

Are The Arts Mandated In Public Schools?

| State | Yes | Limited* | No | Region |
|----------------|-------|----------|-------|-------------------|
| Alabama | X | | | Southeastern |
| Alaska | | | X | Pacific |
| Arizona | | X | | Pacific |
| Arkansas | | | X | Western |
| California | X | | | Pacific |
| Colorado | | | X | Pacific |
| Connecticut | X | | | Eastern |
| DC | | | X | Eastern |
| Delaware | X | | | Eastern |
| Florida | X | | | Southeastern |
| Georgia | | X | | Southeastern |
| Hawaii | | X | | Pacific |
| Idaho | X | | | Pacific |
| Illinois | | | X | Western |
| Indiana | X | | | Western |
| Iowa | X | | | Western |
| Kansas | X | | | Western |
| Kentucky | X | | | Southeastern |
| Louisiana | | X | | Southeastern |
| Maine | X | | | Eastern |
| Maryland | X | | | Eastern |
| Massachusetts | | | X | Eastern |
| Michigan | | | X | Western |
| Minnesota | X | | | Western |
| Mississippi | X | | | Southeastern |
| Missouri | X | | | Western |
| Montana | X | | | Pacific |
| Nebraska | X | | | Western |
| Nevada | X | | | Pacific |
| New Hampshire | X | | | Eastern |
| New Jersey | X | | | Eastern |
| New Mexico | X | | | Western |
| New York | X | | | Eastern |
| North Carolina | X | | | Southeastern |
| North Dakota | X | | | Western |
| Ohio | X | | | Western |
| Oklahoma | X | | | Western |
| Oregon | X | | | Pacific |
| Pennsylvania | X | | | Eastern |
| Rhode Island | X | | | Eastern |
| South Carolina | | | X | Southeastern |
| South Dakota | X | | | Western |
| Tennessee | X | | | Southeastern |
| Texas | X | | | Western |
| Utah | X | | | Pacific |
| Vermont | X | | | Eastern |
| Virginia | X | | | Southeastern |
| Washington | X | | | Pacific |
| West Virginia | X | | | Eastern |
| Wisconsin | X | | | Western |
| Wyoming | | X | | Pacific |
| | 38 | 5 | 8 | Total(s) |
| | 74.5% | 9.8% | 15.7% | Percent(s) |

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*Limited means it's a local decision, or the information is unclear.