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# Impact Report

2021-2022

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# 2021-2022 School Partnerships



21st Century Primary Center  
Alex Haley Elementary Academy  
Arthur R. Ashe Elementary School  
Barack Obama School of Technology and the Arts  
Blackhawk Primary Center  
Charles Gates Dawes Elementary School  
Chicago High School for Agricultural Sciences  
Currier Elementary School  
Daniel Boone Elementary School  
Douglas Taylor Elementary School  
Dr. Jorge Prieto Math and Science Academy  
Durkin Park Elementary School  
Edward Everett Elementary School  
Galileo Math & Science Scholastic Academy Elementary School  
Gary Elementary School  
George Washington High School  
Henry H. Nash Elementary School  
Infinity Math Science and Technology High School  
Jacqueline B. Vaughn Occupational High School  
John B. Murphy Elementary School  
John T. Pirie Fine Arts & Academic Center Elementary School

Lake View High School  
Leman Middle School  
Louis Pasteur Elementary School  
Marvin Camras Children's Engineering School  
Mohawk Primary Center  
Newton Bateman Elementary School  
North-Grand High School  
Patrick Henry Elementary School  
Philip Rogers Elementary School  
Pioneer Elementary School  
Ray Graham Training Center High School  
South Shore International College Preparatory High School  
Spry Community Links High School  
STEM Magnet Academy  
Telpochcalli School  
Thomas J. Waters Elementary School  
Turner Elementary School  
Walter H. Dyett High School for the Arts  
William C. Goudy Technology Academy  
William E. Dever Elementary School  
William K. New Sullivan Elementary School

Check out the interactive map of CAPE schools at [capechicago.org/current-partnerships](https://capechicago.org/current-partnerships)!



# 3,772

Students across  
Chicago Served by  
CAPE this year  
received

# 14,612

hours of instruction



# 87

Classroom teachers  
engaged in arts  
integration  
partnerships and  
professional  
development



# 81

CAPE teaching  
artists who  
provided 14,612  
hours of instruction

# Thank You!

Dear Friends,

On behalf of all of our CAPE students, teachers and teaching artists, we thank you for your dedication to making the arts central to all students' lives.

The 2021-2022 school year brought our community back together and into the schools. To bring traditional subjects to life through the arts, we pair professional teaching artists with Chicago Public Schools teachers for long-term classroom partnerships and training. This year 87 teachers were paired with 81 teaching artists at over 44 schools. With your support, CAPE has proven its stability and continuity while continuing to pursue innovation and collaboration.

Because of you, CAPE has not only been able to expand its programs to reach more children, teachers and artists with programming, professional development and exhibitions, we have also begun including community and caregivers for events and workshops tailored just for them. And, coming in fall 2022, a brand new gallery space that will become a launching pad for a new CAPE era as we enter our 30th year.

Thanks to your ongoing commitment, CAPE is financially sound. While many businesses and organizations are facing rocky times, we continue to uphold our mission to not charge schools for CAPE services, and have added teaching hours, classrooms and students this year. The geographical map allows for a visual understanding of the vast reach CAPE is able to provide. Your support plays a critical role in our ability to survive and thrive -- we couldn't be more grateful for you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joshua Nathan".

Joshua Nathan, President  
CAPE Board of Directors

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Margaret Koreman".

Margaret Koreman, Vice President  
CAPE Board of Directors

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"I've taught with CAPE for five years, and each time I appreciate the interesting places we go with the students. In this 2021-22 year, a cross-stitch unit became a study in methods of meditation, focus, concentration, spatial recognition and the development of fine motor skills. Our after-school class took a closer look at processes of layering, repetition, and reproduction through linocut printmaking, self portraits, and designing our own tattoos.

b'Anansi Knowbody, Teaching Artist

## How does CAPE serve its mission?

**In-School Programs:** In each classroom, CAPE teaching artists spend hours collaborating with classroom teachers and working with students to address academic, artistic, and social-emotional learning goals.

CAPE provides professional development for teachers and their partner teaching artists, planning time, and individual coaching with staff to develop each project. Projects are crafted anew each year.

**After-School Programs:** CAPE's after-school program begins with a foundation of arts integration (art + academics) and regularly expands to include community involvement and public art projects.

"I am so grateful to have been able to participate in CAPE's A/RP and Collab programs these past seven years. Each year has opened up new doors for inquiry and collaboration with my student and teaching partners, as well as informing directions that I'd never have imagined my own artistic practice might explore. Following a keen focus on process, and taking the time to both document and reflect has afforded us learning opportunities that aren't always clear from the onset. It is definitely one of the most valuable and multi-faceted learning opportunities I am involved in."

Gina Lee Robbins

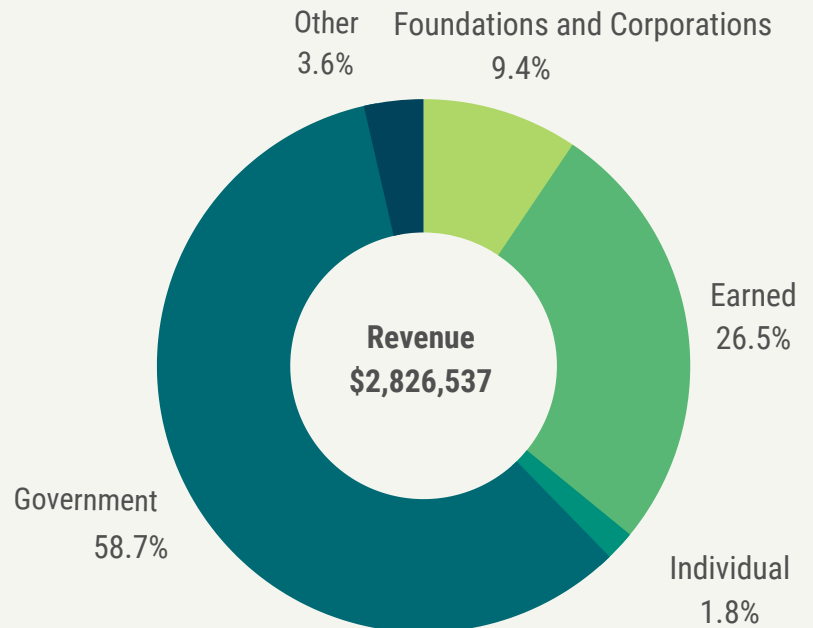
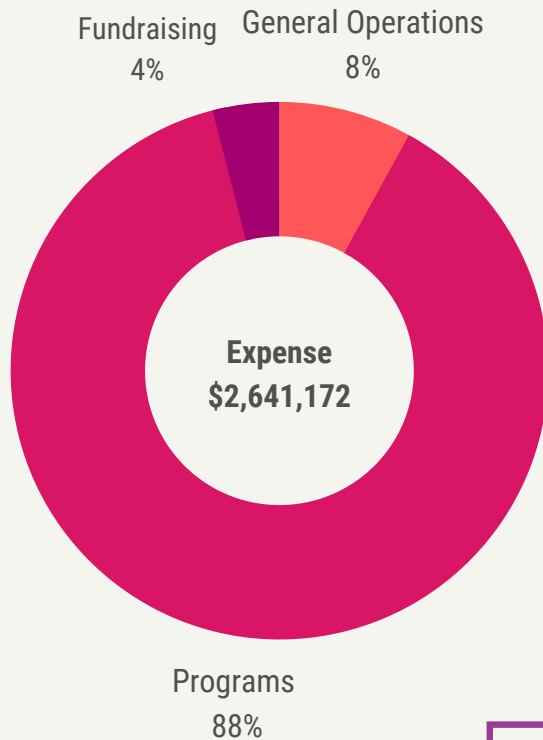
Ceramic and found materials sculpture and installation artist  
Teaching Artist at CAPE since 2015

"CAPE really took the time to develop me as a teacher, a researcher, and a documentarian, and it informed my artwork and helped me build a career as a professional artist."

Jenny Heyden,  
CAPE Teaching Artist 1994-2004,  
CAPE Development & Communications

# Fiscal Year 2022

July 2021 to June 2022 (unaudited)



**NET INCOME: \$185,365**

**NET ASSETS: \$938,631**

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TEACHERS AND ARTISTS**



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