MANITOU SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT 14

GO MUSTANGS!

Introducing ARTs14

ARTs14 is an innovative, yet highly affordable after school initiative in the Manitou Springs School District. ARTs14 is a truly unique program to the Pikes Peak region. We partner with established local organizations such as: the Manitou Springs Arts Academy, Concrete Couch, E11 Creative Workshop, the Colorado Springs Children's Chorale, Manitou Art Center, Partners for Healthy Choices and Shorin Kung Fu to provide high quality, affordable arts learning opportunities beyond the school day.

Our Winter 2018 Semester started on Tuesday, January 16th — Registration is now open!

ARTs14 FAQs

What types of classes are offered?

Music, theatre, visual art, movement/dance, design, community, culinary and martial arts.

Who can participate?

Open to all! There are classes for adults and children ages 5+ (you don't have to be a D14 student to participate).

When and how long are the classes?

Our 9-week Winter Semester started this week, but it's not too late to register. Most classes are 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. or 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. A 4-week session, *Arts-in-April* will offer FREE classes to everyone.

Who teaches the classes?

High quality specialist teachers from D14 and partner organizations that have been background checked by D14.

Where are the classes taught?

Manitou Springs Elementary School, Ute Pass Elementary School, Shared and Integrated Learning Center SILC (D14 Admin Building at the rear of the High School), and Manitou Art Center.

How does my child get from their school to their class at the SILC?

Students are supervised from the end of their school day until they are collected by their parents/guardians after class. Transportation is provided from UPES and MSES to the SILC building. Transport is also available, by prior arrangement, from the SILC and MSES back to UPES after class.

What is the cost of the classes and are there discounts for multiple classes?

The cost is $64 per 9-week session, but there are discounts available. Please visit our website for a list of these coupons. The *Arts-in-April* 4-week session is FREE to everyone.

Does ARTs14 offer Summer Programs?

Yes! ARTs14 directs the Green Box Arts Camp in Green Mountain Falls for the Green Box Arts Festival. This is a FREE camp for students entering Grades 3 to 7, supported by an ARTs14 grant from the Kirkpatrick Family Fund.

In 2018 we will also be offering two highly popular Manitou Springs Arts Academy camps for Middle and High Schoolers.

Eat.Sleep.Film and *48hr Musical* will be offered at a significantly reduced rate for participants, also with the support of the Kirkpatrick Family Fund and under the umbrella of ARTs14.

2017 – YEAR IN REVIEW (CONTINUED)

MANITOU SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL

- Kaiser Permanente's Thriving School Award
- 2017 All-State Band:
  - Alena Akse
  - Mollie Anderson
  - Kyla Carpenter
  - Hailey Matas
- 2017 All-State Athletics Honorable Mention:

Volleyball
McKayla Cully

Football
Jace Gwynn

Track
Jared Keul

Boys Soccer
Asher Schoepflin

Baseball
Sean Whalen

Employment Opportunities

UTE PASS ELEMENTARY: Paraprofessional Special Education/ Severe Needs (part time, mornings). Requires lifting up to 40 pounds and diapering/toileting duties. Paraprofessional experience preferred. Must complete a fingerprint and background screening.

More information: www.mssd14.org.

Pop Quiz

In Fall 2017, how many participants were there in ARTs14?

A. 159 **B.** 266 **C.** 314 **D.** 122

Answer: *Find out next week!*

REGISTER TODAY FOR ARTS14 AT WWW.MSSD14.ORG/ART_S_14