

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 **\$15,553,300** in grants in **Georgia**.



Blue Star Museums. Photo by Debra Huskin

In one year alone...

- Arts and cultural production in Georgia added **4.3% or \$24.4 billion** to the state's economy.
- Georgia's arts and cultural industries employed **151,680** workers. These workers earned wages and benefits totaling over **\$11.5 billion**.
- **37.6%** of Georgia's adults attended live music, theater, or dance performances, while **18.1%** attended art exhibits.



### National Endowment for the Arts Programs from FY17-FY19

**Blue Star Museums** program provided free admission to thousands of active military personnel and their families at **115 participating museums** in Georgia.



**Poetry Out Loud** program provided opportunities for over **30,763 students** attending **239 high schools** in Georgia to appreciate—through study, memorization, and public recitation—great poetry.



The **NEA Big Read** program generated **518** community events focused on reading outstanding American literature and involving more than **36,780** adults and students in Georgia.



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



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

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**Projects Funded by the Arts Endowment either Directly or Through its State Arts Agency Partnership Funds Occurred in These and Other Locations**

**GA-01**

*Bull Street Library Coastal Middle School Savannah College of Art and Design*

**GA-02**

*Albany Museum Of Art Georgia Sports Hall of Fame The Columbus Museum*

**GA-03**

*Carroll County Schools Performing Arts Center Franklin Forest Elementary School*

**GA-04**

*Arabia Mountain High School Fox Theatre Inc. Out of Hand Theatre*

**GA-05**

*7 Stages Theatre Agnes Scott College Tall Tales Book Shop*

**GA-06**

*Centennial High School Chattahoochee High School Regal Perimeter Pointe*

**GA-07**

*Academies of Creative Education Aurora Theatre, Inc. Georgia Gwinnett College*

**GA-08**

*Abraham Baldwin Agrcultural College Berrien County Chamber of Commerce Thomasville Center for the Arts*

**GA-09**

*Athfest Inc. Main Street Tocca Piedmont College Chapel*

**GA-10**

*Auburn Public Library Burge Plantation University of Georgia*

**GA-11**

*Barber Middle School Cobb Center Reinhardt College*

**GA-12**

*Augusta University Copeland Elementary School Morris Museum of Art*

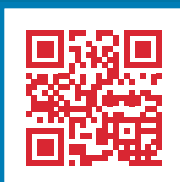
**GA-13**

*Cherry Hollow Farm Factory Shoals Middle School Serenbe Playhouse*

**GA-14**

*Berry College Dalton State College Rome Shakespeare Festival*

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