

The Ohio Art Education Association

CORE PRINCIPLES:

to guide us in fulfilling this mission

Advocacy: We advocate for equitable access to quality art education, recognizing its role in fostering critical thinking, cultural responsiveness, and social engagement.

Professional Development: We provide opportunities for art educators to enhance their knowledge, skills, and teaching techniques, ensuring they remain at the forefront of art education practices.

Community Engagement: We foster a supportive and inclusive community of artists, educators, students, and enthusiasts, encouraging collaboration and the exchange of ideas.

Innovation: We embrace innovation in art education, adapting to evolving technologies and contemporary art forms while preserving the rich traditions of the past.

Diversity and Inclusion: We celebrate the diversity of artistic expression and are committed to inclusivity, striving to create an environment where all voices and perspectives are valued and respected.

Advancing Art Education: We collaborate with educational institutions, policymakers, and the broader community to advance the understanding and appreciation of art education's profound impact on society.

Through these principles, the Ohio Art Education Association seeks to cultivate a world where every individual has the opportunity to explore, create, and appreciate art by fostering a more imaginative, empathetic, and culturally responsive global community.