens and Veterans

Tactile Learning



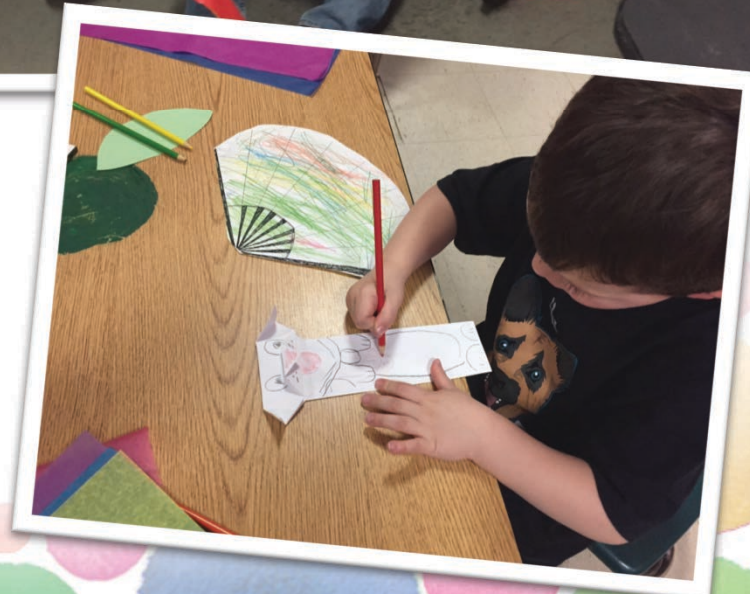
Building measuring and
planning skills through 3-D Art



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Investigating Other Cultures

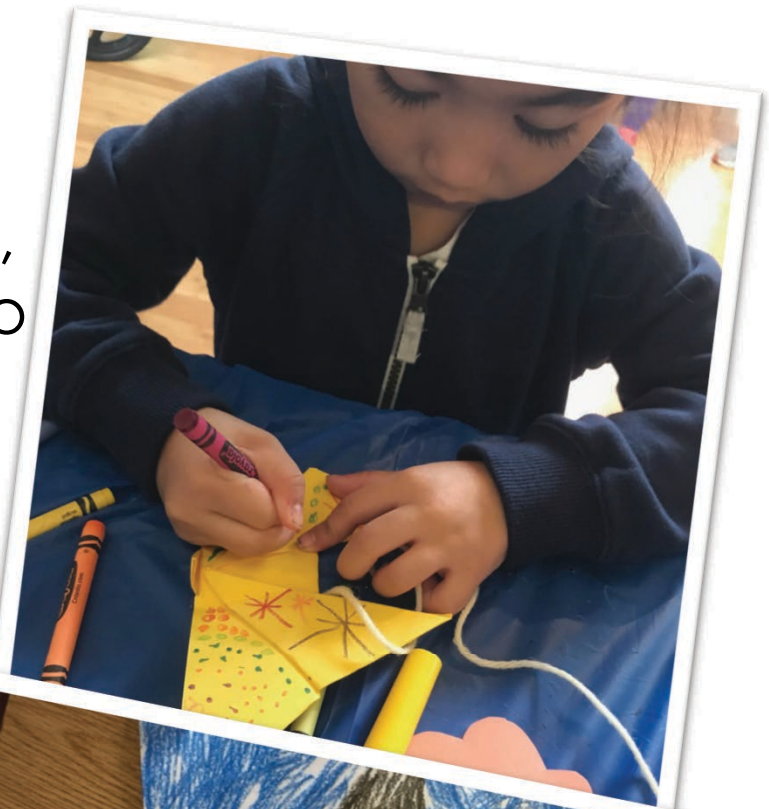
Making fans, origami
dogs and dragons for
Chinese New Year



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Origami Art

- Using origami to show how birds, butterflies and bats contribute to the environment
- Story telling through puppetry



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Painting



- Measuring proportions and using observation skills while making Self-Portraits using mirrors
- Exploring landscapes and abstraction



Animal Paper Collages

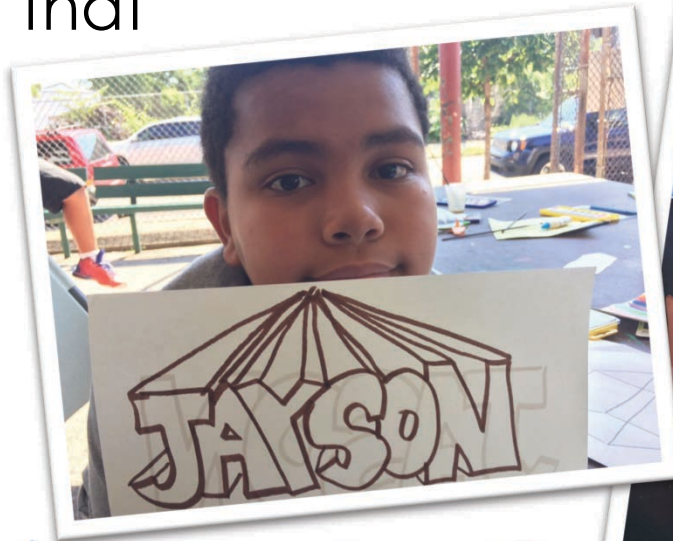


Distinguishing animals through shapes and abstraction



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Illustration



- Creating designs that show an understanding of composition.
- Using various art mediums



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Acting through Art



Creating props and miniature sets to inspire theatrical ideas



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Studying Nature

- Collaging collected elements from nature
- Painting leaves
- Printmaking leaves



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Printmaking



- Exploring different techniques in printmaking
- Learning about positive and negative space, pattern texture and repetition



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Memory Boxes



Building portfolios that carry the art, learning and ideas students and parents treasure including: pastels, prints, paintings and drawings



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Exploring Themes

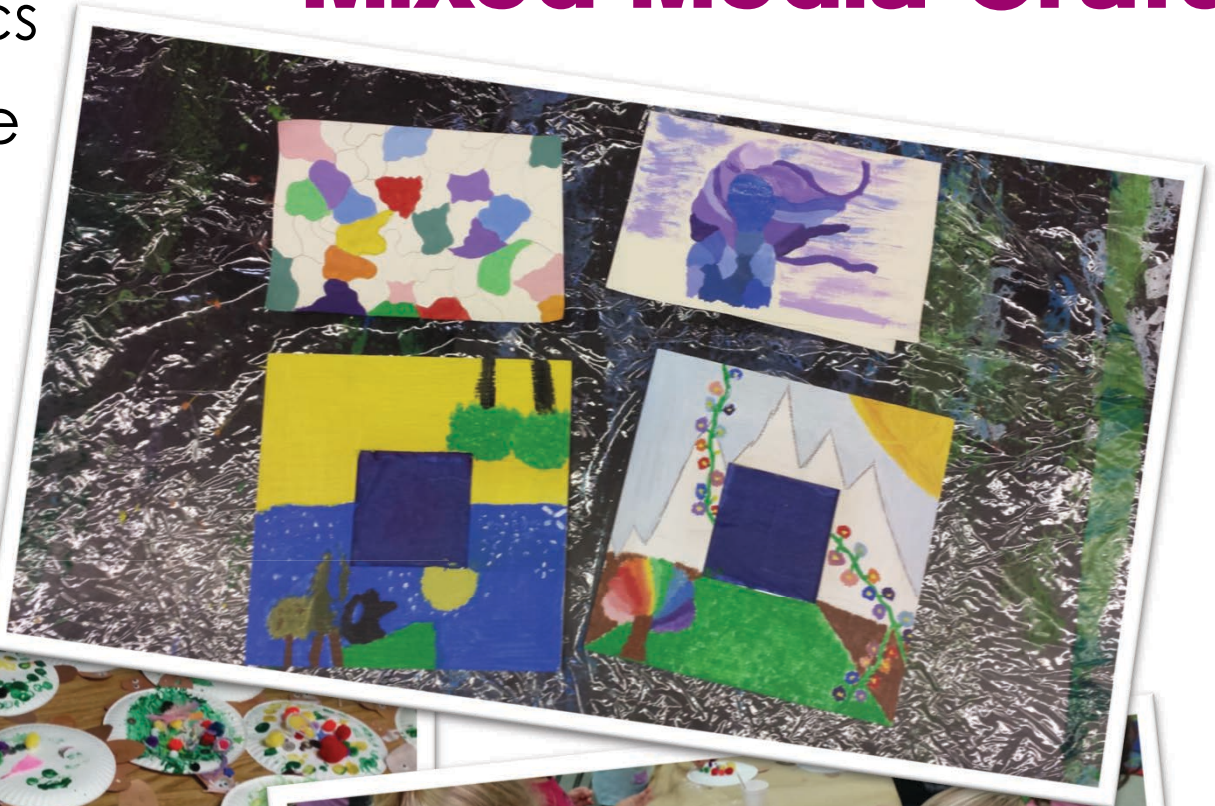
Making paper murals depicting
Community and community events



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Mixed Media Craft

- Painting on wood mirrors with acrylics
- Decorating Native American rattles with pompoms, feathers, tissue paper and tempera paint



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Art and Literacy



Bookmaking, writing and illustrating
their own stories



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Healthy Lifestyles through Art

Sculpting paper of healthy foods



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Exploring Cultures through Art

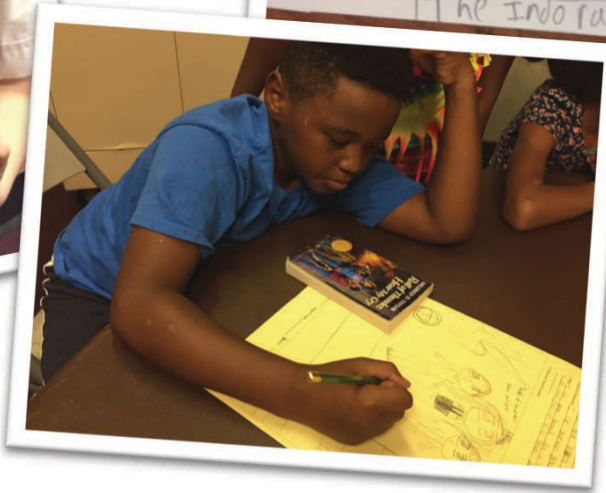


Teaching Artists share their artwork, motivations for making art, cultural experiences and bring Art History to the classroom



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ESL through Art



Bookmaking, writing and story illustrating – students draw while being read books and learning about illustrators



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Mural Painting



Neighborhood Beautification, Civic
Responsibility, Classroom Transformation



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Provide Accessible Art Education



ASI provides free art classes, lesson plans and art materials. For example making Ojos and felt bags, experimenting with oil pastel, crayon and salt resist paintings.



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Bring Communities together through shared grassroots experiences



Events, Student Displays, and Student Art Shows share art with parents, other staff, students and community



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