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OPENING MINDS
THROUGH THE
ARTS

Arts transform ordinary existence into meaningful, purposeful, consummate life. Arts connect body, mind, and spirit, enabling humans to realize who they truly are and how each life is a part of the web of humanity and nature. Arts transcend the literal to poetic realization of the ordinary in music, visual art, drama, dance and spoken or written word. Arts capture the wonder of a child contemplating a dewdrop, a worm or spider web. Arts awaken human spirit deadened by abuse either personal or global. Arts encourage creative thinking and problem solving, either personal or corporate. Arts transform ordinary learning into vivid life experiences embedded into to the whole awareness of a learner.

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