

# Virtual Arts Integration Mini-Institute



June 17 & 18, 2021



**Hello Wake County K-12 Teachers!**

United Arts invites you to be a part of our first ever **Virtual Arts Integration Mini-Institute on June 17 and 18, 2021**. This past year has been difficult for so many, especially educators, so instead of our traditional week-long institute, we wanted to provide you with a more flexible and accessible arts integration experience.

This year United Arts is offering four stand-alone workshops led by teaching artists designed to integrate arts and non-arts curriculum standards. You may choose to take just one workshop or all four, as your schedule allows. All workshops will be taught synchronously online, but the activities in each of these workshops can be taught to students either online or in person. Workshop descriptions are below.

**Who Should Attend:** All K-12 teachers who would like to learn innovative techniques to invigorate their classrooms. No arts experience necessary.

**Cost:** Each workshop is \$10 or \$30 for all four. United Arts is able to waive this fee. Contact Ragen Carlile at [rcarlile@unitedarts.org](mailto:rcarlile@unitedarts.org) for more information.

**Location:** Virtual via Zoom

**Continuing Education Units:** 0.2 CEU per workshop, with the opportunity to earn 1.0 CEU for participating in all four workshops

**Registration Deadline:** **June 14, 2021**. Wake County teachers are invited to REGISTER TODAY! On May 20th, registration for the workshops will expand to include teachers from surrounding counties. Please Note: Some workshops have limited capacity.

**Questions:** Contact Ragen Carlile at [rcarlile@unitedarts.org](mailto:rcarlile@unitedarts.org) or 919.839.1498 ext 209

**REGISTER TODAY**

## 2021 Arts Integration Mini-Institute Workshops



### **Take a Closer Look: Science, Social Studies & Visual Arts with Leni Newell**

Thursday, June 17, 2021 from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

Grades 4-12

(Limited to 25 participants)

In this hands-on visual arts workshop, you will learn how thinking like an artist can promote deeper understanding of science, social studies and other subjects, while addressing different learning styles and developing problem-solving and critical thinking skills. You will create viewfinders to start our visual exploration, then use the elements of art and principles of design to transform maps and scientific drawings into exciting abstract compositions. You will leave with a work of art, a whole new lesson, and a rubric to help you assess your students' understanding.



### **Counting Beat Bop with Rommel Pacson**

Thursday, June 17, 2021 from 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Grades K-5

Learn a fun and engaging way to use dance, body percussion, musical rhythms and beats to teach numbers, counting, addition, and multiplication. As your students find their rhythms, math will become as easy as 1, 2, 3!



### **Revolutionary War Rap with Mary Beth Zentner (left) and Rommel Pacson (pictured above)**

Friday, June 18, 2021 from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

Designed for Grade 5, but highly adaptable to Grades 3-12

Do your students love the musical Hamilton? In this workshop, you will use music from the Broadway phenomenon to inspire your students to research, write and perform their own rap based on the characters from the Battle of Yorktown.



### **Bookmaking Across the Curriculum with Mimi Herman**

Friday, June 18, 2021 from 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Grades 3-12

Create two fabulous books: a concertina book that reveals a life cycle in poetry and pictures, and a character's commonplace book to delve more deeply into literature and history. In this workshop you will explore the craft of bookmaking, and use your own knowledge and creativity to fill your books with illustrations and understanding.

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