

Join us for a two day event!

December 15th & December 16th, 2020

NCBCE invites **you and your students** to join us for our final NC Student Connect Conference.

Register now to participate in the pre-conference activities for students!

The Cultural Arts LIVE Conference will have two packed days of sessions

focusing on arts and humanities, arts integration, and SEL.

Exciting sessions that will take place during the NC Cultural Arts LIVE Conference include:

- Artist Rosalia Torres-Weiner will create a mural designed by students during the two days of the conference (pre-conference activity)
- Poet Laureate Jaki Shelton Green will lead writing workshops for students
- Virtual field trips to 9 NC Historic Sites (aligned with 4th & 8th grade NC History curriculum) with live discussions
- Nnenna Freelon, 6-time Grammy Nominee, jazz musician, and educator will lead her "Sound Sculpture" workshop
- Cultural Arts LIVE State Choir (pre-conference activity) after registration chorus teachers can download "I Will be Brave", a new composition from NC composer Sally Albrecht and give your students the opportunity to record their voices with other students across the state we will present the recording after the conclusion of the conference
- Artist Maya Freelon will share her exhibition at CAM Raleigh and do a workshop on tissue paper quilts, (all students need is tissue paper and a glue stick)
- Chorus workshop with Sally Albrecht for Elementary/Middle School students
- Chorus workshop with Sally Albrecht for Middle/High School Students
- Black Box Dance Theatre (pre-conference activity) dance will be inspired by and created/presented there as well. Session will be at the NC Museum of Art and will also involve a tour of the museum
- Introduction to Soundtrap (pre-conference activity)
- Arts in Action dance workshops for elementary students
- Workshops for school newspapers (pre-conference activity)
- Stop Action Animation for Elementary and Middle School Students
- Carolina Ballet Behind the scenes of the Nutcracker
- Singer/songwriter Charly Lowry will share a performance and discussion on songwriting and her Lumbee heritage
- NC Symphony Alexander Technique Workshop for Middle and High School Teachers and Students
- NC Symphony's One State One Score students and teachers will learn about this virtual statewide performance
 of Beethoven's inspiring "Ode to Joy" from Symphony No. 9 and receive practice tips and tricks from musicians,
 and more

- Dancing Dynamics with Avian Dinos Movement educator Ronnie West will lead an engaging session on natural science concepts and deductive reasoning at the NC Museum of Natural Sciences. Appropriate for elementary/middle school
- Bluegrass performance and seminar
- NC Symphony String Quartet Live Performance for Elementary Students
- Modern dance technique for dance students from UNCC dance faculty
- NC Symphony Live Performance for MS and HS with Musician Q and A
- Television Journalism- supporting student-run stations and the future of television journalism
- Charlotte Ballet- "Last Stop on Market Street" interactive session of dance and reading for elementary school
- ECU School of Theatre and Dance- "A Woman Called Truth", sections of the one act play on the life of Sojourner Truth
- History of African American Music from Spirituals to Hip Hop
- Demonstration and discussion of the history of clogging and western NC dance
- Joe-Joe Grooves, LA commercial and hip-hop dancer/choreographer, originally from Halifax Co. NC; giving a virtual master class with a blend of hip-hop culture, commercial dance, and discussion going after your dreams with hard work; suitable for all levels/ages.
- Traditional Native American Music and dance from NC tribes
- Mindfulness Movement class for students
- Dance and music sessions for EC students
- Bias in Resources Evaluating resources and news stories for bias and misinformation (for educators)
- Personal Finance workshop on the new course (for educators)
- Copyright issues during virtual learning (for educators)
- Remote Resources and innovative best practices for Choirs with composer Andy Beck (for educators)
- Arts Integration for all grade levels (for educators)

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