



2024 - 2025 E4C ARTSTART



Program History, Purpose & Objectives, Delivery, Stats, and Summer 2024

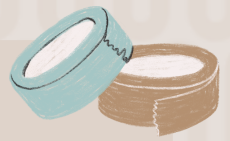
PROGRAM HISTORY



e4c has operated ArtStart since 2002

Originally operated out of e4c Nutrition & Community Programs Division and e4c School Based Programs Division

Currently operating under e4c Head Start and Early Learning Services



PROGRAM PURPOSE & OBJECTIVES

To act as a universal primary prevention program supporting children's healthy social emotional development.

To help children and youth build protective factors, resiliency, and be confident, contributing members of inclusive communities.

To accomplish these goals through the provision of high-quality, art based after-school programming.

PROGRAM DELIVERY

ArtStart is a 8 week 1.5 hour free after-school program with 10-15 students

- Themes:
 - Self
 - Self & Others
 - Self & Community
- Art Mediums:
 - Visual Arts
 - Drama
 - Creative Writing
 - Body Movement
- Topics
 - Identity
 - Self-esteem
 - Body Image
 - Healthy Relationships
 - Respect & Kindness
 - Cultural Diversity
 - Social Justice
 - Community Building



ARTSTART SUMMER STATS

e4c partnered with BGCBIGS July & August 2024 to run ArtStart in OST and Club Camps

FRIENDS

22 % had 3-4 Friends at ArtStart
58% had 5+ Friends at ArtStart

TRUSTED ADULTS

24 % felt they could trust 1-2 adults at ArtStart
70% felt they could trust 3-4 adults at ArtStart

ENJOYED ARTSTART

67 % said ArtStart was Excellent / Very Good
28% Said ArtStart was Good / Satisfactory

SUMMER 2024



BGCBIGS CAMPS

337 Drop-in BGCBIGS Summer Camp participants



BGCBIGS CAMPS

4 OST Camps - 4 Days/week
8 Club Camps - 2 Days/Club



ARTSTART SUMMER CAMP

14 Participants
2 Volunteers
2 Weeks of Camp



ARTSTART IS FOR EVERYONE!

Early Learning & Head Start, Elementary, Middle School, and High School