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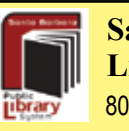
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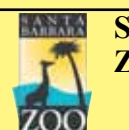
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This Month's Theme: What is an Artist?

When we think about museums and galleries we often think about the art, but not so much about the artists who do the work. Artists are people who create art. However, art is so much more than just paintings on a wall! Dancers are artists. Musicians are

artists. Sculptors are artists. Actors are artists. Think about all the artists that help create the TV show you are watching (writers, directors, designers); the music you are listening to (sound editors, song writers, singers); or the exhibition you are viewing (curators, installers, artists).



What Do Artists Use?

Find these artist materials in the word search below!

brushes camera clay comedy computer
fabric journal light make-up metal
paint plastic plywood script sound
stage stone video wood words

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Glossary of Art Terms

- Actor:** The person playing a role on stage.
- Audition:** A chance for performers to show their talent.
- Audience:** A group that reacts and responds to a performance or exhibition.
- Cast:** The group of actors who play characters in a performance.
- Catalog:** A book or brochure about an exhibition. Catalogs include essays and images that explain an artist's personal history with art, influences, and ideas.
- Curator:** A person who chooses art and artists to be in an exhibition, often around a common theme, medium, process, or interest.
- Didactic/Label:** The text placed on the wall or near an artwork that provides the artist name, title, date, media, and information about the artists ideas and influences to make the work.
- Exhibition:** A display of art, usually themed around an artist, historical or social issue, time period, art movement, or style.
- Installer/Preparator:** A person who installs and supervises installation of works of art for an exhibition. Installers are trained in handling, packing, storing, and mounting art works, as well as construction in order to prepare a gallery space for an exhibition.
- Plot:** The sequence of events in a play, usually including rising action, a climax and a resolution.
- Role:** A part, or character, that an actor plays in a performance.
- Set:** The physical environment in which the actors perform.
- Media/Medium:** the materials that an artist uses to make his or her work, such as: paint, clay, camera or music. A performer's media are body, voice, mind, and spirit.

Word Jumble

Can you unscramble these art terms?
Answers are below.

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Word Jumble Answers:

music, gallery, artist, medium, improvisation
audition, exhibit, audience

Theater and Gallery Etiquette

- Arrive on time to performances, tours, or exhibitions.
- Be quiet during performances; actors can hear you, too.
- When in a gallery, it is acceptable and appropriate to talk, but keep your volume to a level that does not disturb others.
- Turn off all cell phones and electronic devices.
- Do not take photos or video during a performance.
- Do not touch art work unless there are directions to do so.
- No food or drink in theaters or galleries.
- Remain in your seat during performances.
- Laugh and applaud when appropriate.



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