

<p>Assessment</p> <p>Authentic assessment in the visual arts include formative, summative, portfolio, self, peer, rubric and non-traditional assessments.</p> <p>Position Statements: Student Assessment in the Visual Arts Classroom Impact of High Stakes and Standardized Testing on Visual Arts</p>	<p>Arts Educators as Professionals</p> <p>Visual arts educators are professionals, and visual arts courses must be taught by certified art educators. All visual arts educators should have access to ongoing professional development.</p> <p>Position Statements: Professional Development Certified/Licensed Visual Art Educators in Pr-K-12 School Settings Pre-K-12 Educator Evaluation in the Visual Arts</p>	<p>Class Size & Facilities</p> <p>Equitable instructional time and funding for visual arts; recommended age-appropriate class sizes of up to 25 students enable student success.</p> <p>Position Statements: Physical Safety in the Art Classroom Scheduling, Time, Funding and/or Resources for Visual Arts Education</p>	<p>Field Trips</p> <p>Authentic field-based and museum learning experiences promote creative and critical thinking skills in a real-world environment vital to a comprehensive education.</p> <p>Position Statements: Field Trips/Field-Based Learning/Equity Benefits of Art Museum Learning in Education</p>
<p>Community Impact</p> <p>Visual arts education promotes a positive school culture and climate and prepares learners as creative leaders of tomorrow's workforce.</p> <p>Position Statements: Impact of Visual Arts Workforce Development Positive School Culture and Climate Student Art Contests and Competitions</p>	<p>Advocacy in Your Pocket</p>  <p>Illinois Art Education Association</p> <p>www.ilaea.org</p> <p>QR code for IAEA</p>  <p>QR code for NAEA</p>  <p>Visit these sites to read the Position Statements and access more advocacy resources.</p>	<p>Visual Arts are Essential</p> <p>Visual arts are vital to comprehensive student education and play a vital role in cultivating collaboration, communication, critical thinking, curiosity, innovation and problem-solving skills.</p> <p>Position Statements: Visual Arts as Part of a Well-Rounded Education STEAM Education Graduation Requirement in the Visual Arts Early Childhood Art Education</p>	<p>Equitable Learning</p> <p>All students, regardless of school funding levels, deserve visual arts education that embraces diversity and the voices of different people and communities.</p> <p>Position Statements: Equity for All Students Diversity in Visual Arts Education Use of Imagery, Cultural Appropriation, and Socially Just Practices</p>