

# CREATE



The dynamic **Create Team** includes Arts Office Staff and 4 premier arts partner organizations.

**Borough Arts Directors** will serve as your main point of contact by checking-in to discuss the success and effectiveness of the program.

**Citywide Directors** will serve as the main point of contact for our partner organizations, advising on curriculum development.

**The Create Model** involves the following each semester!

- **1 Live Professional Learning Kick-off Session**
- **4 In-person Coaching Residencies**
- **1 Live Share Fair**

**For more information about Create, please contact:**

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**In partnership with the Fund for Public Schools and the Arts Office, Create provides high-quality professional development to early childhood teachers in the arts!**

**Create aims to empower and equip teaching teams with the skills to:**

- implement arts learning in their professional practice and daily pedagogy.
- make connections in the arts with their everyday life.
- spark interest in the arts for early learners (3-K and Pre-K).

**Over the course of two years:**

- 3-K and Pre-K teaching teams will spend one semester on each art form.
- Each semester will begin with a professional learning session followed by a coaching residency.
- Expert teaching artists will directly coach and mentor teaching teams in the arts with 4 coaching residency visits.
- The semester will culminate in a second professional learning session or Share Fair.

**As a result of Create professional learning, Pre-K and 3K teachers:**

- Participate in high quality arts practices with expert teaching artists from **92<sup>nd</sup> Street Y, New Victory Theater, Third Street Music School, and Studio in a School.**
- Engage in peer exchange, reflection, and collaboration for best practices in the arts and experiential learning.