VIEWING QUESTIONS: ASPEN HIGHLIGHTS VIDEO

Videos often can be used to spark discussion. For training purposes, we are making copies of the video available for you both with questions embedded within the presentation and with other suggestions for follow-up questions to consider. If you are working with a group, you can stop the video when the questions appear, discuss them and then resume watching the video.

Click here to see the video:
http://naeaworkspace.org/aspen_video-finals/video/b_aspen_summit.html

Focus Questions During Viewing (These questions appear in the video at points where it is appropriate to pause to discuss them.)

• How are people unleashing the power of the arts in your community?
• What are some effective ways to work with business to promote the arts?
• Why are fewer schools offering instruction in the arts?
• How do we work with business to reverse this trend?
• What do we need to do as educators to meet the needs of the whole child?
• What would it take for every child in your community to learn how to select, construct, edit and present visual images?

Additional Questions for Follow-Up Discussion

• How can every child benefit from strong arts instruction? How do we make that case most effectively?
• What makes the visual arts distinctive?
• What is excellent instruction in the arts? What do we have to do for America’s children to secure public support? And, how do we go about promoting those things as a field?