

AWARDS

THE NAEA, COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN (CEC) BEVERLY LEVETT GERBER SPECIAL NEEDS LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

This award recognizes an NAEA/SNAE member whose lifetime career has made a unique and lasting impact on art education for students with special needs. It recognizes a career of outstanding achievement, service, and commitment to art education's important role in the lives of people with special needs.

Eligibility: Active NAEA/SNAE members who have brought distinction to the field of special needs art education through an exceptional and continuous record of achievement which has significantly impacted students with special needs.

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PETER GEISSER SPECIAL NEEDS ART EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR

This award recognizes an NAEA member for outstanding achievement, service and leadership in providing exemplary art education to students with special needs. Further, this award recognizes the recipients' commitment to art education's important role in the lives of people with special needs, mentoring their art accomplishments in the school and community.

Eligibility: Active NAEA members who have brought distinction to the field of special needs art education through an exceptional and continuous record of achievement which has impacted significantly to students with disabilities and special needs. Current SNAE officers may not be nominated.

For information on the submission of nominations go to the NAEA website:
<http://www.artducators.org/grants/naea-awards>

SPECIAL NEEDS IN ART EDUCATION SNAE

<http://specialneedsart.weebly.com>



Special Needs in Art Education (SNAE) was established in 2001 as a special issues group in the National Art Education Association (NAEA).

Our purpose is to promote art education for learners with special needs through professional development, educational collaboration, advancement of knowledge and leadership.

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The population of students with special needs includes students with intellectual disabilities, emotional and/or behavior disorders, physical disabilities, vision, and hearing limitations.

We work to:

Provide a voice for art educators and museum educators with special education concerns;

Become a liaison with professional organizations (e.g. The Council for Exceptional Children, The American Art Therapy Association, VSA, The International Arts Program for student with disabilities) in order to share information and training expertise;

Interface with the professions of art therapy, occupational therapy, and physical therapy to share information about adaptive equipment, research, and strategies for teaching art to students with special needs;

Develop a web-site, which provides information about organizations, agencies, references, and resources that focus on the arts for students with special needs;

Provide a forum to share the best practices of art educators with students with special needs;

Develop a network of NAEA members, art therapists, and special education teachers who teach with and through the arts.

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