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Q1 Name

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Q3 Want us to tag you on social media? Please share your @

Respondent skipped this question

Q4 Which of these arts did you have as part of your own K-12 education?

Media Arts,
Music,
Theatre,
Visual Arts

Q5 How did learning in the arts impact your education and life after high school?

Broadened my perspective. Our entire elementary school did field trips every month to the Pittsburgh symphony where they talked to us, and played for us

Q6 How would you describe the current status of arts education for Elementary students in your district? (The arts are a core subject in our state definition of basic education and in federal law.)

Dance	Available
Media Arts	Robust
Music	Robust
Theatre	Robust
Visual Arts	Robust

Q7 How would you describe the current status of arts education for Middle School students in your district?

Dance	Available
Media Arts	Available
Music	Robust
Theatre	Available
Visual Arts	Robust

Q8 How would you describe the current status of arts education for High School students in your district? (Two arts credits are required for graduation.)

Dance	Robust
Media Arts	Available
Music	Robust
Theatre	Robust
Visual Arts	Robust

Q9 Research has shown that arts education increases student engagement, helps close opportunity gaps, and reduces dropout rates, yet a recent study in King County shows that race and income are barriers to access to the arts. How do you see yourself addressing fair access in your district?

We offer free or reduced costs for instruments, uniforms, field trips, etc.

Q10 If elected, which of these strategies would you consider to support arts education in your district?

Work for a budget to financially support arts instruction at all schools

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Support professional development for classroom teachers

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Develop or update a district level arts plan.

Support arts inclusion professional development opportunities

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Develop or expand district support for teaching artist residencies

Q11 If elected, would you like Arts, Culture & Education updates from ArtsEd Washington?

Yes
