

Join us on September 22nd for Arts Connect's Open House!

Join Arts Connect and other HISD educators in Jones Hall to learn and discover what arts education opportunities are available for your campus. You will have the opportunity to learn about the 2021 Arts Action Fund, explore how Houston is using data to expand arts access for all HISD students, and visit with over 40 arts and cultural partner organizations who are ready and excited to bring art and creative learning opportunities to your students, campus, and community.

Arts Connect's Open House hosted by the Houston Symphony

September 22, 2021; 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Jones Hall (615 Louisiana Street, Houston, TX 77002)

Discounted parking vouchers for the Houston Theatre District Parking Garage will be provided.

Entrances 1, 4 and 7 on the [map here](#) are accessible to Jones Hall. We encourage you to park in level one (street level).



The Open House will begin at 4:10 p.m. with a welcome from Superintendent House and information session!

We will have fun giveaways for educators sponsored by HEB, Trader Joes' and more!

Attendees who are checked in by 4:10 p.m. will have a chance to win a \$100 HEB gift card.

*** Masks are required ***

Agenda

- 3:50 - 4:10 p.m. - Arrival & Check-In
- 4:10 - 4:40 p.m. - Opening Presentation & Information
- 4:40 - 5:45 p.m. - Explore Arts Partnerships
- 5:45 - 6:00 p.m. - Final Giveaway & Closing

2021 Arts Action Fund Seed Funding Applications

- Seed funding supports partnership development and growth between an Arts and Culture Partner and a Houston ISD school. The proposed program should address campus' needs or wants to further explores the arts.
- \$200,000 available overall
 - Type A, Small (up to \$2,000) - digital programs and/or programs delivered in 5 days or less
 - Type B, Large (\$2,001 - \$3,500) - programs delivered in 6 days or more

Applications due by October 8th. Notifications made on November 3rd.

For more information on the Arts Action Fund, [click here.](#)

For more information on the Open House, please contact Faith Hillis, Capacity Building Manager, at faith@artsconnecthouston.org.