



Virginia Art Education Association

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Re-Imagining our Role- Adaptation and Inspiration

Greetings Virginia Art Educators,

We are facing unusual times as educators and as a country. My hope is that you are all staying well and safe at home. As educators we are preparing to teach virtually and at a distance. I am working with the VDOE to discuss strategies and guidelines for our continued learning. The daunting task of re-imagining ways to engage students virtually or from home is on our minds. My hope is together we can gather resources, strategies and ideas for continued learning from home on our website and in our FB Member Forum. If you have suggestions please share those in our forum.

I want to share with you how inspiring our educators around the state have been over the last two weeks in our quickly changing daily reality. Members are delivering materials, creating new content, adapting virtual methods and even taking to the streets in car parades to engage students...and so much more. The hearts of our educators are overflowing with love for our subject and our students. You are all inspiring, we are in this together and I am looking forward to the day we can all gather together again to celebrate the uplifting power of the arts.

Stay safe, stay home and connect with other members on our social media platforms.

Thinking of you all.

Holly Bess Kincaid