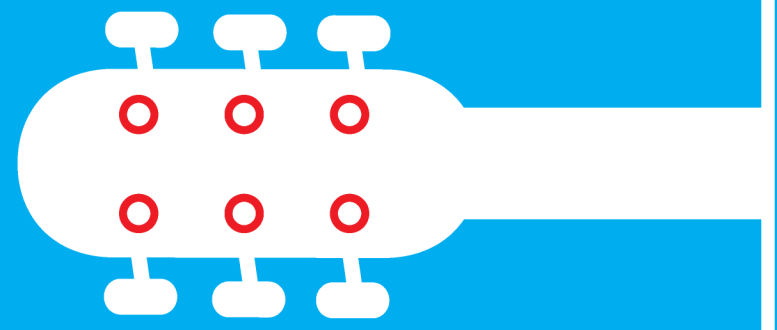


ARTS IN EDUCATION



HIGH LEVELS OF
MUSIC TRAINING
IS LINKED WITH BOTH
SHORT & LONG
TERM MEMORY IMPROVEMENT

THEATER MAKES A STUDENT MORE LIKELY TO BE
FRIENDLY TOWARD OTHER **RACIAL GROUPS**

STUDENTS INVOLVED IN
ARTS PROGRAMS
ARE **3X** MORE
LIKELY

TO BE RECOGNIZED FOR

- ▶ ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT
- ▶ ELECTION TO CLASS OFFICE
- ▶ AWARDS FOR WRITING
- ▶ AWARDS FOR ATTENDANCE
- ▶ PARTICIPATION IN A SCIENCE FAIR

STUDENTS WHO ARE INVOLVED IN
ARTS ORGANIZATIONS
ARE MORE LIKELY TO SPEND LEISURE TIME
COMMUNITY SERVICE & YOUTH GROUPS

ART CLASS
POPULARITY



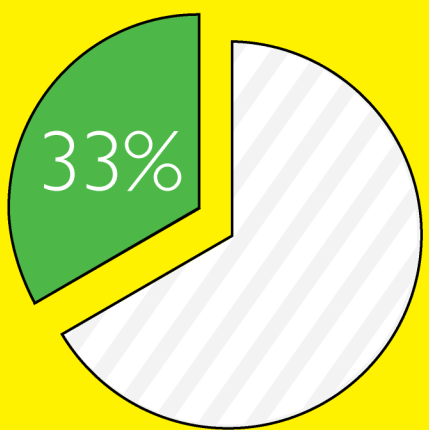
READING MUSIC HELPS WITH DYSLEXIA

PAINTING PICTURES HELPS WITH AUTISM

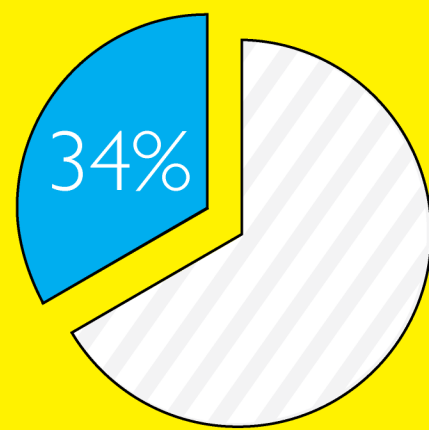
DANCING HELPS WITH MOTOR SKILLS

ACTING HELPS WITH SPEECH IMPEDIMENTS

STUDENTS ENROLLED IN A
MUSIC CLASS



SCHOOLS REPORTING
BUDGET CUTS FOR
MUSIC INSTRUCTION



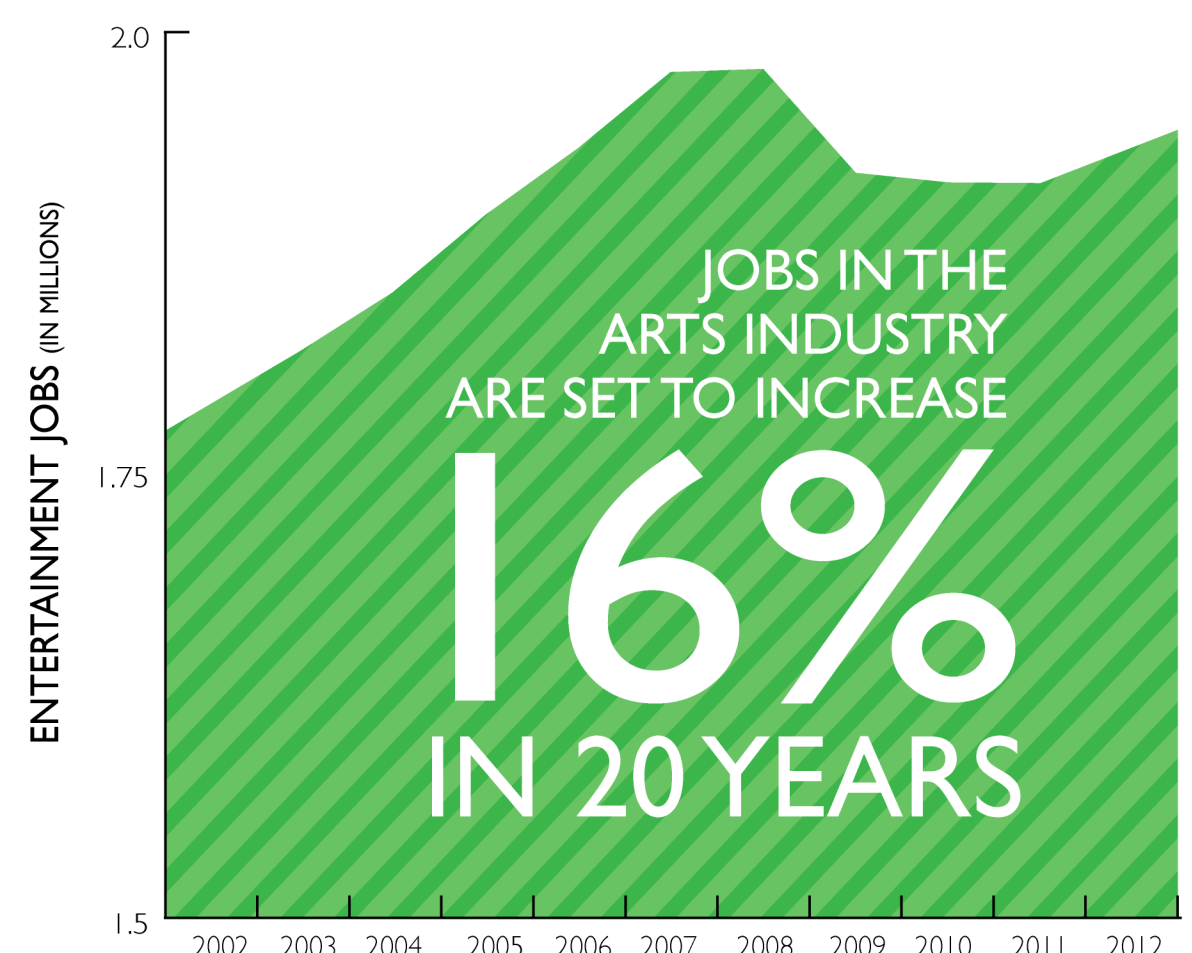
STUDENTS IN THE ARTS
OUTPERFORMED
THEIR NON-ARTS PEERS
ON THE **SAT** BY

91
POINTS

STUDENTS IN
ARTS
PROGRAMS
ARE
44%
LESS LIKELY
TO USE DRUGS
THAN THEIR
NON-ARTS
PEERS

ARTS & MUSIC
INVOLVEMENT LEADS TO
BETTER GRADES IN CLASSES

- MATH SCIENCE SPEECH
- SOCIAL STUDIES LITERATURE
- HISTORY FOREIGN LANGUAGE



60% OF AMERICANS VOTE **86%** OF ARTISTS VOTE

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