



Ensuring the Arts for **ANY GIVEN CHILD**

Warren

Joined in 2015

FAST FACTS

3,460 Students

214 Teachers

4 Schools

VISION

The Governing Council of Any Given Child, Warren, Ohio actively commits to the development and delivery of sustainable well-integrated arts education for every PK-8 student in our district. We will provide equitable access and quality arts learning, guaranteeing a comprehensive educational experience that fosters a life-long appreciation for the arts.

GOALS FOR ARTS EDUCATION

For 2023-24: To provide Arts Integration programming at Warren City Schools in 16 PK-8 classrooms to teach the "whole child", help students combat learning loss from the pandemic, give alternative and underachieving learners core content instruction through a creative process in ways that matches their learning styles. To provide classroom teachers with new strategies to reach their students and reinvigorate their passion for teaching. This programming will target specific vocabulary at all PK-8 schools and include students NWEA map scores focusing specifically in Science and Social Studies for 4-8th grade

OUTCOMES

- 100% of the District teachers at Any Given Child, Warren reported that they agree or strongly agree that working with a SMARTS Arts Integration teacher has given them more energy, creativity or motivation as a teacher.
- 92% of the District co-teachers reported that learning throughout the arts integration approach with SMARTS helped with students' retention of information better than without arts integration.

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- District teachers were surveyed on the skills improved by their students as a result of Arts Integration with SMARTS teaching artists at the end of the 2022-23 school year.

These are the results reported for the school year:

- Students learned to listen better to directions, share, and participate.
- Teachers and students both were introduced to different approaches to teach/learn various subjects.
- Students learned how to build and understand academic vocabulary and make connections in math, science, social studies and language arts.
- students learned real world application to integrate knowledge through theatrical play
- Students learned to appreciate different art mediums.
- Students learned to move and act out what they were learning in math which helped them remember
- Students learned vocabulary words, problem and solution, chronological order, and other reading standards through the use of theater.
- Students loved the arts integration and looked forward to it every week.

Read more about our 2022-2023 school year in our AGC Final Year Report here:
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1cdgzBqIOLawL1vuaGxIDVihKffF9H9Di/view?usp=sharing>

LEADERSHIP

City Leadership	William D. Franklin(Doug), Mayor
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