

FACT SHEET

- ◇ Our partnership with the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts' Arts in Education Division was formed in 2001.
 - ◇ The mission of the Artist Residency Program is to offer unique and quality arts services in the form of Artist Residencies in southwestern Pennsylvania including Allegheny, Beaver, southwest Butler, Greene, and Washington counties.
 - ◇ Artist Residencies are designed to place trained, knowledgeable, and practicing artists into school and community settings where they can share the benefits of the creative process.
 - ◇ We have 45 resident artists in our program, including media artists, dancers, folk artists, musicians, visual artists and writers.
 - ◇ Artist Residencies allow traditionally underserved areas to experience the value of the arts.
 - ◇ We received over 45 residency inquiries and requests from host sites in 2005–2006 and implemented 42 residency projects. 2006–2007 we have received over 55 inquires and have implemented 47 residency projects so far this academic year.
 - ◇ Residencies span 10–180 days for individual artists and 5–180 days for groups and ensembles.
 - ◇ School–based residencies include public, private, parochial, and charter schools serving elementary, middle, and high–school students. Residencies can also be designed at the collegiate level.
 - ◇ Community–based residencies include social rehabilitation sites for adults, special needs children in an inclusion–oriented program, senior citizen facilities, and other community and cultural organizations.
 - ◇ Pittsburgh Center for the Arts mails Artist Residency packets to over 2,500 sites each year. Directories are also distributed at Arts and Education conferences throughout the year.
 - ◇ Artist Residencies are jointly funded by host sites and matching funds provided by the Pittsburgh Center for the Arts through our Partnership with the PA Council on the Arts' Arts in Education Division.
 - ◇ Most Resident Artists in the Program have a minimum daily rate of \$200 for individuals. Group or ensemble rates vary.
 - ◇ Pittsburgh Center for the Arts' Artist Residency Program continues to grow and is adaptable to a variety of needs, expectations, and situations at all host sites.
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