



SOL Community Arts Youth Outreach Program

SOL Club Art



The SOL Club Art Program is presented through SOL Community Arts in partnership with Redwood Theatre Company. Our mission is to strengthen community collaboration and create positive social change through the arts.

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Mission & Vision



We believe that participation in the arts provides valuable experiences in a young person's development. By engaging students in the SOL Club, we will offer the skills necessary to make strong, positive choices in school and relationships. These skills include learning to think creatively, problem-solving, self-discipline, communicating effectively, setting meaningful goals and collaborating with others.

Our vision is to have a creative space for art classes where students feel a sense of community, belonging and joy.

Visual Art Program Phases

SOL Club Art begins with an eight phase program.
Each Phase will last 1-4 weeks.

Phase #1

Sketchbooks. Students will explore drawing techniques and create original drawings.

Phase #2

Introduction to painting. Watercolor and Acrylics.

Phase #3

Create a self portrait. Mixed media with cultural representation.

Phase #4

Original work on canvas.

Phase #5

Collaborative mural design. Continue individual pieces.

Phase #6

Present furniture painting options as in "The Painted Chairs."

Phase #7

Paint a collaborative mural on an interior wall.

Phase #8

Begin the process of creating a mural project in the community.



The SOL Club aims to produce a vibrant experience by providing intentional programming and scholarships to vulnerable youth. This initiative aspires to make music and performance art more accessible to children in underserved communities as a form of violence prevention and inspire a lifelong interests in the arts.

Project Overview

- Each week of the program will build upon the previous lesson. However, the SOL Club team will gladly work to accommodate new students as it progresses.

- The SOL Club Art program will provide classes 1-2 times per week.

- Each Phase will last 1-4 weeks and each stage will be able to overlap to accommodate new students into the program.

- SOL Club is committed to nurturing the next generation of artists through arts education and intentional programming designed to support underserved youth find different forms of creative expression.





How To Begin

Our Goals

- Establish a program combining arts education and life skills classes
- Designed for middle school students
- Open to all, but focusing on intentional outreach
- Work with VPP and School Restorative Justice programs
- Intended to provide a structured, after school safe space environment
- Offering: art, latin drumming, hip hop dance etc.

What We Need To Get Started:

- Designated space / class room
- Small storage space for supplies
- Transportation for participants
- Instructor stipends
- Support with student recruitment & referrals





ABOUT THE COMPANY

Redwood Theatre Company is the proud home to the SOL Community Arts Program.

Redwood Theatre Company is a 501(c)3 non-profit dedicated to bringing professional theatrical productions and educational programs to Sonoma County, CA.

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