

Call for Creative Teaching Facilitators

The Arts Collab seeks engaging and creative educators to become Creative Teaching Facilitators! Candidates with several years of formal education experience who have passion for leading other educators in developing their creativity and have flexibility a few times a year to lead sessions at any school in the Greater Birmingham area are especially encouraged to apply. Facilitators will be trained by Arts Collab consultants on Creative Teaching strategies and deliver Creative Teaching professional development to educators across our area on an as-called basis. Several qualified candidates may be selected.

Excellent candidates include:

- Educators with at least 5 years of teaching experience and/or teaching artists with more than 5 years of experience who thoroughly understand the public-school teaching environment and can anticipate teacher needs. Educators of any specialty and grade-level are eligible; candidates do not need to have an arts-specialty and do not currently need to be actively teaching.
- Have a deep passion for creativity-based teaching methodologies and innovating the classroom setting.
- Enjoy supporting and leading other educators in thinking differently about their teaching practice.
- Have flexibility in their schedule to work on an as-called basis a few times a year at any school within Jefferson County, Alabama.
- Are comfortable receiving facilitator training and then delivering material from the training to other teachers.
- Are available on December 11 and 12, 2023 from 9am-5pm to receive Creative Teaching Facilitator training at our office (811 5th Ave N, Birmingham), as well as continued training approximately once per semester up to a few years. Availability for these dates is required for consideration. Please don't apply if you're unavailable on December 11 & 12.

Working Conditions

Contract work per session in a school setting and during school hours or afterschool based on availability. Paid training sessions at \$175 per day plus meals. Leading Professional development compensated at \$350 per day or \$200 per half day. The Arts Collab will contact facilitators as opportunities to lead professional development become available.

Apply

Apply by November 8, 2023 by sending materials to collaborate@birminghamartsed.org. Send 1) no more than a 1-page resume and/or letter detailing qualifications and 2) please note your availability to work during the school day and your availability for the December 11 & 12 training session in your application or intro email. Applicants will be notified by November 17.

Statement on Diversity

The Arts Collab is a multicultural and multi-identity organization. We commit to promoting a world where the multiplicity of individual expression and experiences are uplifted. As an organization, we aim to reflect our communities and to approach that work intentionally.

It is the policy of the Greater Birmingham Arts Education Collaborative not to discriminate on the basis of race, ethnicity, gender identity, religion (creed), sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender expression, age, national origin (ancestry), age, marital status, disability, veteran status, military status (in any of its activities or operations), or any other proscribed category, in its educational programs, activities, or employment policies, as required by local, state, and federal policies and laws. This policy applies to all aspects of employment including selection, compensation, assignment, promotions, discipline, termination, and access to benefits and training.