



Bringing It All Together:

Charting a clear course for arts education in Arizona





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**It's been a
long day.
Let's see
where we
are...**





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Who We Are





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- Non-profit organization
- Work to restore and sustain instrumental music programs in our nation's public schools





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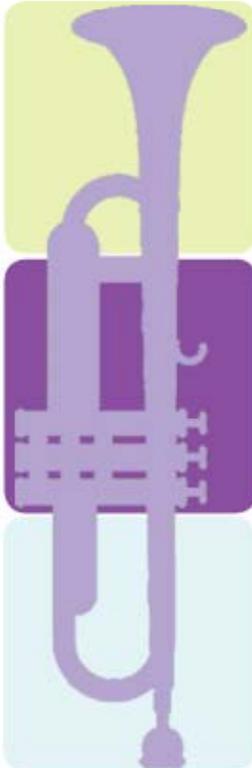
- Grant of \$30K worth of new musical instruments
- School must:
 - Hire a certified music instructor
 - Teach music during the school day
 - Provide space for instruction
 - Maintain instruments
 - Reply to annual progress report and be available for site visits
- Purchase high quality student instruments from local music retailer
- We retain the right to remove the instruments from the school should any of the above requirements go unmet





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VH1 Save The Music Foundation

1,700 Schools

100+ Communities

\$45M Worth of New Musical Instruments

More than 1.4 Million Children



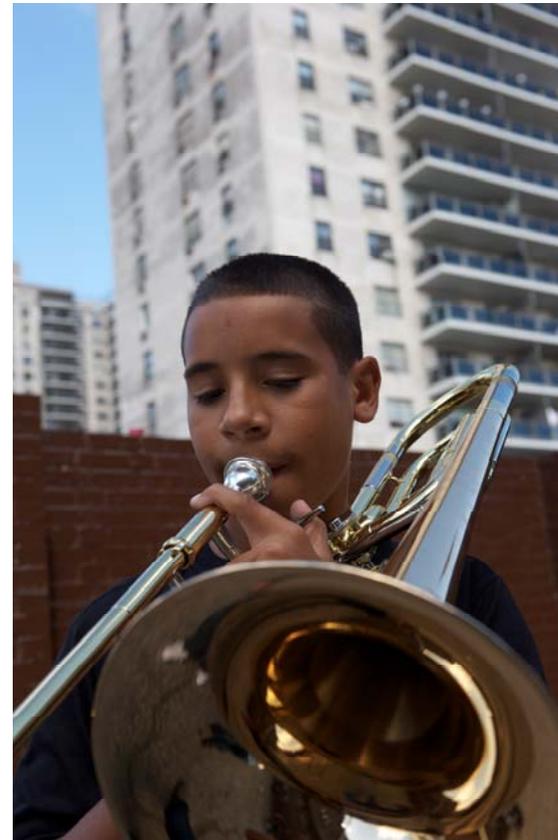


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Where to begin?





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Where you are!





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Take a survey of your current resources

Schools: Look at the Macro AND the Micro

- How many elementary, middle, high schools within your area?
- What do each of those schools currently offer?
- What staffing currently exists?
- What physical space resources are allotted?
- What equipment exists and in what is its condition?
- Don't forget about feeder patterns





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Take a survey of your current resources Community

- What arts organizations/institutions currently exist?
- What do each of those organizations currently offer?
- What staffing currently exists?
- What is their capacity for adding programming?



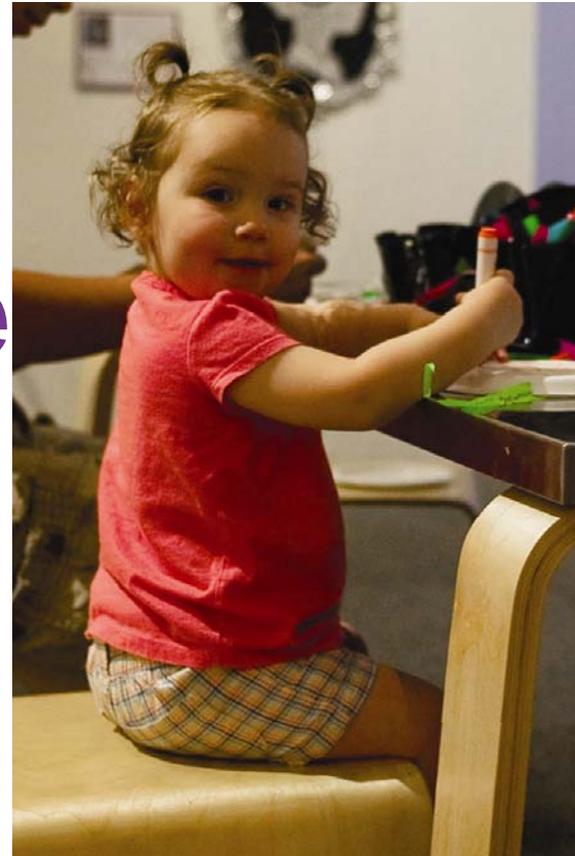


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Who are the players?





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Bring together ALL of the players

Arrange a series of meetings to outline

- What currently exists
- What do we envision as the ideal arts education for our children in this community?
- What are we currently lacking in providing that ideal education?
- What can each entity at the table provide to further our goals?
- What outside organizations can help provide the rest?





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The KEY is to have ALL of the players present when the vision is created.

EVERYONE must buy into the same vision and see their role in it.





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**Take what we
have done here
today back to
your community
and be the
catalyst for
change.**





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