

WOLF INSTITUTE FOR EARLY LEARNING THROUGH THE ARTS

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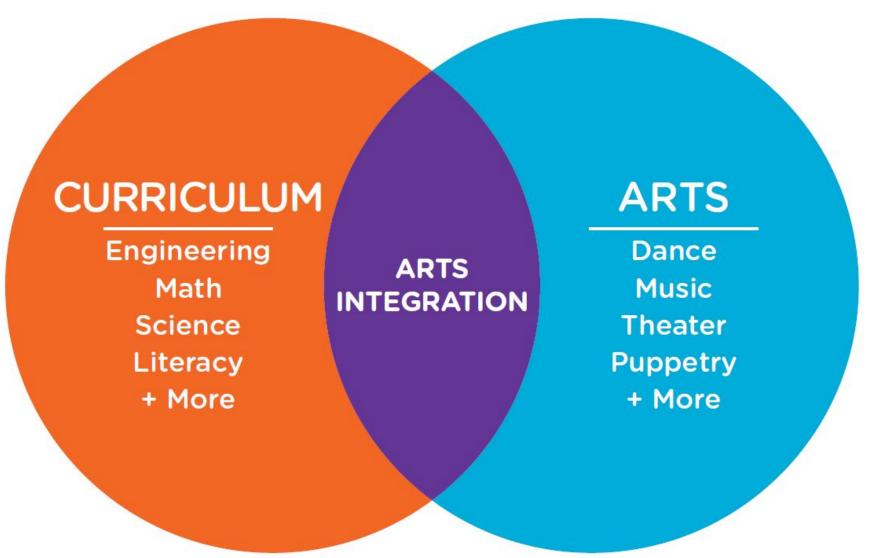


Wolf Trap's Approach





What is Arts Integration?









35+ Years

Experience and research

100,000

Children, educators, parents, and caregivers served around the country annually

18

Affiliate organizations nationwide



Out of this appropriation, \$600,000 the first year and \$600,000 the second year from the general fund is provided for the Accomack, Arlington, Chesterfield, Fairfax, Loudoun, Norfolk, Petersburg, Richmond City, and Wythe Public Schools to support expansion of a STEM model program for kindergarten and preschool students. Each developed model will focus on enhancing children's learning experiences through the arts.



Virginia Counties Served

2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Arlington Chesterfield City of Alexandria Fairfax King George Loudoun Prince William	Accomack Arlington Fairfax King George Loudoun Petersburg Suffolk Wythe	Accomack Arlington Chesterfield City of Alexandria City of Richmond Fairfax King George Loudoun Norfolk Petersburg
		Petersburg Wythe



Virginia Children, Educators & Parents Served

2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
5,153	12,214	17,266 (as of June 2017)



Questions?