



## Your Funding Helps MPA . . .

**Meet** the ever-increasing demand by schools for our innovative ArtReach school tour program. Elementary students in Fairfax County Public Schools receive on average only one hour per week of art instruction. MPA's ArtReach program provides



much needed enrichment for area students by offering a tour of the exhibit and a related hands on art activity.

**Subsidize** bus transportation to our galleries for MPA's ArtReach program for those elementary schools designated by the county as at-risk. For many of these children, this field trip to MPA is their first visit to any museum or art gallery.

**Fund** the costs for managing our new art classes for pre-school children. This program is so popular that we have waiting lists for most session.

**Support** new art programs for special education middle and high school students who do not receive art as part of their curriculum.

**Present** fifteen to twenty free, professionally curated exhibitions in MPA's three galleries in the McLean Community Center, including traveling exhibitions in cooperation with MPA's partner, the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts.

**Offer** more than 150 studio art classes for adults and children, many taught in partnership with Corcoran College of Art+Design.

**Conduct** tours to Washington, DC area museums for exhibits with lectures, refreshments and bus transportation, which are very popular with senior citizens.

**Schedule** Family Art Workshops providing the opportunity for parents and children to learn about and create art together.



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