# Creativity and Arts Integration LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR EDUCATORS, FAMILIES & COMMUNITIES

### Literacy in the Making: An Adventure in Creativity

*Literacy in the Making* is a virtually delivered, interactive, artsbased program that combines literacy skills, social-emotional skills and making skills. In this TK-12 professional development offering, you will learn how to support your students as they use their "heads, hearts, and hands" to develop mindsets needed to become empowered and confident 21st century learners. The workshop closes with a curriculum design segment where educators create activities to integrate the arts into their classroom instructional practices.



#### Creative Companionship: Designing a Place for Creativity at Home



Many families rely on schools to be a conduit for creativity, but creativity at home is also essential. As parents and caregivers, we know that developing creativity is an essential life skill, but we aren't always sure how to embed this ability in our children's' lives. Creativity is supposed to be a joyful process, yet for many people it becomes the exact opposite. *Creative Companionship* offers handson tips for how to support creativity at home and why it matters. And, hopefully, this session will reignite its joys.

#### Creativity Residencies: Celebrating & Elevating Educators

You are dedicated to building your students' creative skills, but what are you doing to build your own creativity? *Creativity Residencies* is a professional development program for TK-12 educators that is designed to celebrate the work you do and to give you an opportunity to build your creative skills. You'll be immersed in music, theater, visual arts and dance experiences as you rediscover the joy of being creative. You will leave with a renewed sense of well-being. Ultimately, this workshop is an opportunity to celebrate kindness, empathy, self-care and connection through the power of the arts.



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