

NEW YORK STATE ART TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

Approved provider of Continuing Teacher and Leader Education professional development (CTLE)

ART TEACHERS

ART AND EMPOWERMENT
finding voices and speaking out

This professional development day for art teachers, an event sponsored by the New York State Art Teacher's Association in partnership with ArtsWestchester, will take place at the ArtsW building in White Plains. In addition to providing excellent workshop facilities, the ArtsW's gallery exhibition "Give Us the Vote" resonates with the theme of empowerment through art.

The day offers 6 hours of professional development for art teachers with workshops and presentations will explore the notion of art making and social consciousness. Participants will share strategies for encouraging students to engage in purposeful, meaningful, and socially responsible thinking in the art classroom. Contemporary art making engages in lively commentary with cultural currents, and art teachers are increasingly designing curricula that encourage students to engage with social issues as they form their artistic sensibilities.

Equality and inequality of all kinds, class distinctions, wealth disparity, racial prejudice, opposi political forces, are current issues that force their way - or ought to force their way - into our dialog and instruction with students. How do we balance objectivity with the clarion call of the artist's voice? How do we make our student's aware of issues that deepen our respect and support of one another?

A related Collegial Circle book discussion series will explore "What's So Great About Art Anyway" (Branham, Rachel. New York: Teachers College Press, 2016) and meets for three 3-hour sessions on Friday afternoons at Purchase College. Register separately at www.nysata7.com

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31 MAMARONECK AVE.
WHITE PLAINS, NY
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2017
8 AM - 4 PM

8:00 – 9:00
9:00 – 9:45
10:00 – 12:00
12:00 – 1:00
1:00 – 4:00

Registration, Check-in & Continental Breakfast (Gallery Space)
Introductions and Keynote Presentation (Gallery Space)
Workshops (Classrooms on 8th, 9th floor and Gallery Space)
Lunch on your own
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REGISTER AND PAY BEFORE OCTOBER 10th

1. Make check payable to NYSATA Region 7
2. Mail payment to Christine Attlesey, 14 Parkwood Blvd. Poughkeepsie, NY 12603
 - Please include "POWER" in the memo portion of the check
 - To confirm payment - email attlestine@gmail.com before OCTOBER 15TH
 - Do **not** mail checks after OCTOBER 10th – PAY AT THE DOOR

NYSATA MEMBERS	\$60.
NON-MEMBERS	\$75. (for membership info visit nysata.org)
ALL DOOR REGISTRATIONS	\$85.
FULL-TIME STUDENTS	\$20. (send proof of FT status with payment)
	Fee includes continental breakfast.

For the full schedule and the latest information go to www.nysata7.com



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