

# Smart needs art.

Students who learn arts at school score higher on tests, have better attendance records, significantly lower dropout rates, and are more than twice as likely to graduate from college.

Yet less than half of California's students have access. We can do better.

Sources: Americans for the Arts & Create CA

This tax season, you can help keep arts in schools by making a donation of \$1 or more to the **Keep Arts in Schools Voluntary Contribution Fund** on your 2020 state tax return. One hundred percent of your tax-deductible contribution will go toward arts education programming supported by the California Arts Council.

Do your part for tomorrow's innovators who need arts education today. Visit [keepartsinschoolsfund.org](http://keepartsinschoolsfund.org) to learn how.



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Support creativity in the classroom through your state tax return

Yes. I believe in arts education for every student.

I will contribute \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Keep Arts in Schools Voluntary Contribution Fund through my 2020 California State Tax Return.

Voluntary contributions to the Keep Arts in Schools Voluntary Contribution Fund [California Individual Tax Return form 540, Section 110 (425)] are distributed to arts programs statewide by the California Arts Council.

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