



We are pleased to congratulate the winners of the 2013 College Board Award for Excellence and Innovation in the Arts. These awards celebrate schools whose arts programming promotes learning and creativity in innovative and exemplary ways, and provide funding to assist educators in sustaining and expanding their arts programs.

WINNERS

National

Wiley H. Bates Middle School, Annapolis, Md.

Bates Middle School's arts integration program challenges students to create, perform, participate in their own learning, and think critically.

Middle States Region

Pennsbury High School, Fairless Hills, Pa.

Pennsbury's four-level music theory program, which includes AP® Music Theory, encourages and enables students to develop a depth of expertise that rivals that of many university-level music students.

Southern Region

Northwest School of the Arts, Charlotte, N.C.

Northwest School of the Arts fosters students' civic engagement and critical thinking through arts integration.

Southwestern Region

Anderson High School, Austin, Texas

Anderson has strong, ongoing partnerships with professional artists who visit arts classes regularly.

Western Region

Los Angeles High School of the Arts, Los Angeles, Calif.

LAHSA's arts-integrated classes incorporate technical skills and professional instruction in acting, voice, writing, casting, directing, and design.

HONORABLE MENTIONS

Jennings County High School, North Vernon, Ind.

Papillion La-Vista High School, Papillion, Neb.

Cedar Ridge High School, Round Rock, Texas

P.S. 122 Middle School (Mamie Fay School), Astoria, N.Y.

Applications for the 2014 Award for Excellence and Innovation in the Arts will open on Jan. 15. For more information, visit artsaward.collegeboard.org.

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