



WHY ARTS EDUCATION?

Arts Education empowers and enables students to reach their highest potential and become leaders in their communities.

GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE

"My favorite class at Main Street, World Dance, shed some light onto the ways in which dance has influenced various cultures and religions that are spread throughout the world and, more importantly, turned my love for dance into more than a hobby."

Laura Mogilevsky '08 Anthropology Major, Knox College // Galesburg, IL



"MSSPA widened my cultural and artistic horizons. I have found that Music is often more of a common language than English or Chinese or even body language. It bridges the gap between me and the children and helps us connect on a whole new level."

Rebecca Wilder '07 Founder, Hope Station Orphanage // Chengdu, China

CREATIVITY

"MSSPA is an environment of people who want to watch you grow, who accept you for what you love, and want to see you get better at it. It is a tight-knit community of both misfits and geniuses and I am proud to have graduated from such a special little place."

Spencer Levin '15 Professional Actor // Los Angeles, CA

ACCOUNTABILITY & FOCUS



"Main Street was so incredibly formative in teaching me to work hard, think outside the box, and advocate for myself. I can't imagine doing the things I have done without my training and experience at MSSPA."

John Mark Hostetler '08 Choreographer & Educator // Minneapolis, MN

PERSERVERANCE

"I was pushed to do things that I never thought I could do and was given honest feedback."

James Ellington '08 DJ & Founder NYC Artist Collective // New York, NY



"MSSPA taught me the more you put into something, the more you get out of it. To create something consistently every single day, bad or good, because the more you create, the more you'll learn."

Paige Klone '07 Producer's Assistant // Los Angeles, CA