



I Am An Artist. Audition Call for Youth Voiceover Talent

What: VO for Fund for the Arts campaign video

Who: Children ages 8 - 11 years old

Where/When: TBD - 1 hour recording session (Late Oct/Early Nov)

Background: The Fund for the Arts **I Am An Artist.** campaign seeks to empower every person to see themselves as an artist, to embrace the art that we create and consume every day, and to know that we belong in a robust artistic community, a City of Artists! This video will highlight the voices of children as they share their enthusiasm for making art and explore why it's valuable to their self-expression and identity.

Talent Request: We are seeking children with innate playfulness and vibrancy to record scripted voiceover content and to also have improvised conversations on the subject of art and what it means to them. Thoughtful and talkative, the ideal participant will be excited to engage and listen. Being able to follow directions and prompts is helpful. :) Joy for art is welcome!

Submission Guidelines:

- **Part 1: Record audio or video of child reading/performing the included script in their natural voice.**
- **Part 2: Grown-ups, please ask the child a few of the included questions/prompts.**

(Note: Submissions don't need to be polished/edited down. Multiple "raw" takes are fine.)

Email audio or video files to: Lucy@KertisCreative.com.

Please include: Child's full name and age
Parent/Guardian full name, relationship to child,
and contact information (phone and email)

Deadline for Submissions: Monday, Oct 17th, 2022

Selected participants will be compensated for the recording session.

Please email us if you would like to submit but need technical help!

Send questions to Lucy@KertisCreative.com



PART 1 SCRIPT:

What is art...let me think...

Art means a really beautiful way of letting out your feelings.

There's no rules in art.

There's no such thing as wrong.

If you make a mistake, it'll probably make it better anyway!

Is it ok if it's funny?

Like really, really funny?

Or if I was angry I could do crazy art and use colors like red and orange to show I'm mad, maybe with squiggly, sharp lines.

It's music and acting, watercolors, sculpting, dance...carving is a type of art.

Sometimes I don't wanna share it...

But other times, I want to shout it!

It's beautiful when you're actually working together.

Or by yourself!

It's how you can turn anything into a toy

Or anything into a story.

Without art, Earth wouldn't be as fun. And you wouldn't feel as smart.

it's all of the things I like, and a lot of the things I like to do.

What about you? Do you like art?

I'm an artist. And so are you!



PART 2 PROMPTS: (Grown-ups, please spend a minute having a chat with the child using these prompts or your own questions about their interest in art. No need to rehearse answers. We just want to get a sense of their natural personality and conversational voice - and their real thoughts!!!)

- How would you describe what art is? (Like maybe, if you were explaining it to an alien.)
- What types of art do you like to make? (drawing, dancing, acting, music, etc). List them all!
- What's your favorite thing about making art? Why?
- Do you get excited to share a painting, a dance, a creation...with someone else? Why?
- Do you ever get nervous about sharing something? Why?
- Repeat and finish this statement: "A world without art would feel_____"