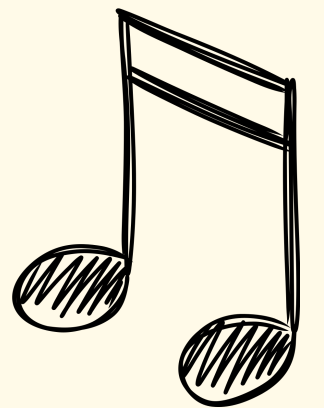




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DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS



About DCA

The City of Los Angeles Department of Cultural Affairs (DCA) strengthens communities through arts, culture, and creativity. We support neighborhood arts centers, performance venues, public art, and partnerships that bring the arts into every corner of Los Angeles.

Cultural Centers & Performing Arts Venues

<https://culture.lacity.gov/performing-arts>

<https://culture.lacity.gov/cultural-centers>

DCA operates Cultural Centers offering exhibitions, classes, and community programs.

Performing Arts Theaters (PERF) host performances, concerts, and cultural events.

Together, these spaces connect neighborhoods to creative opportunities.

Grants Administration Division

- DCA advances the social and economic impact of arts through grant-making and partnerships.
- Grant opportunities include support for individual artists and nonprofit organizations.



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Mural Registration Program

Preserving LA's Visual Legacy

- The Mural Registration Program protects artworks under the City's Mural Ordinance.
- Supports muralists and celebrates Los Angeles as the "Mural Capital of the World."
- Encourages recognition of public art as a cultural resource.



Artists work opportunities



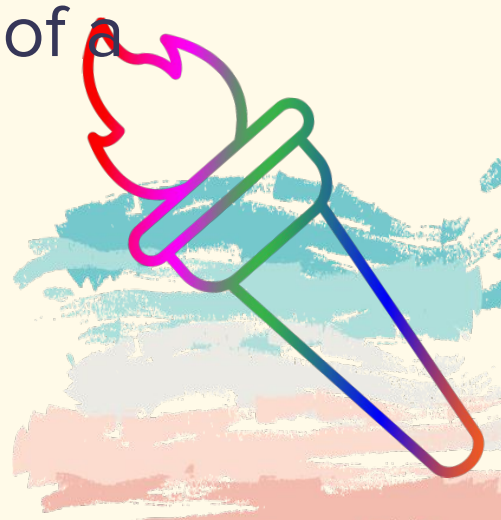
- DCA regularly announces Calls for Artists for exhibitions, public art projects, and community-based initiatives.
- Opportunities are open to emerging and established artists.



Cultural Olympiad 2028

As Los Angeles prepares to host the Olympic & Paralympic Games in 2028, DCA is inviting artists, cultural workers, and organizations to participate.

- Showcase LA's diversity through art, music, and culture
- Opportunities for local artists to be part of a global stage
- Sign up today!



Join Us for our Interactive Activity

- Share a story that represents your neighborhood
- Draw inspiration: photos, murals, traditions, festivals, poetry, or public art
- Use paper + colorful markers to create a visual story concept
- Record a short 5–15 second video with DCA's Outreach Team
- Videos will be shared on DCA's social media.



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STORY PROJECT**