



**INNER-CITY ARTS
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**

Open call for ARTS INSTRUCTORS

Positions Available

Inner-City Arts is a multi-disciplinary arts campus located in the heart of downtown Los Angeles, serving over 8,000 children, youth, teachers and families during the school day, after school and on weekends. We believe that arts programs are the cornerstone of a high-quality education that levels the learning field across socioeconomic boundaries. The arts play a uniquely transformative role for youth having trouble achieving academically through more conventional means.

Inner-City Arts is dedicated to bringing the best of creative experiences to the thousands of children who live in the downtown area, and attend public schools in Los Angeles Unified School District. Working with LAUSD and community partners, we offer comprehensive arts and language programs during the instructional school day and after school, with classes in visual art, ceramics, media arts, dance, music, drama, to over 8,000 children from 60 area elementary, middle and high schools.

Inner-City Arts is seeking experienced, energetic, and talented artists in all art forms, to teach seven week sessions for elementary and middle school students, grades 2-8. We are looking for artist/instructors who work from the special resources of their own art form in unique and positive ways, and who are able to tailor their teaching skills to meet the needs of children who attend downtown public elementary schools.

The Arts Instructor at Inner-City Arts has overall responsibility for teaching of one specific art form and its curriculum.

Specific job responsibilities include:

- Design and implement a program that teaches the basics of one art form to students of a variety of ages and backgrounds
- Develop, write and update lesson plans and series outlines for that art form
- Collaborate with teaching staff in all artistic disciplines during staff development and training, to achieve Inner-City Arts curricular goals

QUALIFICATIONS:

- College degree in specific art form, or related field (education)
- Prior teaching experience with ages 7-12 years
- Must be a team player, exhibit patience, sensitivity and enjoy working with children
- Must have the ability to design curriculums appropriate for different age groups of children
- Must be a self-starter and be able to work efficiently and independently
- Must be in good physical health
- Bilingual in English/Spanish a plus

LOCATION:

The Mark Taper Center/Inner-City Arts is located in downtown Los Angeles adjacent to the Produce Mart and Skid Row.

WORK SCHEDULE: Contract/part time (4-18 hrs per week), determined by availability and schedule of teaching terms.

Opportunities in special projects and weekend programs also available.

SALARY: Commensurate with education and experience.

TO APPLY: Fax/send/e-mail resume with cover letter to: Susie Goliti, Director of Administration, Inner-City Arts, 720 Kohler St., Los Angeles, CA 90021, FAX: 213-627-6469, or email: susie@inner-cityarts.org. NO CALLS, PLEASE.