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Arts: Every Child, Every Day

MAEC is a state-wide arts education advocacy group, formerly the Massachusetts Alliance for Arts Education, sponsored by the National Arts & Learning Collaborative, which is affiliated with the Kennedy Center’s Alliance for Arts Education Network, Washington, D.C.

Membership benefits include Arts in Education E-News and E-Alerts, NALC’s *Arts & Learning Review*, national news and opportunities presented by the Kennedy Center, online resources including the Arts in Education Advocacy Toolkit and Professional Development Calendar, opportunities to nominate potential Massachusetts Arts Education Collaborative Awardees, discounts to NALC/MAEC events, discounts on consulting, and more...

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Individual Memberships

- Student \$15 Individual \$30 Sustaining \$100-249 Champion \$250+

Institutional Memberships

- Network \$100 Collaborator \$250-499 Visionary \$1000+
 School/District \$150 Catalyst \$500-999

Membership fees are tax deductible to the full extent provided by law.

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Massachusetts Arts Education Collaborative is a member of the Kennedy Center Alliance for Arts Education Network through the National Arts & Learning Collaborative.



MASSACHUSETTS ARTS EDUCATION COLLABORATIVE

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS (including *Students*)

- 15% discount for one on NALC/MAEC event registrations
- Subscription to NALC's Arts in Education E-News and E-Alerts
- Subscription to NALC's Arts & Learning Review (via e-mail)
- National news and opportunities from the Kennedy Center, Washington, D.C.
- MAEC's Arts Education Advocacy Toolkit (via web)
- Access to NALC's Arts in Education Professional Development Calendar (via web)

Individual and Sustaining Membership Levels

Individual membership benefits, plus...

- PDPs for NALC/MAEC Institutes and Workshops free of charge
- Listing in Member Directory (via web; password protected)
- Nomination privileges for annual MAEC Arts Education Awards Ceremony

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- Opportunity to attend annual arts education celebration with NALC trustees and MAEC Committee

INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

- 15% discount for one on NALC/MAEC event registrations, e.g., the annual Massachusetts Arts Education Partnership Institute
- PDPs for NALC/MAEC Institutes and Workshops free of charge
- Subscription to NALC's Arts in Education E-News and E-Alerts
- Subscription to NALC's Arts & Learning Review (via e-mail)
- National news and opportunities presented by the Kennedy Center, Washington, D.C.
- MAEC's Arts Education Advocacy Toolkit (web)
- Access and permission to post to NALC's Arts in Education Professional Development Calendar (web)
- Listing in Member Directory (via web; password protected)
- Nomination privileges for annual MAEC Arts Education Awards Ceremony
- Listing with live link on NALC/MAEC web site
- Permission to submit student art work once per year to rotating online galleries
- 50% off 60-minute training session on MAEC's Arts Education Advocacy Toolkit
- 10% discount on additional Toolkit consulting and on consulting for the Kennedy Center's Community Audit for Arts Education

School/District (up to 3 people, additional memberships can be purchased for \$5)

Institutional membership benefits, plus...

- hardcopies of NALC's Arts & Learning Review (# based on # of members)

Network (up to 3 people)

Institutional membership benefits, plus...

- 10 hardcopies of NALC's Arts & Learning Review
- 1/8 page advertisement in MAEC's Annual Arts Education Awards Ceremony Booklet (combined with NALC's Mass Arts Education Partnership Institute Booklet)

Collaborator (up to 6 people)

Institutional membership benefits, plus...

- 25 hardcopies of NALC's Arts & Learning Review
- Profile in NALC's Arts in Education E-News
- Opportunity to attend annual arts education celebration with NALC trustees and MAEC Committee
- ¼ page advertisement in MAEC's Annual Arts Education Awards Ceremony Booklet (combined with NALC's Mass Arts Education Partnership Institute Booklet)

Catalyst (up to 9 people)

Institutional membership benefits, plus...

- 40 hardcopies of NALC's Arts & Learning Review
- Profile in NALC's Arts in Education E-News
- Opportunity to attend annual arts education celebration with NALC trustees and MAEC Committee
- ½ page advertisement in MAEC's Annual Arts Education Awards Ceremony Booklet (combined with NALC's Mass Arts Education Partnership Institute Booklet)

Visionary (up to 15 people)

Institutional membership benefits, plus...

- 50 hardcopies of NALC's Arts & Learning Review
- Profile in NALC's Arts in Education E-News
- Opportunity to attend annual arts education celebration with NALC trustees and MAEC Committee
- Full page advertisement in MAEC's Annual Arts Education Awards Ceremony Booklet (combined with NALC's Mass Arts Education Partnership Institute Booklet)



Discount on Events, e.g., NALC's Massachusetts Arts Education Partnership Institute with partners Lesley University, Massachusetts Cultural Council, and VSA arts of Massachusetts. Learn from local and national program models, discover arts education partnerships in your community, hear from state and national experts including researchers, policymakers, arts and school administrators, understand how to best utilize the latest research, discover state and national funding sources, implement advocacy tools to support arts education, and more. PDPs are available.

Arts in Education E-News and E-Alerts

Members can sign up for e-communications that include relevant state and national Education News, Opportunities to Act, Advocacy Updates, Events, Opportunities, Resources, Research and Publications, and Legislation and Policy Updates. Certain Institutional membership levels enable organizations to be profiled in e-news communications.

NALC's Arts & Learning Review

Become informed on state and national issues affecting arts education and learn about model programs through a subscription to NALC's *Arts & Learning Review*. Past issues have focused on Collaboration and the Role of Partnerships in Arts in Education, and The Critical Role of Advocacy in Support of the Arts in Schools, and more.

Online Resources

Members can benefit from various online capabilities from the NALC/MAEC web site, such as a student exhibition gallery, the **Arts Education Leadership Advocacy Toolkit** and related resources, an Arts in Education Professional Development Calendar, and a Membership Directory.

Arts Education Leadership Advocacy Toolkit

Access advocacy tools for your school, district, or community. Benefit from a free one-hour introduction to the toolkit by local arts education experts. Receive follow up consulting at discounted rates. Discounted consulting is also available to schools, districts, and communities that would like to undertake a **Community Audit for Arts Education** using tools created by the Kennedy Center. MAEC has worked with several communities around the state on community audits in the past five years.

MAEC Annual Arts Education Award Ceremony

Members are eligible to nominate individuals and organizations for MAEC's Annual Awards Ceremony. Since 1984 MAEC, formerly the Massachusetts Alliance for Arts Education, has recognized over 200 arts educators, schools of excellence, school administrators, school committees, parent advocates, legislators, community organizations/cultural institutions, and businesses. Schools of Excellence are presented to the Kennedy Center and are eligible for national recognition. Certain membership levels allow organizations to place an advertisement in the Award Ceremony/Institute booklet.

Kennedy Center Alliance for Arts Education Network (KCAAEN)

Through NALC, MAEC is a member of KCAAEN – a coalition of statewide non-profit Alliances for Arts Education working in partnership with the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts to support policies, practices, programs, and partnerships that ensure the arts are an essential part of American K-12 education. Benefits related to this association include access to national resources, information, and tools. Additionally, each year high school/early college musicians are selected to participate in the **Kennedy Center/National Symphony Orchestra Summer Music Institute**. MAEC and NALC staff attend the **Kennedy Center Alliance for Arts Education Annual Leadership Meeting**. In conjunction with the meeting, which is held in Washington, D.C., participants attend an **Arts Advocacy Day at the Capitol** to meet with state legislators in support of arts education.