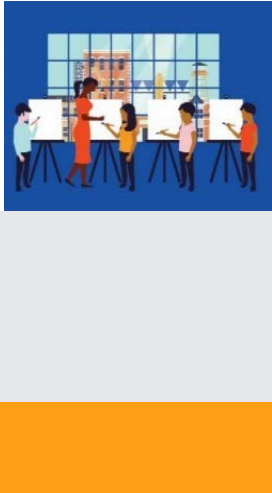




The National Endowment for the Arts is the only funder, public or private, that supports the arts in all **50 States** in the United States.

In the past 5 years... The National Endowment for the Arts distributed more than **\$4,859,000** in grants in **New Mexico**.



In one year alone...

- Arts and cultural production in New Mexico added **3.2%**, or **\$2.9 billion** to the state's economy.
- New Mexico's arts and cultural industries employ **26,605** workers. These workers earn wages and benefits totaling **\$1.5 billion**.
- **33.3%** of New Mexico's adults attended live music, theater, or dance performances, while **23.8%** attended art exhibits.

National Endowment for the Arts Programs from FY16-FY18

The **Blue Star Museums** program provided free admission to thousands of active military personnel and their families at **74 participating museums** in New Mexico.

The **Poetry Out Loud** is a national competition which develops communication skills, presence, and confidence through the study, memorization, and public recitation of poetry. In New Mexico, over **3,210 students** participated from among **34** high schools.

The **Big Read** program generated **15** community events focused on reading outstanding American literature and involving more than **2,070** adults and students in New Mexico.

The **Shakespeare in American Communities** program enabled schools to offer children the opportunity to see free live professional performances of Shakespeare.

The **Creative Forces** program is expanding access to creative arts therapies and arts engagement opportunities for injured service members, veterans, and their families and caregivers.



2019 Agency Calendar of Events

Blue Star Museums: Armed Forces Day (5/18) - Labor Day (9/2)

June Meeting of the National Council on the Arts: 6/19-6/21

National Book Festival: 8/31

National Heritage Fellows Awards & Concert: 9/18-9/20

October Meeting of the National Council on the Arts: 10/24-10/25





NOTEWORTHY

Examples of Schools & Organizations Receiving Past Endowment Support Include:

NM-1

Los Lunas Schools
Coronado Historic Site
New Mexico Wildlife Association
The Partnership with Arts in Medicine
Placitas Artists Series
Bosque School
National Institute of Flamenco
Opera Southwest
Senior Arts Project
Unser Racing Museum
West End Pre
Vortex Theatre
Tricklock Company
Amp Concerts
Albuquerque Health Care for the Homeless

NM-2

Cibola Arts Council
Artisia Arts Council
Lincoln Historic Site
Mimbres Regional Arts Council
Las Cruces Diocese
American Southwest Theatre Company
Deming High School
Onate High School
Silver City Museum
Southwest Symphony
Voz De Nosotros
New Mexico State University
Tres Manos Weaving
Carlsbad Chorale
Rio Grande Prep

NM-3

Santa Fe Pro Musica
Resiliency Alliance
Creative Santa Fe
Parallel Studios
Jemez Historic Site
San Juan College
Music from Angel Fire
Georgia O'Keefe Museum
High Road Artisans
City of Gallup
Coro de Camara
Wholly Rags
Theater Grottesco
Theaterwork
Pueblo of Pojoaque
Santa Fe Desert Chorale
Late Nite Grafix
Las Vegas Arts Council
Outside in Productions

Your State Arts Agency: New Mexico Arts

Director: Jenice Gharib

Phone: 505-827-6490

