



ROSE HILL ELEMENTARY PTSA

ART DOCENT PROGRAM

NEEDS YOUR HELP TO TEACH EASY ART LESSONS

Sign up to be an Art Docent today!

HOW CAN I TEACH ART WHEN I KNOW NOTHING ABOUT ART? Whether you already have a deep love of art or only draw stick people, you can walk confidently into the classroom fully prepared to teach an engaging lesson. How? We have a large (and growing) library of prepared lessons. Take your pick from the following resources:

- The Whole Picture: Lessons are fully scripted and cover art periods from pre-history to post-modern and include all the world's geographical areas. This curriculum is written to give students a complete, comprehensive and practical art education.
- Lake Washington School District Art Docent Program: Our district has created a full art program with lessons focusing on the 6 Elements of Art (Color, Line, Shape, Texture, Value, Space, Form). Lessons include local artists! The format is so easy to use (all on PowerPoint) it takes hardly any preparation at all.
- Deep Space Sparkle (DSS): Free lessons can be found on the DSS website for every grade. They cover seasons, holidays, and many exciting art techniques. These lessons compliment the classroom teacher's own DSS lessons they will be giving throughout the year.
- YOU: You may have favorite artists you'd love to feature and art techniques you want to experiment with. Perhaps you love one of the prepared lessons, but you have a new idea for the student project—please bring your creativity and your own special flavor into the Art Docent program!

HOW OFTEN WOULD I NEED TO TEACH AN ART LESSON?

- We teach 4-6 lessons a year per class. You can help with one or all lessons, but after one you'll want to do more!
- Join an Art Docent Team and share the fun of teaching and assisting by taking turns.
- Art lessons are fast, only taking 60-90 minutes including the project.
- All supplies you need are provided for you and can be easily accessed right in the school.
- Schedule your lessons with the teacher based on your availability.

WHAT KIND OF TRAINING AND SUPPORT IS AVAILABLE TO ME?

- Attend a one-time 60 minute meeting to learn about the curriculums available and how to use them.
- Meet other Art Docents and start coordinating your lesson schedule.
- See where the art lessons and supplies are located and how they are organized.
- The Art Docent Chair and Grade Level Advisors will be available to answer questions and help you throughout the year and you can visit our private Facebook group for inspiration.

Please sign up today to teach art in your child's classroom! It's a great way to become involved at school, meet other parents, and your child will love having you in their classroom!

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Please fill out and return this form to school in your child's red folder. **THANK YOU!**
YES! I'd like to receive more information about help with art in my child's classroom.



Name: _____ Phone#: (____) _____
Email: _____
Student(s): _____ Teacher(s): _____

