

MPS Visual Art Update

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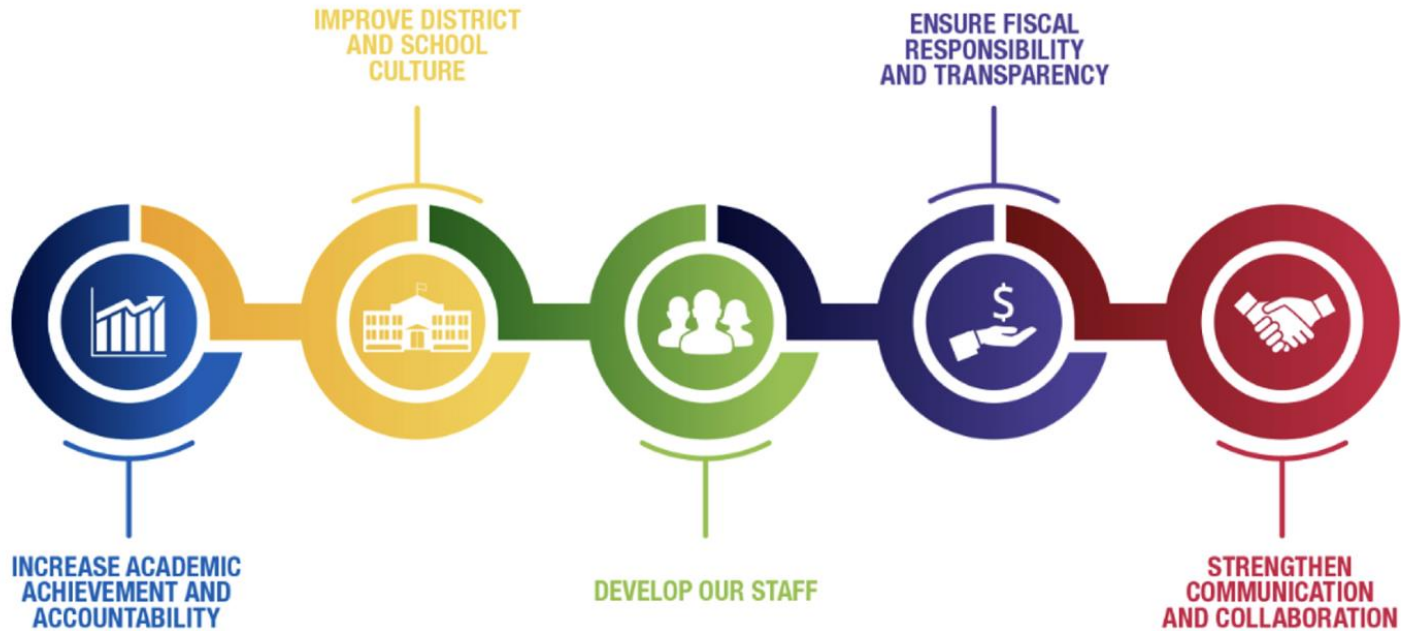
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Five Priorities for Success



Phase 2 in 21-22

- 22 schools have increased FTEs
- 14 new full-time positions
- Increase 10.9 FTEs
- Regional breakdown
 - 5 Northwest, 3 Central, 6 East, 5 Southwest, 3 High School
- 2.6 FTE Instructional Coaches



FY22 Decrease in Contracted Services

- TBEY (Tessa's Black Entertainment & Youth Center) – 5 schools (Milwaukee Sign Language, 81st Street School, ALBA, King MS, Green Tree)
- Arts @ Large – 5 schools (Keefe, Obama, IDEAL, Douglas, Lowell)
- Wisconsin Conservatory of Music – 15, decrease of 13 schools (Grant, Keefe, Clemens, Trowbridge, Bayview Montessori, Kagel, LaFollette, Maple Tree, Riverwest, Washington, Cass, Bruce, Jackson, Thurston Woods, Obama)

Art Professional Development 2021-22

- New Educator's Institute
- K-8 Scope and Sequence
- Infinite Campus
- The Art of Education University
- Monthly professional learning cohorts
- Project Based Learning
- High School Ambitious Instruction
 - Student Engagement



Art Professional Development (continued)

- Licenses for the Art of Education University provided for all art teachers
 - PRO Learning purchased as a professional development online resource for K-12 visual arts educators
 - FLEX Learning purchased as a curricular resource for K-12 visual arts educators
- 4 professional development sessions offered by the Art of Education University



ESSER Funding

JULY TO SEPTEMBER 2021

Items	# of Schools	Total Ordered
Chromebooks	4	160
Chromebook Carts	4	4
Color Printers	2	2
Laptops/ w locking kits	7 plus 10 for the office	60
Smartboards	6	9
Surface Pros	0	0
Art Materials, Equipment and Supplies	9	
Misc.	District Books	48



ESSER Funding

OCTOBER TO DECEMBER 2021

Items	# of Schools	Total Ordered
Chromebooks	2	80
Chromebook Carts	2	2
Color Printers	3	3
Desktop	1	30
Laptops/w locking kits	3	3
Locking kits	District	5
Smartboards	2	2
Surface Pros	District	4
Art Materials, Equipment and Supplies	47	
Misc.	0	0

Curriculum Work to Date

- K-8 Visual Art Scope and sequence
 - Pacing guide
 - Unit/lesson plan templates and examples
 - Focus on culturally responsive teaching and social emotional learning
 - Curriculum guides supported by FLEX Learning from the Art of Education



Art Curriculum Writing - Summer 2022

High School Common Course Outlines

- Art Fundamentals
- Drawing & Painting
- Ceramics
- Printmaking



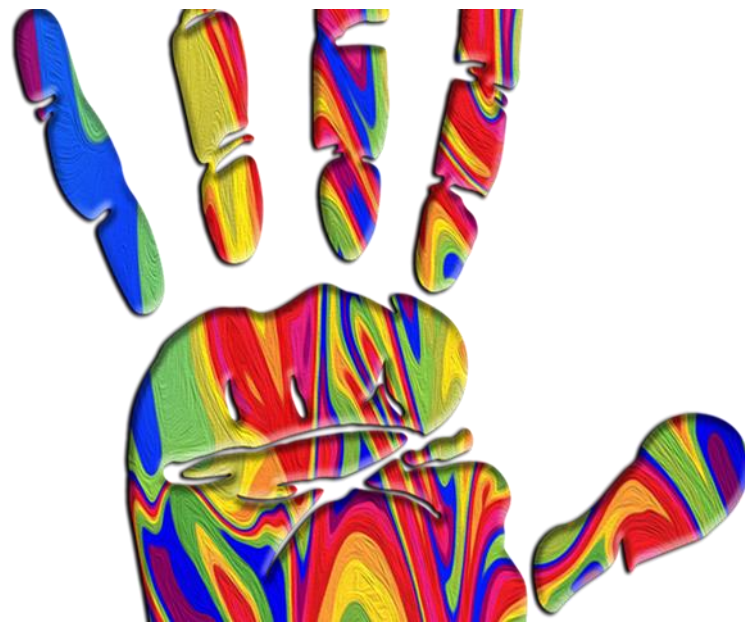
Visual Art Expansion - Phase 3

- 26 schools
 - 7 Central, 5 Northwest, 4 East, 7 Southwest, 1 Citywide
 - 1 High School, 1 Middle School
- 10 full-time art positions
 - 3 K-5 Positions
 - 5 K-8 Positions
 - 1 High School
 - 1 Middle School
- 8 paired full-time art positions (all elementary)



Next Steps

- Continue to support visual art teachers
- Continue to work with schools and Facilities and Maintenance to install kilns
- Create scope and sequence for common high school courses



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Thank you.

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