

SUMMER ARTS INSTITUTE 2019

side x side



WHEN

June 24th & 25th
8:30am- 4:00pm

WHERE

Portland
Museum of Art

CALLING ALL ELEMENTARY EDUCATORS...

Join Side x Side for its 5th annual summer professional development program. This year's institute will feature a brand new roster of offerings to support teachers in integrating the arts into their classrooms. Sessions include new interactive workshops, facilitated discussions, and studio-based art making as well as time for networking with educators, artists, and colleagues. FMI: sidexsideme.com/institute/register.

NEW THIS YEAR...

KEYNOTE SPEAKER
TREVOR ANDREW BRYAN
The Art of Comprehension

MINDFULNESS
THROUGH ART
with the Portland Museum of Art

ALL NEW ART-MAKING
WORKSHOPS:
Shadow Theater, Animation,
Mixed Media & Poetry and more!

Register by MAY 24 at: sidexsideme.com/institute/register or email: perryn@sidexsideme.com



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ)

Is Side x Side's Summer Arts Institute 2019 (June 24 & 25) free for any Portland teacher?

Yes! If you are not a Portland teacher but would like to attend, the cost is \$200.

Are the same workshops being offered as last year?

No! We have a brand new menu of offerings this year: sidexsideme.com/institute/register

Is it okay to come for just one day or do I need to attend both days?

Participants are asked to attend both days in order to fully experience the process of arts integration and for Master Teachers to take advantage of planning time with a teaching artist.

If I come to the Summer Arts Institute (SAI), do I automatically get a Side x Side program in my classroom during the 2019/2020 school year?

No. Twenty K-5 programs in participating Side x Side schools in Portland will be supported through a Master Teacher program during the 2019/2020 school year. If you are interested in becoming a Master Teacher, you can apply here: sidexsideme.com/institute/register. However, anyone can attend the SAI without becoming a Master Teacher.

Is the upcoming Master Teacher program the same as last year?

Not exactly. Many of the elements are similar (attend the SAI, host a teaching artist in your classroom, plan and lead your own integrated arts project). NEW THIS YEAR: Master Teachers will receive a \$600 stipend and also commit to mentor a Lewiston teacher who is new to Side x Side and arts integration.

If I was a Master Teacher this year can I apply to be one again in 2019/2020?

Yes!

What if I want Side x Side in my classroom but don't want to become a Master Teacher?

There are two ways to bring Side x Side into your classroom: 1. Become a Master Teacher or 2. Inquire about our for-hire programs which must be funded by your school or outside sources.

ABOUT SIDE X SIDE

Side x Side ignites academic excellence in education through comprehensive arts integration, bringing critical thinking, creativity and innovation into the classroom through arts-based programs. Through community partnerships with the University of Southern Maine, the Portland and Lewiston public school departments and local artists, professionals and colleges, Side x Side integrates science, technology, literacy and the humanities with the arts to enhance school curricula.



ABOUT THE SUMMER ARTS INSTITUTE

Side x Side's Professional Development programs include an annual Summer Arts Institute in June in collaboration with our partners, the University of Southern Maine and the Portland Museum of Art. This Institute is designed for educators who want to deepen and expand their use of the arts to engage their students. Over the course of two days, attendees participate in hands-on workshops led by teaching artists and other professionals in the fields of arts education and learning.

