

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 **\$4,235,100** in grants in Idaho.



Blue Star Museums. Photo by Debra Huskin

In one year alone...

- Arts and cultural production in Idaho added **2.8%** or **\$2 billion** to the state's economy.
- Idaho's arts and cultural industries employed **20,790** workers. These workers earned wages and benefits totaling over **\$1.1 billion**.
- **58.2%** of Idaho's adults attended live music, theater, or dance performances, while **36.9%** 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 **14 participating museums** in Idaho.



Poetry Out Loud program provided opportunities for an average of **2,587 students** attending **25 high schools** in Idaho to appreciate—through study, memorization, and public recitation—great poetry.



The **NEA Big Read** program generated **44** community events focused on reading outstanding American literature and involving more than **1,500** adults and students in Idaho.



Shakespeare in American Communities program in Idaho 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

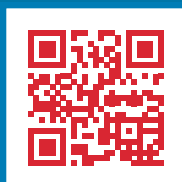
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- Alpine Playhouse*
- Big Tree Arts*
- Caldwell High School*
- Eagle Academy*
- Fruitland High School*
- Grangeville Centennial Library*
- Hispanic Cultural Center Of Idaho, Inc.*
- Idaho Shakespeare Festival*
- Jefferson Middle School*
- Kenworthy Performing Arts Centre*

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- American Heritage Charter School*
- Art Museum Of Eastern Idaho*
- Boise Contemporary Theater*
- Campfire Theatre Festival*
- College Of Southern Idaho/Arts On Tour*
- Entelchy Theatre*
- Hansen Community Library*
- Historic Opera Theatre*
- Idaho Art Lab*
- Sun Valley Center for the Arts*

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