

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 **\$106,596,547** in grants in **New York**.



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 York added **7.6% or \$164.7 billion** to the state's economy.
- New York's arts and cultural industries employed **482,543** workers. These workers earned wages and benefits totaling **\$66.1 billion**.
- **26.7%** of New York's adults attended live music, theater, or dance performances, while **13.9%** 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 **270 participating museums** in New York.



More than **8,270 students** from **187 high schools** in New York participated in **Poetry Out Loud**.



The **NEA Big Read** program generated community events focused on reading outstanding American literature and involving more than **29,573** adults and students in New York.



The **Shakespeare in American Communities** program in New York enabled schools to offer **15,108** children the opportunity to see live professional performances of Shakespeare, or to engage in educational programs.



**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

<b>NY-01</b> BRIDGEHAMPTON SCHOOL FREEDOM FORUM: TERROR FIRMA, QUAIL HILL FARM	<b>NY-10</b> MUSEUM AT ELDRIDGE STREET SMACK MELLON GALLERY	<b>NY-19</b> ANCRAM OPERA HOUSE RONDOUT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY
<b>NY-02</b> SUFFOLK COMMUNITY COLLEGE WALTER G. O'CONNELL COPIAGUE HIGH SCHOOL	<b>NY-11</b> CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH FABER PARK	<b>NY-20</b> PALACE THEATRE RCS COMMUNITY LIBRARY
<b>NY-03</b> HERRICKS HIGH SCHOOL PLANTING FIELDS FOUNDATION	<b>NY-12</b> ARS NOVA LEAGUE OF AMERICAN ORCHESTRAS HEADQUARTERS	<b>NY-21</b> HISTORIC SARANAC LAKE IROQUOIS INDIAN MUSEUM
<b>NY-04</b> HENRY WALDINGER MEMORIAL LIBRARY HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY BOOKSTORE	<b>NY-13</b> MAYSLES CINEMA THE DIRECTORATE OF DOMINICAN CULTURE ABROAD	<b>NY-22</b> BARROW GALLERY ONONDAGA HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION
<b>NY-05</b> ARVERNE CINEMA RUFUS KING PARK	<b>NY-14</b> BRONXARTSPACE FANNIE LOU HAMER MIDDLE SCHOOL	<b>NY-23</b> ELMIRA COLLEGE UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP HAZELTINE PUBLIC LIBRARY
<b>NY-06</b> BUKHARIAN JEWISH CENTER FLUSHING, QUEENS	<b>NY-15</b> BRONX ACADEMY OF HEALTH CAREERS NEW SETTLEMENT COMMUNITY CENTER	<b>NY-24</b> BYRON -BERGEN HIGH SCHOOL
<b>NY-07</b> PRATT CENTER FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ST. RAFAEL CHURCH	<b>NY-16</b> BRONX HEALTH SCIENCES HIGH SCHOOL IONA COLLEGE	<b>NY-25</b> BLACKFRIARS THEATRE CHURCHVILLE-CHILI SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
<b>NY-08</b> BAILEY'S CAFÉ GREENLIGHT BOOKSTORE	<b>NY-17</b> CARAMOOR MUSEUM SHOP TACONIC CORRECTIONAL FACILITY	<b>NY-26</b> BUFFALO HISTORY MUSEUM COMMUNITY MUSIC SCHOOL OF BUFFALO
<b>NY-09</b> BROOKLYN MUSEUM L. CLEVELAND EDWARD CHILDREN'S CENTER	<b>NY-18</b> CENTER FOR PHOTOGRAPHY AT WOODSTOCK UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP	

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