

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 \$7,656,920 in grants in New Hampshire.



PC Ryan P. DeWolfe works with Danielle Vetro Kalseth, Music Therapist, HJF, in support of Creative Forces at Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson (JBER) in Anchorage, Alaska. Army photo/John Pennell

In one year alone...

- Arts and cultural production in New Hampshire added **3.1% or \$3.5 billion** to the state's economy.
- New Hampshire's arts and cultural industries employed **22,986** workers. These workers earned wages and benefits totaling **\$1.8 billion**.
- **30.8%** of New Hampshire's adults attended live music, theater, or dance performances, while **22.8%** attended art exhibits.

National Endowment for the Arts Programs



The **Blue Star Museums** program provided free admission to thousands of active military personnel and their families at **54 participating museums** in New Hampshire.



More than **7,558 students** from **128 high schools** in New Hampshire participated in **Poetry Out Loud**.



The **NEA Big Read** program generated community events focused on reading outstanding American literature and involving more than **2,822** adults and students in New Hampshire.



Creative Forces brings creative arts therapies to military personnel and veterans who are experiencing post-traumatic stress, mild traumatic brain injury, and related psychological illnesses. The program also offers community arts programming to improve the well-being and resilience of all military-connected people.

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Various Locations of Arts Endowment-Supported Projects

NH-01

BEDFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY
CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
COCHECO ACADEMY OF THE ARTS
COLBY-SAWYER COLLEGE
CONWAY PUBLIC LIBRARY
CORNERSTONE HAMPTON
CURRIER MUSEUM OF ART
DERRY OPERA HOUSE
DOVER HIGH SCHOOL
DOVER PUBLIC LIBRARY
EXETER CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
GALE LIBRARY
GILFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY- GILFORD COMMUNITY CENTER
GOFFSTOWN HIGH SCHOOL
HAMPTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
HILLSIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL
LACONIA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY
LACONIA HIGH SCHOOL
M&T BANK PARKING LOT
MEREDITH LIBRARY
NEW HAMPSHIRE BOAT MUSEUM
NEWMARKET HIGH SCHOOL
PORTSMOUTH HISTORICAL SOCIETY
PORTSMOUTH PUBLIC LIBRARY
SEACOAST LEARNING COLLABORATIVE
THE MUSIC HALL
WATER STREET BOOKSTORE

NH-02

ARTS ALIVE OFFICE
BISHOP GUERTIN HIGH SCHOOL
BOW HIGH SCHOOL
CHICHESTER FIRE STATION
CHICHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY
CHURCH OF CHRIST AT DARTMOUTH
COLLEGE CLAREMONT OPERA HOUSE
CONANT HIGH SCHOOL
CONCORD REGIONAL TECH CENTER
CONTOOCOOK FARMERS' MARKET
CONTOOCOOK RAILROAD MUSEUM
CONVAL REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
FRANCESTOWN TOWN HALL
FRANKLIN HIGH SCHOOL
GIBSON'S BOOKSTORE INC.
GOLDEN BROOK SCHOOL
HANOVER HIGH SCHOOL
HARVEST HILL
JAFFREY MEETINGHOUSE
JAFFREY PUBLIC LIBRARY
LIN-WOOD SCHOOL
MCAULIFFE-SHEPARD DISCOVERY CENTER
NEW ENGLAND CLASSICAL ACADEMY NEW
HAMPSHIRE HISTORICAL SOCIETY
PITTSFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
REDFERN CENTER FOR THE ARTS
THE ACADEMY FOR SCIENCE AND DESIGN
TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
WHIPPLE FREE LIBRARY

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**New Hampshire State Council on
the Arts**

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