

Chicago Arts Partnerships in Education presents:

Convergence 2023

May 16–June 2, 2023



Convergence is CAPE's annual exhibition of student artwork from our Artist/Researcher Partners Program. Teacher and teaching artist teams assemble to display artworks and artifacts that capture the arts-integrated processes from over 30 classrooms. This exhibit celebrates the creativity of the young artists in the program and the collaborations the teachers and artists continue to develop and transform.



Convergence brings together arts-integrated projects created by over 650 students from 33 Chicago Public Schools classrooms participating in CAPE's Artist/Researcher Partners Program. Through the A/RP program, CAPE supports ongoing, long-term teacher and teaching artist collaborations in enhancing inquiry-based practices that engage students in deepening academic content learning through art-making. Teachers and teaching artists co-curate Convergence and have arranged the exhibition based on five themes they identified across the projects.

Included in the **Community and Connections** theme, students across Chicago related poetic forms with emotions, explored links between materials and the environment through learning how Native American and first nation artists represent past and contemporary indigenous cultures, and utilized social art practice as a form of social organizing.

Under the second theme of **Identity**, the classroom projects range from students reflecting on the multiplicities of self by depicting different versions of themselves through digital photography to examining how the various communities they encounter shape their identity.

Works comprising the theme of **Adaptation** investigate the environment's influence on body movements and dance, animation to visualize the future, and creative processes wherein problem-solving, perseverance, and choice engender adaptive skills for different situations.

Grouped within the **Technology** theme are student investigations of translating color and shapes into music, employing engineering skills to create architectural head gear, merging coding and music making in language classes, and choreographing the patterns and functions of simple machines.

The fifth theme is **Perspectives and Stories**, wherein students produced creative research on social-cultural connections between materials and messages, represented the intersection of their personal life with history, and revealed how colors tell stories.

Open Late

Friday, May 19
6:00 PM–9:00 PM

Reception

Saturday, May 20
4:00 PM–7:00 PM

Curriculum Share

Thursday, May 25
5:00 PM–7:30 PM

Participating Teachers, Artists, and Students

Teachers = †

Bateman Elementary

Priscilla Rowe †
Samantha Soto †
Jordan Knecht †
Betsy Zacsek †
Paula A
Noah A
Andres A
Ella E
Matthew F
Jayden G
Jeffrey G
Elhaam M
Arianna M
Ian M
Arlan P
Etta P
Emma R
Jacob R
Efrain S
Julian S
Jordan T
Zaiden T
Olivia V
Madelyn W
Jaxon Z
Cormac B
Jacob C-T
Harry G
Damian G
Adam H
Allegra H
Safina H
Daniel M
Jose M
Juandiego M
Bishrelt M
Lily O
Riley P
Emma P
Allan S
Madilyn S
Mohadisa S
Palm S
Silas T
Daniel W

Artists = +

Boone Elementary

Gustavo Soto †
Gwen Terry †
Siti Maryam A
Malaak A
Maryam A
Ahmed A
Janah A
Huriyah A
Giovani C
Darwin C
Annmarie C
Fiorella C
Itzayani C
Sansony C
Jeremiah C
Ashar H
Omar K
Ilamuddin M
Stephanie M
Brody M
Sowaibah H
Yaretzy M
Norfarhanah N
David O
Salomon O
Mark P
Giselle R
Juliana R
Briannna R
Brisa S
Axel S
Brian V

Chicago High School for Agricultural Sciences

Amy Hughes †
Mary Rossi †
Katie Schmitz †
Mirtes Zwierzynski †
Grenier B
Dylan B
Tristan C
Cedrick D

Miguel C
Nathan D
Keyia D
Collin E
Samuel F
Emiliano G
Kai H
James H
Jeremias J
Hayden M
Lea M
Krystiana M
Gene M
Melanie P
Aubrie P
Kaniyah R
Isaiah R
Laurence R
Alexa R
Kennedy S
Victoria S
Heather T
Tommy M
Amyah B
Jeremiah C
Devin F
Anaya G
Anna H
Courtney T
Daniel Vigil S
Trae Y
Sean K
Lindsey D
Shamari T
Jacob M
Javion P-M
Aaidyn H
Naima G
Ulysses M
Gerald K
Samuel F
Grace L
Gabriela A
David S
Jamel D
Solomon M
Efrain O

Ava R
Nick C
Daniel C
Marco R
Misael R
Omarion T

Dever Elementary

Tabita Sherfinski †
Sze Lin Pang †
Dashiah A
Vivian C
Angelica G
Madison S
Maleki J
Valeria H
Arwah Z
Ariana B
Jenessa R
Vivianne W
Onyx D
Shailese L
Alejandra A
Israel D
Wesley G
Jonah N
Emely R
Raygan O

Durkin Park Elementary

Luz Santellano †
Niema Qureshi †
Mikayla A
Emilio A
Johan A
Daniela A
Angel C
Sebastian C
Alison D
Victoria D
Jesus G
Luis G
Fernanda H
Giovanni L
Andrez M

Andrez M
Saul M
Brianna O
Edgardo P
Maikol R
Carlos R
Valeria R
Yaretzl R
Lucca R
Jorge S
Naleeya V

Haley Academy

Mellisa Kazlauskas †
Jessica Mueller +
Kayshawn B
Sheree B
Lee B
D'Vyne C
Jazirrah C
Aniyah E
Elylah E
Ava H
Nikirah H
Sariah J
Kiair L
Donnell N
Shakira O
Qamera P
Caliyah P
Da'Miyah R
Demond S
Aaliyah W

Henry

Elementary

Marybel Cortes †
Ayako Kato +
Allison H
Joel V
Lesley M
Jorge P
Jayden M
Dayannie A
Lesley S
Fesser R
Joseline V
Valentina V
Ruben C
Rodrigo G

Roddy L
Jesus M
Andreas M
Noah P

Lake View High School

Alicia Acosta †
Valerie Wadycki †
Jason Roebke +
Salma A
Bryan A
America A
Vianca B
Diana B
Elon B
Ashley C
Katherine C
Jesly C
Kellyn C
D'Andre D
Katherine F
Rafael F
Kevin G
Brenda G
Aleesha G
Giani H
Miguel M
Marisol M
Jasmine M
Julissa O
Brayan O
Karina P
Astrid P
Ofelia R
Evelyn R
Demetrius S
Juliza S
Caela T
David A
Caley B
Jocelyn C
Ruby C
Mersayes C
Ethan C
Raymundo C
Jan D
Jason G
Elijah G
Jay G

Elbon H
Izaac J
Gerson L
Kenneth L
Adrian M
Matthew M
Joseph P
Jesus R
Leylany R
Luis R
Nathan S
Natalia S
Elyssa V
Janette V
Carlos A
Elias A
Kenneth C
Sergio D
Jadalyn D
Melanie D
Victor D
Gwenna D
Dulce D
Ethan K
Garry K
Suri L
Phoebe M
Patricia Q
Julissa Q
Diego R
Jonathan S
Jasmin S
Ivan S
Marco T
Brandon U
Yasmine Z

Murphy Elementary

Peter DeLaurentis †
Sarah Ramirez †
Michele Sera †
Penny Shultz †
Molly Cranch +
Margy Stover +
Julian B
Vivian B
Mateo C
Kevin C
Leonardo C

Joshua D.C
Jayden G
Lenalee G
Dakavion J
Isabelle L
Diego L
Chloe N
Benjamin P
Estevan R
Mason R
Lizbeth S
Adeline S
Rory S
Rosemary S
Alan S
Michelle U
Olivia A
Dylan B
Maurice B
Xavier F
Maria H
Hector J
Lila K
Hunter M
Ariel M
Quinn M
Kolby N
Ivan O
Ashley R
Kailani R
Santiago R
Thalia S
Esai S
Jaxon S
William W
Liam W
Jason A
Sabrina B
Ada B
Lailanie C
Ashanti C
Ethan C
Lu C
Paola C
Ricardo G
Austin G
Daniel G
Oli H
Milo J
Clara L

Anthony M
Ana M
Fonzi M
Paloma O
Felix R
Xavien R
Rosa S
Jolie S
Alex S
Chantal A
Jonah B
Aiden B
Jaslene B
Hugo B
Alex B
Bruce C
Ryan E
Brianna G
Amelia G
Roman J
Clara J
Layla M
Fabian M
Aiden P
Matthew R
Leilani R
Nicolas S
Gillian S
Julian V
Abigail W
Lane W
Trinity Y

**New Sullivan
Elementary**

Tracy Netter †
Leticia Pineda †
Shenequa Brooks +
Jessica Mueller +
Angel B
Jamal B
Malik H
Demetrius H
Carlos H
Lyric H
Brianna L
Allison P
John O
Nerious S
Ezaryah S

Tanari A
Samantha A
Luis C
Galena D
Matthew G
Cristen H
La'Shae H
Isaiah J
Monique J
Taquana M
Oluwatimilehin O
Jeremiah P
Kamren S
Noah T
America Y

**Pasteur
Elementary**

Arturo Barrera †
Sheila McDermott †
Chuck Jones +
Julian
Joseph
Scarlett
Ivy
Bernardo
Kamila
Yaira
Valentina
Mario
Nicole G
Branson
Janelle
Marcelo
Kristina
Nicole M
Noel
Aileen
Emanuel
Marcelo
Chloe
Max
Jairo
David
Francisco (Frank-
ie)
Brandon
Jonathan A
Armani
Noah

Karim
Noah
Hector
Armani
Carlos
Angel G
Julian
Dante
Angel S
Janet
April
Laura
Allison
Juan
Marco
Javier
Aliah
Sophia
Mia
Martha
Yocelyne
Camila
Emily
Alexandria

**Ray Graham
Training Center**

Cory Buckingham †
Katie Jones †
Katie Kurisch †
Kelly Stilling †
Madison Kisst +
Niema Qureshi +
Mirtes Zwierzynski +
Harry T
Toni H
Nicholas C
Chelsea F
James S
Lizzette L
Antonio M
Max J
Awa G
Sergio V
Tylee J
Erik K
Laura G
Chanel S
Veida G
Colin M

Kenyan P
Mateo R
Jessica R
Yirmeyah S
Daming W
Kyron W
Naomi E
Henry A
Nadia B
Tashiana E
Laura G
Veida G
Tylee J
India K
Bryan R
Carlos S
Brandy W
Theresa C
Laura G
Veida G.H
David G
Christopher G
Janet G
Kevyn S
Uriel S
Kelvin S
Reggie W
Daming W
Daniel Z

**STEM Magnet
Academy**

Linsey Rose †
Maggie Sandoval †
Betsy Zacsek +
Jhamal A
Nathaniel A
Zoey B
Kasidy C
Brode E
Addison F
Jordan H
Jae'mese J
Allen L
Deekshitha M
Violet M
Ana O
Marcus R
Nicholas S
Ainsley T

Madison Y
Eden Y
Shila Y
Alma Z
Joy B
Katie C
Georgaina G
Austin H
Darren H
Antoine H
Layla H
Sophia I
Kamille J
Rohan P
Franco R
Kalib R
Danielle S
Lee S
Elisabeth T
Ren V
Hannah W
Preece Y
Aldo A
Antonio A
Aidan A
Salma B
Dionta B
Kahniyah B
Carson C
Shavette C
Harry D
Genesis G
Isabella G
Raul H
Xavier H
Ethan H
Lincoln J
Maximo J
Evan L
Gavin L
Anabelle M
Cianni M
Wilson N
Rhyan R
Jazlyn S
Madison W
Adrian Z

Taylor
Elementary
Andre Porter †
Jessica Mueller +
Alan A
Xavier A
Isaiah C
Geovanni C
Gabriel C
Mari C
Leopoldo C
Destiny D
Alan F
Adolfo G R
David G
Ilyn G
Christopher J
Brianna L
Fernando M
Josue M
Isaias M
Julius M
Bryana M
Tsitsiki M
Angel M
Joseline M
Lana O
Brenda Q
Aliza S
Andrea T

Vaughn
Occupational
High School
Beth Ann Devine †
Shannon Fitzpatrick †
Kelly Fischer †
Jeremy Green †
Laura Smith †
Chuck Jones +
Jennifer Mannebach +
Jessica Mueller +
Timothy Rey +
Lina E
Joshua G
Gabriel M
Jacob J
Theresa L
Bianca M
Joshua R

John T
Silvestre V
Pablo C
Vadym D
Justin P
Joanna R
Bryan T
Mark V
Xander V
AJ
Noah C
Alejandra M
Esteban V
Veronica O
Siddalee D
Mark V
Ismari
Althziry
Lina
Coralys
Joanna
Destinea
Daniella
Carla
Maggie
Lina E
Isaiah M
Lexi M
Matthew M
Nicole R
David N
David A
Berenice N
George M
Thomas H
Nathaniel P
Bianca M
Mustafa R
Jalen W
Carlos M
Crispen B

Waters
Elementary
Sylvia Rajska †
Betsy Zacsek +
Livy A
Blaise B
Mila B
Naia B

Theo C
Fitz C
G'alitza C
Ryan D
Eloise E
Odette F
Jacob F
Calvin G
Donovan H
Graham H
Jesse J
Ford L
Daniella M
Nella M
Violet M
Martin N
Veronica R
Eva R
Vaughn S
Vasiliki T
Tomas Z
Siddhi P







Founded in 1992, **Chicago Arts Partnerships in Education (CAPE)** works toward a future in which young people and community members are empowered through education and the arts to fully realize their academic, creative, and personal potential.

CAPE trabaja hacia un futuro en el que los jóvenes estén empoderados, a través de la educación y las artes para realizar plenamente su potencial académico, creativo, y personal.

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