

20 REASONS Art Matters

- 1** **Art gives** us a visual representation of the past.
- 2** **Art provides** social commentary on the present.
- 3** **Art communicates** in ways words can't.
- 4** **Art informs, inspires, and persuades** others to make the world a better place.
- 5** **Art communicates** our innermost thoughts.
- 6** **Art tells** stories, both real and imagined.
- 7** **Art brings** people together.
- 8** **Art makes** people feel.
- 9** **Art expresses** dreams.
- 10** **Art helps** us understand ourselves.
- 11** **Art provides** a creative outlet.
- 12** **Art embellishes** the world around us.
- 13** **Art memorializes** people, places, and events.
- 14** **Art helps** us empathize with one another.
- 15** **Art helps** us design the world we live in.
- 16** **Art makes** us laugh.
- 17** **Art makes** us cry.
- 18** **Art helps** us show our appreciation for others.
- 19** **Art is** therapeutic.
- 20** **Art is** part of our everyday lives in more ways than we can imagine.

Why does art matter to **YOU?**

