# Original application

A school must have an Arts Liaison to be eligible to apply to the Creative Schools Fund. Please note that the Arts Liaison will be the primary point of contact for the grant, and should remain involved in its implementation.

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Are there other people involved in the grant period (ex. Arts Partner, Classroom Teachers, etc.)? Please include their emails below.

**IMPORTANT: ARTS STAFF**

Schools receiving grants are expected to strive to adhere to staffing recommendations outlined in the 2012 CPS Arts Education Plan. For schools with more than 350 students, there should be a minimum of one full-time certified or endorsed dance, music, theater, or visual arts instructor. For schools with less than 350 students, there should be a minimum of a part-time certified or endorsed dance, music, theater, or visual arts instructor.

Schools that do not meet this ratio are still eligible to apply, but must provide detail about how they are working to come into compliance.

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Teaching Artist First Name:

Teaching Artist Last Name:

# of Years Teaching Artist Has Worked in Schools:

# of Years Teaching Artist Has Worked with Arts Organization:

If there is more than one teaching artist for this project, please feel free to add additional names, years of experience in schools, and years of experience with the organization below.

Will you work with more than one arts organization, or will your primary arts partner be sub-contracting work to another arts organization?

**PROGRAM INFORMATION AND STUDENTS SERVED**

What is the primary arts discipline of the proposed program?  
- Theater  
- Music  
- Dance  
- Literary Arts  
- Visual Arts  
- Media Arts

What is the secondary arts discipline of the proposed program? (if any)  
- Theater  
- Music  
- Dance  
- Literary Arts  
- Visual Arts  
- Media Arts
How many total weeks of arts learning will participating students receive?

For those weeks, what is the average number of minutes students will receive arts exposure each week?

What grade levels will be served by the proposed program? Please click all that apply.

Kindergarten 5th 10th
1st 6th 11th
2nd 7th 12th
3rd 8th
4th 9th

How many students will directly benefit from the proposed program? (Please only include the number of students who will receive the number of weekly minutes additional arts exposure listed above).

Proposal Narrative
Please provide a 3-4 sentence summary of the proposed project.

Example: The Chicago Percussion Ensemble provides music and dance instruction in schools. The Ensemble will provide percussion and dance instruction to 3rd through 6th grade students and start a percussion orchestra program for 6th graders. Students will receive music and dance instruction, compose original music and choreograph original dance, attend a professional concert, and perform original work for the school community.

ARTS INSTRUCTION AND PROGRAM DESIGN

What is the primary goal of the program you are applying for? Please Select One:
- Fill a gap in arts instruction via partnership(s) with an arts organization
- Make the arts more sustainable in the school/Inspire lasting benefits, with an emphasis on professional development, curriculum building, and increased access for students
- Develop innovative models that can be replicated in the district

Please explain how the project will accomplish this goal?
Please tell us about the student population who will be served by this project, and how the program will address their needs.

Please comment on the proposed program from an equity perspective, including (but not limited to) cultural relevance, learning style, ELL, and/or populations that typically have less access to the arts.

Describe what you hope students will learn or how they will benefit as a result of this project:

How is internal and/or external collaboration built into the way the project will be conducted to ensure its success?

(Please include how all parties will be aligned prior to the start of the program on logistics/operations, scheduling and timing, disciplines prioritized, and the school populations of focus. This can occur between teaching artists and school teachers, teachers and school administration, among an arts team’s members, and/or across disciplines).
If you are working with an arts partner, please ask your contact to provide a summary of the organization’s vision for quality arts teaching:

Arts partners may find out more about the vision for quality at this link: https://www.ingenuity-inc.org/quality-initiative

If you are working with more than one arts partner, please ask additional contacts to provide summaries of their vision for quality arts teaching:

BUDGET

Please enter the dollar amount you intend to dedicate to each aspect of grant implementation. If the arts partner is providing any supplies or equipment in addition to services, please include that amount in their vendor fees and explain below what they will be purchasing.

New this year: These budget categories match with CPS budget line items for easier distribution and reconciliation of funds.

Please add up the individual categories and ensure the sum does not exceed $10,000.

In-school-time arts programming provided by an arts partner

Teacher non-instructional extended day pay, including 1.45% added on for benefits

Consulting support for professional development, curriculum development, and/or arts integration

Field trips and experiential arts learning:
Transportation
Field trips and experiential arts learning: Admission and fees

| Materials and supplies for arts learning (e.g., art supplies, costumes) |
| Supplie... | Materials and supplies for arts learning: digital software |
| Physical modifications to the school to support arts programming (capital improvements such as hiring painters, installing a sink or dance floor, etc.) |
| Hardware and equipment valued at $500 or more each (e.g., laptops, iPads, 3D printers) |
| Furniture (e.g., art stools, choral risers) |
| Other expenses |

Please explain how the 'other' amount will be used.
If your school receives a grant from the Creative Schools Fund, your school will agree to the following:

1. To repay any amount not used for the purposes of the grant;
2. To submit full and complete annual reports to the Creative Schools Fund on the manner in which the funds are spent and the progress made in accomplishing the purposes of the grant;
3. To keep records of receipts and expenditures and to make its books and records available to the grantor at reasonable times;
4. Not to use any of the funds to influence legislation, to influence the outcome of elections, to carry on voter registration drives, to make grants to individuals or other organizations or to undertake any nonexempt activity, when such use of the funds would be a taxable expenditure if made directly by the foundation.

By checking this box, I acknowledge that I have read and agree to these terms.