



★ **ARTS IN EDUCATION** **2021 DIRECTORY**



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Baking Coach®

Baking Coach® is a baking entertainment company which teaches baking, cake decorating and cooking to people of all ages and abilities. Our programs promote learning through reading, math, science and creativity. Children LEARN while they are having FUN!

Our programs can be purchased with kits. Each kit comes with all the non-perishable ingredients packaged and safely sealed in our kitchen along with ingredient labels and a QR code for an instructional video on the box. We can alter food ingredients if necessary, depending upon food allergies.

We are fully licensed and insured. We can supply certificates and references upon your request. The Baking Coach would welcome the opportunity to bring our programs to the Suffolk Region PTA.

Baking Coach® Pretzel Program

Baking Coach® Jumbo Pretzel Workshop teaches you everything you need to know on how to make pretzels. Learn how yeast works in the recipe and the simply trick to form the pretzels. Our kit provides all the dry ingredients and the participants only need to supply water to complete the recipe. Baking is involved with this program, as students will bring the project home to bake and garnish the pretzels with butter and salt. Each recipe makes 4 Jumbo Pretzels.

Baking Coach® Emoji Cookies

Baking Coach® Emoji Cookie Decorating Workshop lets the artist in you shine. Recreate Emoji symbols on 4 sugar cookies using colored icing and candy. Our kit includes 4 sugar cookies, powdered sugar, food dye and candy. Nothing else is required and the project goes home in the same box.

Baking Coach® Colorful Swirl Cupcakes

Baking Coach® teaches you how to color and swirl icing together to create a kaleidoscope of colors that is piped onto cupcakes. Our kit includes 3 cupcakes and butter cream icing, red, yellow and blue food dye, sprinkles, a pastry bag and tips to complete this workshop. Nothing else is required and the project goes home in the same box.

	Baking Coach®	
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paulabakingcoach@gmail.com	www.bakingcoach.com	Virtual & In Person

Recipe 4 Learning

Cookie Fraction Program

The mission of Recipe4Learning, Inc. is to provide fun and informative hands-on-learning kits for students in a classroom setting. Our goal is to create jobs for people with different abilities, raise awareness and provide community service.

Kits come with all necessary material and the cookies are stored in the same box once the cookies are fully decorated. Each kit contains: 4 cookies, butter cream frosting, food dye, candy, parchment paper, craft sticks, bakery box, and a disposable apron.

	Recipe 4 Learning	
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Farmingville Historical Society

The Virtual One-Room Schoolhouse Program

Tour the Virtual One-Room Schoolhouse! Experience what it was like to live and go to school during the 1850s. Tour the inside & outside of the 1850 Bald Hill One-Room schoolhouse, explore artifacts, and compare today's school day to the 1850 school day. The virtual program topics also include 1850 Presidents, origins of the American Flag and the Pledge of Allegiance, recess & games that were played, food during the 1850s & what students brought for lunch, chores – before, during, and after school, 1850-style clothing for men, women & children, student punishments, & writing instruments. Targeting 1st - 5th grade; virtual tour or tour plus full program can be purchased; teacher guided tour optional; \$2 - \$8 per student.

Farmingville Historical Society		
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Interactive Adventures

Creature Crafting 101

Engage, Entertain, Empower, and Cultivate Creativity in the one true no-judgement zone for young artists: building MONSTERS! Every child regardless of their level of artistic experience or ability develops observation, illustration, storycrafting, and vocabulary skills as award-winning author/illustrator Jason Edwards guides them through the process of identifying and generating distinctive traits, practicing the use of simple shapes and lines to convey character and feelings, then designing and drawing their own unique creations.

Kids love it because THEY are the stars of the show! Educators and parents love it because everyone is active, engaged, and empowered to produce their own fantastic creations. No reading or writing skills, nor any previous drawing lessons required. For grades 1-7.

History Mystery: Quest for the Missing Artifact

Kids have a grand adventure building observation, puzzle solving, and research skills as they track down a historic treasure just like Indiana Jones or Lara Croft! Young learners follow mysterious trails, uncover hidden clues, solve baffling riddles, decode secret messages, and overcome challenging obstacles to recover a priceless artifact. They identify historical landmarks, discover and utilize facts about history, employ deductive reasoning, work cooperatively, and locate books of all different kinds – all by themselves!

All participants have their own items to find and proceed at their own pace. So EVERYONE SUCCEEDS, and helps to recover the treasure! Kids love it because it's loads of fun. Educators and parents love it because children are captivated, engaged, and develop vital skills. For Grades 2-8.

Interactive Adventures		
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Sustrin Books by Lettie Sustrin

The Teacher Who Would Not Retire

This program can be presented either in-school or virtually. The six books in this series teach children about the connection, respect, and love, between students, their teachers, parents and school administrators. The books are very humorous and heart-warming. The children also learn about "Retirement" and "intergenerational relationships." Being a retired teacher, Ms. Sustrin writes "from the heart."

A Penny From My Sister

This program can be presented either in-school or virtually. Ms. Sustrin has written a book that is very timely with all that children have to face during the Pandemic. This book teaches students that even though you may lose someone you love, "Memories are forever. When Ms. Sustrin's twin sister passed away, she began to find pennies whenever she thought about needing her sister. This gave the author the idea of writing a book about it. The story is very uplifting. Even though five years have passed since her sister died, the pile of pennies still continues to grow.

Sustrin Books by Lettie Sustrin		
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The Suffolk Region PTA helps to promote arts programs in schools county-wide. Please contact us for any assistance with coordinating a program for your school!



Journeys with Sound

Music of the Earth: “Celebrating World Cultures & Our Planet!”

Really fun and information-packed! World cultures come alive through dozens of exotic instruments from around the globe. Interactive shows with giant frame drums, Indian snake-charmer, crystal singing bowls, Australian didgeridoos, Chinese gongs, Native American flutes and chants, deer-hoof rattles, Aztec wind whistle, Scottish Bagpipes, and much more! Students learn about the customs and folklore of world cultures, and create and share their own mythic “dream journeys. Everyone joins in singing a traditional Native American chant, and learns how to build a Didjeridoo and make the wild animal sounds of the Australian Outback! Virtual shows also include multi-media images and videos and Q&A. Curriculum tie-ins include: Music, History, Geography, Writing, Art, Math, Sciences. Special programs for Halloween, Thanksgiving, Winter Solstice, Earth Week (April) and St. Patrick’s Day.

Great for all Grades K thru 12.

Estimated price for one show booking for your production/ program: **\$395.00 Virtual; \$495.00 in person**

Journeys with Sound – Music of the Earth		
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Participation in the arts builds students’ confidence, teamwork and sense of accomplishment. PTA remains committed to [Arts in Education] and encourages participation by all students — despite individual challenges — to explore ideas, express their individuality and support their peers in a positive way.

Nathan R. Monell, CAE, Past National PTA Executive Director



Long Island Children's Writers and Illustrators

We are a not-for-profit organization dedicated to the pursuit of writing and illustrating children's literature. We support, guide, and nurture budding authors and illustrators as well as established authors and illustrators. Our goal is to create quality works of fiction, non-fiction and poetry that educate, entertain, and inspire children of all ages.

Author/ Illustrator Night

An Author and Illustrator Night is a literary event to promote books and reading, a "living book fair" at which students, parents, and school staff meet the authors and illustrators of books and have the opportunity to have books they purchase autographed. The attending authors and illustrators receive no remuneration other than a welcoming buffet dinner provided by the PTA of the host school and the pleasure of sharing the evening with the children who enjoy their books. For this program, the school/PTA selects the authors from a list provided by LICWI & invites them to the program. This is an evening program appropriate for elementary and middle school students. The event is free to the host school.

Author/Illustrator Night		
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Arts education provides all students with an academic advantage by increasing student engagement and teacher effectiveness, which lead to increased school attendance rates and social connectedness among students.

Laugh-A-Lot Poetry

Assemblies & PARP Presentations

Darren Sardelli is an exciting, enthusiastic poet who makes poetry fun and meaningful to young people. His relatable topics, shocking twists and surprise endings, mixed with interaction and humor, keep students engaged and entertained. When Darren performs a poem, he creates a unique experience for his audience by generating a particular feeling, reaction, or emotion. Younger students act out poems with Darren, figure out poetry riddles, and learn how to express themselves in positive ways. Older students discover easy ways to put ideas in motion, make their poems and stories stand out, and learn how to empower themselves with words. Students will be motivated to read and write poetry, start an idea book, and think in a creative direction. \$850 – 1 show / \$1,250 – 2 shows

Virtual Assemblies

Just like in his school assemblies, Darren brings poetry to life with his enthusiasm, excitement, and passion for writing. He’s developed new ways (in this virtual world) to effectively interact with students while keeping them interested and engaged. His relatable poems, lighthearted humor, and inspiring messages not only generate positivity, but also help his audience get in touch with their feelings and emotions. Younger students act out poems with Darren, figure out poetry riddles, and learn how to express themselves in positive ways. Older students discover easy ways to put ideas in motion, make their poems and stories stand out, and learn how to empower themselves with words. Students will be motivated to read and write poetry, start an idea book, and think in a creative direction. Lastly, they’ll get to meet a really cool author.

\$650 – 1 show / \$1,000 – 2 shows

Activate Your Power! – Assemblies for TEENS

Darren Sardelli’s middle school and high school assemblies are designed to motivate, educate, and demonstrate the incredible things that can be accomplished through hard work and perseverance. His real-life stories connect with and captivate young adults, and his poems deliver intriguing perspectives while generating enthusiasm and laughter. Through self-belief, determination, and dedication to his craft, Darren transformed himself from an unlikely writer into a professional poet. Students feel his passion and energy for what he does. It’s an uplifting, enriching experience that opens minds and instills confidence in the ones who need it most.

In-Person: 1 assembly - \$850 / 2 assemblies - \$1,250

Virtual: 1 assembly - \$650 / 2 assemblies - \$1,000

Laugh A Lot Poetry – Darren Sardelli		
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Patricia Shih Presents "BIG IDEAS!" Concerts

Multiple national award-winning singer-songwriter Patricia Shih offers several different shows of all-audience participation songs and pieces based on the following themes: Appreciation & gratitude, Back to School, Learning is cool, Character, Disabilities, the Environment, Family, Kindness, Holidays, Literacy (PARP), Multiculturalism and Bullies, & Nutrition. The target audience is K through 6. Estimated price for one show booking: \$875-\$1075 depending on # of musicians; 2 back to back shows \$1200-1500 depending on # of musicians.

"You write the Songs!" Workshop

Each class writes a group song which is then recorded and sent to the school for posting on their website. "So You Want a Career in Music" - an informative mentoring and performance coaching workshop, similar to "The Voice" Grades 5-12

"Let's Go to China!" Workshop

A 65 minute or all-day visit to the world's oldest civilization. Topics covered may include history, language, music, arts, Chinese New Year and more.

"Immigration- The Musical!"- Residency

Students interview their families for their immigrant ancestor's stories. Patricia writes the script based on these, and then the students put on a production for the community.

Patricia Shih Presents "Big Ideas!" Concerts		
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National PTA Statement on Arts in Education

National PTA believes that the arts, music, literature, dance, drama, and visual arts are central to learning. Infusion of the arts in elementary, secondary, and continuing education curricula is key to the development of students. National PTA supports programs that promote public awareness of the arts and arts education and the integration of the arts in school curriculum.



Bash The Trash Environmental Arts LLC

Sustainable Sounds - Live / Virtual

For over 25 years Bash the Trash has been weaving together science, music and the environment! With 3+ musicians playing amazing invented instruments, this show inspires students to combine science and arts through concepts of STEM-to-STEAM, sustainability, the 3 R's (Reduce Reuse Recycle) and upcycling. Fast, funny, full of information - with age-appropriate audience participation throughout - this show can serve as a springboard for follow-up shows and/or hands-on workshops. Live and Virtual formats as well as live/virtual hybrids available.

Global Bash - Virtual

Global Bash brings amazing live music from around the world to your school! We feature global ensembles and unique musical instruments from a variety of cultures, emphasizing arts connections, science and the environment. Your students will sing, dance, and discover the variety, depth and complexity of other cultures. Global Bash can serve as a springboard for follow-up shows and/or hands-on in-class workshops.

Trash 2 Techno - Virtual

The ultimate combination of low and high tech! Found-object sound sources (trash) are sampled, manipulated and transformed through science and technology into danceable beats. Along the way we address issues of sustainability, plastic pollution, acoustics, and music production. Students learn how artists manipulate samples to create sound effects, and how sounds are layered to create electronic dance music. Fun demos, student participation and cool science make this an unforgettable STEAM presentation!

Latin American Journeys - Virtual

This show takes students on a virtual journey through Latin American music: From the pampas of Argentina through the coast of Peru, to the Venezuelan llanos and the sandy beaches of Cuba, and ending in the festive city of Rio De Janeiro. Discover the different instruments, rhythms, melodies and languages that make this region of the world so unique, but most importantly, how music is a true celebration of our beautiful diversity! Bash the Trash online programs feature rich educational content in a lively multi-media style with experienced presenters, flexibility with platforms and delivery, and options for connected residencies whether virtual, live/virtual hybrid, or any other format. We're flexible with format, size and pricing.

BTT Lost at Sea - Live / Virtual

Explore environmental issues endangering our oceans! Featuring our strange and wonderful musical instruments built from reused materials, we take students on a high seas voyage in which they'll encounter ocean trash, garbage patches, and have to think creatively to escape from a deserted island. This fun, educational and ultimately inspiring show opens up a conversation about the future of our oceans in a safe and friendly way for students elementary through middle school.

Trashaganza - Live / Outdoor

We've streamlined our large-stage touring ensemble to a lean-and-mean power trio that is perfect for live outdoor socially-distanced performances. Trashaganza brings amazing instruments and fun songs that will have your students moving and grooving in place, while exploring concepts of science, music, and the environment. The show features a menagerie of strange instruments including the oil can guitar, water cooler drums, and the styrolin, each of which teaches lessons on plastic pollution and climate change. The safety of your audience and staff - and of our musicians - is of the highest importance so we will work with you to ensure a safe and sterile visit. We know it works; we've performed outdoors in fall of 2020 and were able to perfect the protocol, including bringing our own sound equipment.

Bash the Trash Environmental Arts LLC		
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"Lou Del Bianco: Around the World Show"

"Around the World" is an exciting and culturally responsive program combining storytelling, theater and music. Lou Del Bianco invites children to come on stage to help him act out stories from cultures that span the globe. Children discover when you read folktales, fairytales and fables, you learn about diversity, equity and inclusivity. **VIRTUAL PROGRAM AVAILABLE!**

Lou Del Bianco: Around the World Show		
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Imagine That!

Art Safari

Artist Joyce Raimondo, and author of The Museum of Modern Art's, ART SAFARI book, leads students on an imaginary safari as they encounter whimsical animals in masterpieces by Picasso, Chagall and famous artists during a virtual live interactive art show. 100% participation, students tell their own fun-filled stories about what they see in pictures. Then students explore the wilds of their imaginations as they create animal collages. Prerecorded videos and online activities also available.

Go Green! Recycle for Art

Celebrate Earth Day everyday and make environmental education artistic fun during this live virtual program.. Artist Joyce Raimondo, and author of the ART EXPLORER BOOK series, leads children in a interactive art show to discover how famous artists Picasso and others turned throwaway things into masterpieces. Then Joyce directs students to create whimsical robots from 100% recycled stuff they have collected. In advance of program, Raimondo provides a supply list of easy to find objects such as cardboard tubes, boxes, and papers that can be used to create their projects. Based, in part, on Raimondo's book "What's the Big Idea?" Pre-recorded video available too.

Imagine That!		
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Designated by Congress in 2010 through House Resolution 275, **National Arts in Education Week** is a national celebration recognizing the transformative power of arts in education. This celebration is designated to bring attention to this cause to elected officials and educational decision makers across the country and to support equitable access to the arts for all students.

Pollock-Krasner House and Study Center

Trip to Jackson Pollock and Lee Krasner's House

Author/artist, Education Coordinator, Joyce Raimondo, guides students k - 12 through Jackson Pollock and Lee Krasner's home and studio - a national landmark in East Hampton. Discover creative ways Pollock and Krasner expressed their feelings with paint. Discuss art displayed in their home, and explore the barn studio filled with paint splatters. Then, Joyce demonstrates how you can drip paint to express your feelings in art.

Culturally Responsive: Pollock and Krasner are an embodiment of the American Dream. From humble beginnings, they created groundbreaking art that celebrates the Democratic ideal of free expression. 100% interactive, students discover diverse ways of expressing themselves while respecting the views of others.

Choose tour only, or tour and painting. Professional development workshops also offered.

Trip to Jackson Pollock and Lee Krasner's House		
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Crime Victims Center

Our evidence-informed and evidence-based prevention education workshops are designed to empower children, teens, and adults of all ages with knowledge and skills aimed at protecting against sexual abuse with additional programs on hate crimes prevention, cyber safety, and healthy relationships. We offer age appropriate prevention education workshops for Pre-K through 12th grade, college, as well as adults and those working with children. Additionally, we offer programs which fulfill New York State Erin's Law requirements for K-8th grade.

Crime Victims Center		
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Lee Knight's Interactive Concerts

Virtual and Pre-Recorded Interactive Concerts

Looking for a creative 30-minute show combining Music, Singing, Dancing, Drama, Literature, Reading, and Technology? Both the Live-Virtual and Pre-Recorded concerts invite students to sing, dance and act along with Lee's original songs, presented as entertaining music videos. Live-Virtual Show can be shown on Google Classroom or Zoom with Lee personally introducing each song, allowing time for Q&A. Pre-Recorded Lee introduces each song and allows teachers multiple viewings at their convenience!

The engaging and delightful show take you inside 7 popular books, using on-screen lyrics to encourage group singing. Realistic and cartoon images and gifs add to the excitement and stimulate creativity.

In Person, Indoor or Outdoor, Interactive Concerts

Let's put on an original musical show with full audience participation! Students enjoy singing dancing and acting out 5-7 original songs written to popular picture and chapter books. This high-energy, active show brings students, up on their feet, using their imaginations, and releasing creative energy! Weather permitting the show can be performed outdoors! Themes include: Folk and Fairy Tales, Wellness, Sports/Olympics, Hollywood, Anti-Bullying, Mysteries, Animal Science, Earth Day, PARP, Seuss, Around the World, Nursery Rhymes, Pre-K Fun.

Optional Prep Materials: MP3's of each song and Lyric Sheet for each song
 \$350 - \$475; Discounts for Multiple Shows & Smaller groups
 Pre-K – 5th Grade

YOGA STORIES – Virtual – Pre-Recorded or Live

Available Virtual, Pre-recorded, or Live (Indoor or Outdoor)

Adorable and engaging 30-minute themed Yoga classes build strength, flexibility, and confidence. Poses, Stretches, and powerful breathing, help children focus, relieve stress, and calm anxiety. Brain Gym exercises, including Double-Doodling help improve cognitive abilities. Pre-Recorded Themes: Bear Family Visits the Aquarium - Pre-K - 1st; Birthday Party at the Farm – Pre-K – 1st; Warrior Card Yoga - K – 2nd; Virtual or Live Themes, add: Pre-K-2nd; Baby Giraffe Circus Mystery; Mountain (features weather); Halloween Party - Pre-K - 4th; Olympics Teamwork - 2nd - 4th; Prep Materials Sent Ahead: Power Point with visual examples; Singing meditation video; Pre-K – 4th Grade (\$200.00)

Lee Knight's Interactive Concerts		
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Day In Clay – Artist in Residence Programs

Day in Clay Multicultural program

Day in Clay is a multicultural ceramic arts programs in k – 12 and staff development. It offers 3-d virtual interactive / on-site programs with diverse cultural hands-on/demonstration clay work. Students get a real taste of the creative process, and how design, form and function relate across disciplines and cultures. Students create and explore African, Asian, Native Am. Greek, African masks, vessels, tile murals custom tailored for your curriculum. Students become involved in the process of working with clay, and discover the relationship between art, science, and society. learning advanced techniques and the science behind glazing, painting, and firing.

Exploring these designs and the creative process is key in understanding how each culture tells their unique story through three-dimensional art

Day In Clay Artist in Residence Program		
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Academic Entertainment



Cory the Dribbler

Corey The Dribbler is available in-person and virtual/online. He is a former Harlem Globetrotter and 4-Time Guinness record holder who has been featured on TV and NBA Halftime Shows. Corey inspires kids to R.E.A.D., a character education message. Respect, Education, Attitude/Activity, and Don't Bully or Do Drugs are the Four Principles he encourages. Corey teaches the value in reading and how it led him to the Globetrotters. Kids are taught about respect and anti-bullying! Corey encourages excelling in school while bringing a positive attitude. Staying active is stressed along with anti-drug awareness. Besides an unforgettable show, students will have fun playing several games with Corey, some including the teachers! Kids will also have the chance to steal the ball from the World's Best Ball Handler!

The Freestyle Connection BMX Description

The best way to catch the attention of your students is through a mind-blowing BMX Stunt Show! The Freestyle Connection BMX includes fast-paced stunts and important messages about bicycle safety, doing your best, healthy living, drug/tobacco free, anti-bullying, staying in school and more, throughout an exciting, professional demonstration! Students love the way the team incorporates awesome BMX stunts and tricks along with humorous skits choreographed to crowd pumping music. Give your school a show they will never forget! The Freestyle Connection BMX involves ramp riding and flatland ground moves for trick variations. Riders switch-off on the microphone throughout the show that includes exciting music and incorporates BMX stunts and high-flying tricks.

The Art of Inspiration Description

Richard Hight's presentation begins with the dramatic and exciting creation of a stunning illustration on a six-foot canvas (each school can suggest what image will best serve their students - historical figures, patriotic images, school mascots and others, etc.). Students and teachers are WOW'ed by the combination of powerful illustration, spoken word, and music that transpires in a matter of moments. The artwork Richard creates then provides the foundation for his keynote presentation and discussion. At the end of the in-person or virtual/online assembly, your school receives the impressive creation to act as a reminder of the positive, empowering messages your students learned. He can customize a portion of your event to include Anti-Bullying, Character Building or reinforce the theme of your school.

Virtual 123 Andrés Description

123 Andrés is a high-energy and joyful online performance that celebrates the Latinx experience and delights both English and Spanish communities, and every general audience. Their authentic Latin-American spirit is one that all students can connect with. Andrés and Christina are experienced and engaging native-Spanish speakers. They bring a unique flair to their bilingual virtual assembly. Their sought-after bi-lingual music programs have been praised by Billboard as "A rock star for little language learners." Their online school show includes beats and rhythms from all over Latin America that will entice students to jump, dance, and discover. Both English and Spanish languages are seamlessly weaved into their virtual programs so students learn whether they are new to Spanish, or well-advanced speakers.

Zonda Dance Description

Prepare your students to have the dance experience of a lifetime, in-person or virtual/online! Chris “Zondaflex” Tyler will encourage students to stay active, positive and kind for a successful future while having a blast! His message alongside his hip hop dance, comedic and musical skills will not be forgotten. Chris understands that children today need more than just a message, but a captivating performance. Give your students a program they want to see with a message they need to hear! Zonda Dance combines hip hop dance moves with student success principles that include messages on achievement, motivation, bullying, personal power and more. Encourages all students to get moving and focus on the power of persistence! No one can captivate an audience like Chris can!

The Wacky Science Show Description

Students crack-up at the craziness, staff and teachers really enjoy the lessons. Available in-person and virtual/online! Includes Scientific Method, Physical Sciences, Math, Life Sciences, Air Pressure, Acids/Bases, Levers/Machines, States of Matter, Safety in the Lab, Chemical Reactions, and more. Middle Schoolers will also learn forces, kinetic and potential energy, inertia, technology connections, and using chemicals in observations. It’s Packed with Learning! The Wacky Science Show has been ranked nationally for science education, and it’s one of the best ways to help your students learn the scientific method. Students will engage in kooky experiments and nutty tricks while learning science lessons. They will find out which everyday household things can be used in some cool science stunts while learning all about the Scientific Method.

Virtual Music Technology Description

Virtual Music Technology is a groundbreaking Online School Assembly for Grades K-12. In this high energy, totally interactive program, award-winning music producer Brent Daniels uses the latest technology to teach students how their everyday devices can be used to make music like he does for Marvel, Disney, Netflix, Activision, and more!

This is not your everyday Zoom meeting! Bring your school into Brent's virtual studio for an interactive educational experience they will always remember! Virtual Music Technology is a one-of-a-kind online event where students participate to create an original track that will raise the roof! Using master-level musicianship, production, audience interaction, information and humor, Brent delivers a premium educational experience that will capture the imaginations of students and faculty alike.

Up And Away Description

Up and Away with Hot Air Balloons combines the natural excitement of the balloon with a wealth of teaching experience. This science assembly will have kids in awe! There are two segments, an illustrated presentation and a live demonstration. Students see the balloon in action...inflated, and up close! Witnessing an inflation is magnificent and inspiring, a sight students and teachers will always remember. The heart of the program is an illustrated slide presentation. The pilot/presenter shares how balloons work and what kinds of things are done. Many subjects are covered, including history, the effect of weather, the mechanics of modern ballooning, licensing, and how the natural high is better than drugs. This portion of the program is flexible, and can be tailored to any subject.

Virtual Dare to Draw Description

During Mark Kister's Live Webcast Assembly, you'll feel like he is right there with your students! Mr. Mark will teach your kids to Draw! Draw! Draw! from his studio. The lesson is live and personalized, broadcast through Zoom or Meet. He'll answer questions and talk to students while he teaches kids how to draw with his award-winning zany technique. It's SO cool! Your school has an opportunity to collaborate with the artist to choose the lessons from his list of absolutely awesome art inspirations---your students choose where they want to travel with their imaginations! Will you have Mr. Mark webcasting live from his Antarctic Penguin Research Station, "The Land of Dinosaurs", OR the surface of the moon?!

Unique Game Show Description

The Unique Game Show ensures lots of participation with exciting activities and friendly competition using multi-media trivia and team-building activities to combine team spirit, character education, and curriculum enforcement into one program. This multi-purpose assembly is perfect for any subject because you are able to customize the program if you wish! The Unique Game Show is available in-person and virtual/online! Students are divided into teams (red, yellow, blue and green.) The game begins with a curriculum-based question; followed by a video question about pop culture trivia with music enhancement. Each round finishes with an audio bonus question. Teams generate points by answering correctly and demonstrating good sportsmanship and team spirit. It's a great way for your students to work together while reinforcing their studies.

Tales From A Bicycle Seat Description

Tales From A Bicycle Seat is a unique and one-of-a-kind Virtual School Assembly. It blends live storytelling, demonstration and interaction with original music and stunning video from international bike-packing expeditions across the US, Iceland, Patagonia, Sri Lanka, Canada, and Vietnam to show students how pushing past comfort zones broadens understanding of the world, tests limits and shows that human connection transcends culture, language and geography. Students feel like they're on-location with multi-media storyteller, musician, and adventure cyclist George Maurer as they are immersed in Go-Pro and drone video footage. Students are invited into the dialogue so they can ask questions and explore what it means to build character, have empathy and grow. Touches on diversity, cultural exchange, character education, growth mindset, and more.

The Paper Airplane Guy Description

John Collins is The Paper Airplane Guy. He is a keynote speaker with more than 30 years of experience, as well as an author, and a world record holder for paper airplane distance. His in-person and virtual/online presentations are visually stunning and entertaining with the goal of engaging the audience and presenting great information. Students will explore science using the fun and wonder of paper airplanes. Demonstrates a wide variety of aerodynamic principles and how to make paper airplanes. It's real aerodynamics instruction, teaching the physics of flight, demonstrated and explained using paper airplanes. It's fun and the materials are inexpensive and readily available because it's only paper. The interactive assembly includes live and engaging instructional demonstrations intermixed with opportunities for hands-on paper airplane making.

Math Magical Description

Do you want students excited about math? Want them thinking math is awesome...even cool? Math Magical will get your elementary students pumped up about mathematics, in-person or virtual/online. This high energy show touches upon addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions, probability, and more; plus, it's customized according to grade levels and student development! Using magic, comedy, and other tools of the trade, kids will discover that not only is math fun, but they need to Study Math To Be On A Better Path. Students will also learn a cool magic trick that will sharpen their math skills and wow their friends and families. Whether in-person or virtual/online via Zoom or Google Meet, Math Magical will get your students excited about Math!

The Funny Magic Show Description

Get ready to laugh out loud! Comic Magician Brian Richards entertains and engages with his award-winning comedy magic show, available in-person or virtual/online. The Funny Magic Show blends magic and comedy creating a FUN, and FUNNY! magic school assembly show loved by all ages! Audience participation gets the whole crowd involved! Every presentation of this hilarious school assembly will feature magic, comedy, juggling, puppetry, and a ton of audience participation. The Funny Magic Show will make a great addition to your next family fun night or schoolwide fundraiser. This program also makes a great reward incentive! If you're looking for a school assembly that's available in-person or virtual/online, as well as JUST for FUN! and all-around entertaining and engaging for all ages, this is it!

The Laugh Factory Description

Unlike any other magic show! Laugh Factory is the best comical magic show for schools that you'll ever see! It's hysterical for your students, and also funny, engaging, and entertaining for your teachers and school staff. It's also available in-person and virtual/online! Stinky Sneakers and a Giant Pair of Underpants are just a little bit of the crazy insanity that is to come during The Laugh Factory. Don't worry, there are no gimmicky magic stunts or something too embarrassing! It's just 45 minutes of pure silliness, nonstop jokes, and wild funniness, where your students are the stars of the show! Get ready to smile and chuckle until something comes out of your nose (too yucky?), and to have your entire school bend over in laughter!

The Freestyle Connection BMX Description

An interactive in-person and virtual/online dance assembly exposing the impact of globalization and the power of embracing cultural diversity through dance. Students watch and participate in thrilling performances. Tracing through Jamaica, South Korea, Latin America, and India, Diversity of Dance teaches the creation and transformation of Hip Hop Dance throughout the world. Students are inspired through participation to push boundaries and embrace diversity. Explores the globalization of hip hop; how it has changed throughout history and how it has been influenced by different cultures. Styles of dance include Hip-Hop, Bollywood, K-Pop, Dance Hall, and Reggae. Reinforces cultural awareness, music, dance, and arts-in-education. The full assembly is in sections by country (Jamaica/US, South Korea, India, etc.) and subsections within each (Lecture, Performance, and a Dance Lesson).

Academic Entertainment		
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Squeaky Clean Music Corp

Since 1984, SQUEAKY CLEAN has combined live musical performance with innovative multimedia techniques to reach all kinds of learners. Our multimedia approach translates well to virtual presentations, which can be hosted live or shared by video link. In our shows we promote diversity, tolerance and cooperation as well as take a look at how much of today’s technology first appeared many years ago.

Pull Together

This show addresses the goals of Culturally Responsive-Sustaining Education (CR-S) with music and commentary promoting Diversity, Tolerance and Cooperation. “MISTLETUNES” is our ever-popular multicultural December show, featuring seasonal favorites from different cultural traditions.

Mistletones

“MISTLETUNES” is our ever-popular multicultural December show, featuring seasonal favorites from different cultural traditions. SQUEAKY CLEAN has developed their multicultural December show “Mistletones” to meet the needs of schools with a diverse population of children who observe holiday celebrations towards the end of the calendar year, including Christmas, Hannukah, Kwanzaa, Dongzhi, Three Kings Day and Eid-al-Fitr. We do our best to make sure no child feels excluded, whether their family is observing a major holiday, a minor holiday or no holiday at all.

We acknowledge that there is nothing wrong with helping others share in the joy of their celebrations and that, in fact, many holidays share customs such as lighting candles, exchanging gifts, festive meals and family gatherings.

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“It is critical that the arts remain a core academic subject in our nation’s schools as research shows it is an essential element of a complete and balanced education for all students.”

Laura Bay, Past President of National PTA

Yoga and Mindfulness with Donna Coogan

Yoga with Donna Coogan

Yoga promotes inner and outer strength, confidence and self-esteem. Students will learn how to move their bodies using yoga postures connect with their breath using breathing techniques and still their minds using visualization. Each student's individual needs will be met as they work at their own pace in a supportive, fun environment. Donna Coogan, ERYT 500, RCYT, RPYT, YACEP through Yoga Alliance, has been teaching yoga to adults for 20 years in the ISHTA tradition and to children in schools and camps for 12 years. Virtual options available. ALL GRADES.

Estimated price for one show booking for your program: \$125.00 per class \$500.00 per day up to 5 classes. Residency also available. BOCES registered.

Mindfulness with Donna Coogan

Mindfulness is the ability to stay present in this moment as it is. Students learn some basic yoga poses to be able to sit comfortably. They learn breathing and mediation techniques that create a sense of ease allowing them to be present and mindful. This has far reaching benefits in school and beyond in their lives. Each student's individual needs are met as they work at their own pace in a supportive, fun environment. Donna Coogan, ERYT 500, RCYT, RPYT, YACEP through Yoga Alliance, has been teaching yoga to adults for 20 years in the ISHTA tradition and to children in schools and camps for 12 years. Virtual options available. ALL GRADES .

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Mindfulness and Yoga with Donna Coogan		
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PTA Arts programs have inspired millions of students to explore their talents and be involved in the arts for nearly 50 years.

David Engel Shows

"The Science of Pirates!" presented by David Engel's "Pirate School!"

Mariners pushed knowledge and technology forward ever since the first log raft, so who better to get children excited about science than a Pirate!? "The Science of Pirates!" offers enrichment kids crave and remember. Children become citizen-scientists and are given the freedom to explore their own science curiosity. Sessions include interactive STEM activities and challenges. Examples: How does a cannon work? (Force), How does a ship float? (Buoyancy), How did sailors navigate? (Mapping, Fractions), etc. Often described as a "...swashbuckling Mr. Rogers," this innovative science-club is set in the antic world of Professor Bones, who lives to guide children to the natural wonders around them. Video breakouts and demonstrations support the days hands-on experiment or activity.

Detailed Teacher-Parent study guide and materials list is provided. Grades 2-5

"Follow YOUR Compass!" presented by David Engel's "Pirate School!"

"Follow Your Compass!" is an innovative Character Education program that helps liberate children from the fear of bullying by promoting empathy, inclusion, and social courage. This inspiring production, which tours to arts centers nationwide, has compelling pro-social themes woven into its corsair curriculum. Students are prompted to follow their hearts (*their 'inner compass'*) while exploring concepts of Respect, Responsibility, Compassion and Courage.

"Pirate School!" knows a safe school is a productive school and bullies lose their power when students are encouraged to stand up for their mates. During this memorable program participants explore why kids bully, they'll identify the types of harassing behavior and discover strategies to dispel the bully's power- all while becoming a tightknit crew of pirates! Detailed Teacher-Parent study guide provided. Grades 2-5.

Wizard Academy: Library Programs, P.A.R.P and PTA FUNdraising from David Engel Entertainment

Wizard Academy! invite your little witches and warlocks on a madcap day in the life of a Wizard in Training and *access the power within. Presto Hilarioso!* David Engel is a beloved family entertainer with over 25 years' experience touring to arts centers, schools, libraries, museums, festivals nationwide. *Wizard Academy!* is part of other excellent programming, including *Pirate School! Superhero Training! Jedi Academy! and Dinosaur Adventure!* All of David's laugh-riot shows are designed on universally appealing themes and feature immersive participation, magic, puppetry, bubble-play, and a rich special effects score.

David Engel Shows		
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DJF Events

David Flood Youth Motivational Speaker

David Flood is a youth motivational speaker who has spoken in 40 states, at 600 schools, to over half a million students and staff. His topics of dignity, respect, compassion, and mental health have impacted thousands of children. David uses age-appropriate humor and very personal stories about his family and his life to make an emotional connection with kids in order to teach them how to take care of themselves as well as those around them. He and his son have published a new book entitled A Kids Book About Autism. It is for this reason that his social media videos have received over 150 million views.

DJF Events		
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Anne Pasquale's Living History Programs

Theatrical programs rich in storytelling, comedy, join-in-reinactments, folk dance and live music that bring history to life for students of all levels. This year's selections include: Calamity Jane of the Old West, Nellie Bly America's First Female Reporter, the Revolutionary Deborah Sampson, Helen and Me, The Heroic Story of Annie Macy Sullivan and Helen Keller, Liberty Belles STales and American Immigration from every point of Liberty's Crown. Plus the Little Living History Tour (a new program for Preschoolers). All shows are 45 minutes in length. Performed are body miked. 350 Audience Maximum. Targeted Audience K – 12. Estimated price for one show booking: \$500.00; Back to Back \$700.00.

Anne Pasquale's Living History Programs		
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Petra's Puppets

Steve Petra Ventriloquist Workshop Live on Zoom

Steve Petra teaches and demonstrates essential techniques of ventriloquism. Topics include: ventriloquist alphabet, sound substitutions, mouth and tongue placement, character voice creation, puppet demonstration. Special guest star Brain on a Spine. Includes a pdf of practice material. Grade 3 and up. \$500. BOCES listed.

In School Assemblies

Steve Petra's ventriloquist audience participation shows covering Science, Math and Reading. Created for grades 3, 4, 5 & 6. Original songs and music. Teacher's Guide. Age-appropriate younger version available only on same day older version is performed. BOCES registered. \$725 for one show, \$1050 for two shows same place. BOCES listed. We will adjust to social distancing restrictions: additional days and times for reduced audience size and contactless participation.

Petra's Puppets		
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Arts in education is so important for our students and truly shines a light on every child!

Statement by New York State PTA

Erin Lee Kelly Music

Erin Lee: Sing-along, Snap-along!

Get ready to hop, holler, clap, tap and snap with Erin Lee's *Sing-along, Snap-along*. Featuring stories and songs about the everyday challenges of childhood, it's an interactive celebration of lost lunches, muddy messes and interminable car trips! Concerts are seasonally themed and feature positive social messages in seriously silly songs, rhymes and stories. Performing as a solo artist, duo, or trio, Erin Lee has concerts tailor made to fit every size of venue - and every size of budget. *Erin Lee Kelly* is an award-winning songwriter whose children's music has received raves ("*Irresistible!*" -*Disney's Family Fun Magazine*.) She is an artist-in-residence teaching storytelling and songwriting workshops to children throughout NYC. She currently creates content for Bansho, a new app for virtual learning. **Contact Person: Erin Lee Kelly Company or Performer Name: Erin Lee Kelly Telephone: 646.267.6742 E-Mail Address: erinlee@erinleemusic.com Website: www.erinleemusic.com**

Song Shop! Creative & Collaborative Songwriting with Kids

Children are natural storytellers, turning ordinary, everyday occurrences into events! With a little technique and a lot of imagination, award-winning songwriter Erin Lee Kelly and your students can shape those events into songs. Students will learn how to turn simple sentences into musical phrases, using rhythm, sequencing, tonality and tempo. As the children learn how to create a song from concept through completion, they will also learn how to share, cooperate and reach goals as a team. Working as a group, students build on each other's ideas, integrating their creative skills, listening skills, and collaborative skills as they compose and sing their own song! Each class receives a recording and an instrumental accompaniment so they can perform it for school events and class visitors. **Contact Person: Erin Lee Kelly Company or Performer Name: Erin Lee Kelly Telephone: 646.267.6742 E-Mail Address: erinlee@erinleemusic.com Website: www.erinleemusic.com**

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Robert McEntee – School Assembly Magic

“Discover the Magic of Reading!”

Through captivating magic, great audience participation, humor, storytelling, and music, students develop an appreciation for reading. They realize that reading stimulates their imagination much more than TV! They have a great time learning about book genres. Optional illusions: Incredible Animated Talking Picture, Float a student with motivational theme, Saw a teacher/Principal “in half” as reading incentive/reward or make them magically appear for introduction!

Good reading habits are discussed, ie turning OFF TV and electronic media to avoid distractions.

Students are encouraged to read and do homework every day BEFORE recreation. They are introduced to the Dewey Decimal System, and everything libraries offer. Ideal for PARP, book fairs, etc. Visit www.SchoolAssemblyMagic.com/reading and call for details & FREE study guide. BOCES accredited.

“Magic Beyond Imagination! Family FUNdraiser”

Program guaranteed to raise PTA funds typically through simple ticket sale split. No money paid until after your school profits! (Fee basis available). Spectacular illusions: floating a student in the air, an incredible talking picture, making a teacher/Principal magically appear to introduce the show. We can also saw them "in half" which the students will NOT want to miss! Incredible musical grand finale with amazing special effects.

The show brings the entire school community together for an incredibly fun evening, while raising PTA funds & recognition! I can also help with publicity and provide a FREE magic kit for a raffle. Visit www.SchoolAssemblyMagic.com/fundraisers or call for details & report, “Secrets of Successful School FUNdraisers”!

“Take PRIDE!” Character Education Assembly

PROMOTING RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY, INDEPENDENCE, DETERMINATION AND EMPATHY!
Increase students P.R.I.D.E. – In themselves, others and school! Unique presentation improves self esteem, motivation and helps prevent bullying by setting acceptable behavior standards. Students thoroughly absorb positive messages through incredible illusions & magic, audience participation, age appropriate humor and inspirational story. Musical grand finale with amazing special effects ties the program together!



Customized for Elementary grades and modified for ideal Middle School Program with stronger anti bullying messages! Perfect for Red Ribbon Week, etc. Visit www.SchoolAssemblyMagic.com/p-r-i-d-e

Call for details & study guide. This creative program was developed under a school grant and is an unforgettable presentation of important topics. You're always telling them, now SHOW them so THEY LIVE IT! BOCES accredited.

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Percussia

For more than 10 years, New York City–based musical powerhouse Percussia has thrilled audiences with its hard-driving global rhythms. Now you can experience Percussia in an interactive program in your own school or community. Based entirely on rhythmic grooves and global sounds, Drums Around the World brings the world of music directly to you.

Percussia’s dazzling performers will take you on an interactive musical journey featuring percussion instruments, chants, and rhythms from around the world. With stops in Brazil, West Africa, Cuba, and China, this engaging, high-octane program deepens participants’ knowledge of world geography while giving them firsthand exposure to global cultures and music.

Marvel at the visual spectacle of the instruments (a massive Chinese drum, and a beautifully carved African one) and participate in the show by clapping rhythms, singing songs, and even joining a Chinese Lion Dance.

Percussia would be thrilled to join you at your next assembly or community event, kicking off the fun with its signature samba parade

Cost: \$1700/performance \$500/additional

Percussia		
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Al Andalusia to Dizzy

21st Century Community Engagement and Development programs. In-school and after-school award winning programs in music, dance, professional development, STEAM programs offered as Workshops, Artist-In-Residence, Mentorship's, Master classes, and in concert form. Developing and fostering community programs that include Youth, Young adult, Aging, Vets, schools, Libraries, resource coordinators, after-school providers, Bibliography and study guides are available.

Revels Bey Music - Al Andalusia to Dizzy		
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Prismatic Magic Laser Light

All of our laser assemblies feature popular, age-appropriate music. Our laser projectors create dazzling choreographed laser animations that captivate the audience and illuminate the topic of your choice. Now we have also re-imagined these live programs as virtual field trips. Just choose the date and time, and we will dazzle you with an assembly brimming with lasers and performances beyond even what we can provide in person! We also offer Halloween, Winter Holiday, Reading, Space, and Animal laser light shows as well! Grade levels of performance: PreK – 8th with grade tailoring

Our most popular programs include topics covering Bullying, Black History Month, & STEM.

Black History Month Assembly

Celebrate the profound contributions of African-Americans in an exciting new way. It is part history lesson and part uplifting musical revival.

Prismatic Magic Laser Light		
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Little Big Sister Books, LLC

Did That Really Happen? By Amy McCoy

Award Winning Author of the *Little Big Sister* book series
 (Guiding students through the realistic fiction writing process)
 Visiting Author Presentation for grades 3-5

By attending this Visiting Author Program, students learn about different disabilities and the process of writing realistic fiction, while becoming inspired to make a positive difference in their schools and communities. Great presentation for Autism Awareness Month (April) and Disability Awareness Month (October). Content relates to author's elementary level chapter book series, *Little Big Sister*. Contact Author directly through her website for free Reading Guide (for teachers who choose to read *Little Big Sister* as a read aloud). www.littlebigsisterbook.com

This Visiting Author Presentation can be virtual or in-person.

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The Magic of Amore!

Extra! Extra! Read All About It

Feel the excitement as you witness colorful handkerchiefs turn to magic canes at Amore's fingertips and objects materialize out of thin air. Visual magic combines with the encouragement of reading in this electrifying show. Never seen before illusions and audience participation make this a show you and your students will long remember. Fly like Peter Pan, pass through Alice's Looking Glass, perform magic like Harry Potter and even become the Cat in the Hat! Take a new chapter from the book of magic and experience! The Magic of Amore. - Students experience edge of their seat fun with an educational message. Available for: Parents As Reading Partner Programs. All shows are self-contained. Amore brings all the necessary items to perform the program properly, i.e. table, sound system and props.

Estimated price for one show booking: \$550; Multiple show discount available. Grades K – 6.

The Magic of Amore		
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Center for Environmental Education and Discovery

(CEED – Ranger Eric Powers)



LIVE Animal Show: Wildlife Diversity

Welcome to the world of wildlife with Ranger Eric Powers, a wildlife biologist with 34 years experience! We can tailor this program to meet YOUR classroom needs, such as Bugs as Pets, World of Birds, Animal Adaptations, Family of Reptiles, etc. The kids will meet at least 7 LIVE Animals at this show, as well as a multitude of animal artifacts, such as furs, feathers, skulls, sheds, and much more! 1-2 classes at a time (up to 50 people), programs start at \$350 plus mileage. Programs offered in-person or virtual.

Going on a Nature Hike

The Nature Hike is a planned & guided exploration in a safe outdoor environment of your choice. Whether we hop on a bus or simply hike the school grounds, our nature hikes are designed to immerse your students in inquiry learning! The theme can be customized to fit your classroom curriculum. Let us inspire and excite your students with a new passion for nature! Includes a nature journal (.pdf file). Base price \$350, can vary depending on location.

Wilderness Survival Basics for Kids

Join us for some survival basics from wildlife biologist, Ranger Eric, who is no stranger to the wilderness. There are many ways to “be prepared” but the best way is a flexible mind and prioritizing needs. Through this one-hour program kids will learn survival strategies that apply to any situation and help to keep a level head in difficult circumstances. The kids are encouraged to bring one survival item for show & tell, then tell us its importance. Program is best for 3rd-12th grade. 1-2 classes at a time (up to 50 people), programs start at \$350 plus mileage. Programs offered in-person or virtual.

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