

# CELEBRATE THE ARTS WITH US THIS SUMMER!



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## Summer Fine Arts Institute



July 1, 2013 – July 30, 2013

Concord High School  
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## Summer Fine Arts Institute 2013

### Location/Time

The Institute will be held at Concord High School. The dates of the Institute are July 1 through July 30, 2013 except for July 4 when schools are closed. Monday thru Thursday—4 days per week. Classes will begin at 8:30 AM and end at 12:30 PM.

### Transportation

Parents must arrange transportation. There will not be district buses.

### Final Day Activities

On the last day of the Institute, July 30, 2013, performances will be held to showcase dance and music, while exhibits of student works produced during the Institute will be on display. Family and friends are encouraged to come and enjoy the festivities. This event is open to the public.



### COMMENTS

by Students and Their Parents  
Regarding Previous Institutes

*My daughter enjoys this program so much that she wishes school was like this all year.*

*This is the greatest. Our family is proud to participate. Great instruction, enthusiastic staff and kids – catchy.*

*My child learned responsibility and self-esteem.*

*The children were totally motivated. They were always ready and eager to get going – never had to push them.*

*Wonderful program! Very worthwhile! Children learned a great amount of material in a short time.*

*It was fun.*

*Wonderful program! Dedicated teachers and staff. Will be back next year.*

*My child had a great time last year and wants to attend again.*

*My daughter LOVED it and I would like to sign her up again.*



# Summer Fine Arts Institute 2013

## Introduction

The Summer Fine Arts Institute provides students with enriched and expanded course offerings in the visual arts, dance and music. Students choose one the three disciplines for their focus area. At least half of the day is spent in the student-selected main course, and students take exploratory classes in other disciplines.

## Eligibility

Students eligible for the Institute include those who will be entering grades 4 – 12 during the 2013 – 2014 school year in public, private or parochial school.

## Information Availability

Information concerning the Summer Fine Arts Institute is available on the Brandywine School District website at [www.brandywineschools.org](http://www.brandywineschools.org) or by calling the Brandywine District Office at 302-793-5056.

## Application

The deadline for applications and tuition fee is May 25, 2012. Applications received after this day will be placed on a waiting list and contacted on a first-come, first-served space available basis.

## Tuition

Tuition is **\$325.00** per student for the entire session. There is also a **\$25.00** fee for students who live outside of the district or who do not attend a Brandywine School District school. Checks should be made payable to: "State Treasurer" and send to:

**Brandywine School District  
Summer Fine Arts Program  
1311 Brandywine Blvd.  
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## Music Courses

### Beginning Instrumental Music (MU 1)

Music lessons for students entering grades 4-6 who have no prior experience. Come get a head start! Learn to play Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Trumpet, Trombone or Percussion. These lessons will be augmented with beginner's preparatory class to develop good musicianship through the use of tonal rhythm syllables, and will introduce basic principles of music theory

### Intermediate/Advanced Instrumental Music (MU 2)

Music lessons for students entering grades 5-12 with previous playing experience. Intermediate and advanced instrumental lessons are provided for woodwinds, brass and percussion. These lessons will include a study of music fundamentals and theory as well as rehearsal techniques that develop good listening skills, practice methods, music design and maintenance habits. This is a great way for students to advance themselves and be more prepared for their upcoming school years.

### Beginning Strings Music (ST 1)

Music lessons for students entering grades 4-6 who have no prior experience. Come get a head start! Learn to play Violin, Viola, Cello, and Bass. These lessons will be augmented with beginner's preparatory class to develop good musicianship through the use of tonal rhythm syllables, and will introduce basic principles of music theory.

### Intermediate/Advanced Strings Music/Orchestra (ST 2)

Music lessons for students entering grades 5-12 with previous playing experience. Intermediate and advanced instrumental lessons are provided for strings students. These lessons will include a study of music fundamentals and theory as well as rehearsal techniques that develop good listening

skills, practice methods, music design and maintenance habits. This is a great way for students to advance themselves and be more prepared for their upcoming school years.

### Beginning Choral Music (CH 1)

For students entering grades 4-6 who like to sing, this course provides an atmosphere for the enjoyment, appreciation and performance of many styles of choral music from classical to contemporary. Introduction to techniques for improvement of voice quality and the overall development of musicianship is stressed in conjunction with learning each piece of music.

### Intermediate/Advanced Choral Music (CH 2)

For students entering grades 7-12 with previous choral and/or vocal ensemble experience, this course provides an atmosphere for the enjoyment, appreciation and performance of many styles of choral music from classical to contemporary. The instruction and improvement of voice quality, intonation, ability to read music, ability to sight-sing, and the overall development of musicianship is stressed in conjunction with the learning of each piece of music. This is a great way for students to advance themselves and be more prepared for their upcoming school years.

## Visual Arts Courses

### Visual Arts 1 (VA1) grades 4-5-6

### Visual Arts 2 (VA2) grades 7-8-9-10

Discover the joys of visual arts in age-appropriate groupings! Students will explore art in some of the following topics:

### Cartoon & Fantasy Illustration

Discover how a few simple shapes and lines can turn imagination into an illustration. By learning various techniques of cartooning, students will develop characters both whimsical and fantastic.

## Drawing Concepts

Learn how to draw what you see; new visions. Creations from life, nature and the imagination will be drawn using a variety of materials and techniques. Studio emphasis focuses on form, composition and style to develop individual abilities.

## Graphic Design

This course will take students through the fundamental elements used in graphic design today. Projects selected are those that students will enjoy while gaining an understanding of techniques used in developing final designs

## Painting

Explore the many mediums and techniques found in painting. With emphasis on color theory, blending, composition, line and form, students will investigate the realistic and abstract styles found in painting yesterday and today.

## Printmaking

Learn to create and print your own images. From mono-prints to linoleum cuts, projects produced in class will show students the techniques which will explore relief, silk screen, printing, stamp and block printing.

## Dance Courses

### Dance 1 (D1) grades 4-5-6

### Dance 2 (D2) grades 7-12

The dance curriculum offers age-appropriate study in each of the four basic dance styles: Jazz, Modern, Hip-Hop and Ballet. Classes will consist of fun, healthy exercises, games, techniques, dance step and Funk-style combinations. This program is perfect for the new student who is uncertain which dance style is preferred, but at the same time offers the trained dancer the opportunity to further expand his/her dance education by broadening his/her perspective.