

# Residency Checklist



## **Before the Residency:**

- Prepare your students for the fact that a professional artist will be visiting the classroom. Give them an overview of what the artist will be doing with the students.
  - Give artist a copy of your schedule and classroom locations. Share final residency schedule with all involved parties, including front office.
  - Have materials ready. Make necessary copies and make sure your classroom is ready.

## **During the Residency:**

- BE PRESENT IN YOUR CLASSROOM AT ALL TIMES. As the legal responsible party, classroom management is primarily the responsibility of the teacher.
  - Lend support to the artist in his/her leadership role.
  - Compromise. There may be stylistic differences between your management system and the artist's desire to let the creative process unfold.
  - Participate as an active learner, as well as co-instructor.

## **After the Residency:**

- Promote your good work! Collect evidence of learning and share with your school and parents.