

YOUNG AUDIENCES | NATIONAL RESIDENCY TEACHING ARTIST CREDENTIAL

This national credential articulates what effective, high quality teaching artistry looks like in K-12 school-based residencies, and formally endorses at a national level exceptional teaching artists who embody excellence in four competency areas: Artistry, Planning & Preparation, Instruction, and Community. The National Residency Teaching Artist Credential is unique in its kind across the country's arts education landscape, and marks a significant contribution to the field by Young Audiences affiliates and teaching artists.

Without highly-skilled teaching artists, Young Audiences could not fulfill its mission to 'inspire young people and expand their learning through the arts.' The National Residency Teaching Artist Credential represents an effort to professionalize the field of teaching artistry and acknowledge the deep experience and exceptional talent required to implement quality arts learning experiences for our youth.

-David A. Dik, National Executive Director of Young Audiences