



Making magic through the arts since 1986.

**Get creative with us!**

**Help us spread the word about these opportunities with Inclusive Arts Vermont.**

## Start With The Arts

### For Centers and Home Childcare Providers

- Applications for the Spring session accepted through April 30th
- Programming (all online) can begin as soon as provider is accepted to the program



[Registration for Childcare Providers](#)

**Start With The Arts (SWTA) focuses on instilling a lifelong love of reading and strengthening the quality of early childhood education across Vermont.** It is an award-winning arts-based literacy program for childcare providers and the children in their care.

SWTA couples direct service to children with professional development for providers in both home-based and small center childcare sites. Since 2006, SWTA has engaged more than 3,000 children and 500 childcare providers in every county of Vermont.

Every provider can receive:

- FREE arts-based literacy program (thanks to the Kennedy Center for funding this program)
- 12 free books, chosen specifically to engage curiosity, crativity, and early literacy skills
- Professional Development credits for STARS & Advanced Specialized Care

To learn more and to apply, [visit our website](#) or contact Peggy, [peggy@inclusiveartsvermont.org](mailto:peggy@inclusiveartsvermont.org).

## Join the Inclusive Arts Vermont Board of Directors!

Inclusive Arts Vermont seeks artists, arts enthusiasts, and magic makers to join its Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors meets monthly, over ZOOM video conferencing. Board members are also encouraged to engage in committee work including fundraising, board and staff development, programs, strategic planning, and finance management. The purpose of the Board of Directors is to provide direction and vision for the future of the organization, and support to the staff.



Applicants with disabilities, legal experience, and financial experience highly encouraged to apply.

From Board Member, Ruth, pictured right, volunteering at an Inclusive Arts Vermont event:

*"Our board meetings offer such wonderful opportunities to be involved with the community. Our Board is comprised of a wonderful assembly of members. Talented, generous, and interesting people with whom to work. It is my pleasure to share my experience within Inclusive Arts with as many people as I can."*

**To Apply:** Either fill out the form [either online](#) or use [this document](#) and email it to [board@inclusiveartsvermont.org](mailto:board@inclusiveartsvermont.org).

For more information or accommodations with the application contact [board@inclusiveartsvermont.org](mailto:board@inclusiveartsvermont.org) or call 802-871-5002

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## **Thank you for your continued support!**

*The mission of Inclusive Arts Vermont is to use the magic of the arts to engage the capabilities and enhance the confidence of children and adults with disabilities. We do this through education, exhibition, and capacity building programs for teachers, students, artists, and organizations.*

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