

# How to be an AENJ ARTS ADVOCATE



**Love kids. Love art. Love teaching kids art!.**

Be Proactive. Make friends with your fellow teachers. Be colorful. Promote the arts in everything you do. Be Generous. Get involved. Open your heart.

Display your children's art work wherever and whenever you can. Display artwork with student narratives. Make snowmen outside and paint with watercolors. Go the extra mile.. Develop and share great lesson plans. Fight for your place in the Curriculum. Put on lots of shows. Play beautiful music. Learn the art of winging it...Murphy's law loves the art room. Only teach lessons you would enjoy doing yourself. Talk up the arts whenever you can, and then some.

**Support Youth Art Month.**

**Join AENJ and Get Involved.**

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