

Task Force on Creativity Arts and Cultural Education  
Work Group 1 Early Childhood  
May 7 Meeting Notes  
Transcribed From Flip Chart

Insights

- Lack of arts presence
  - even at Cass – military dominant
- Separate vs. Integrated arts learning?
- Role Assessment
- How can arts learning be assessed?
  - How can there be parity without?
- ?? Continuity of committee ??

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- Who is responsible?
  - school/ independent organizations
- Models exist but duplication/ funding challenges
  - Wolf Trap, Sphinx, Detroit Public TV
- Disconnect between organizations/ agencies/ state

Major Points –

- Establish Common Standards
- Consistent Curriculum
- Teacher Preparation
- Common Language for art disciplines
- Meaning/ Relevance to youth
- Family/ Community role in arts learning