

**TITLE:** Lead Teaching Artist

Contract

3-6 hours/week: Schedule and hours vary by program.

**SUMMARY:**

Become part of a growing nonprofit organization empowering individuals with disabilities to learn, grow and celebrate through the arts. Artists Creating Together is seeking a contractor to lead our Apprentice Program in the 2022-2023 school year. The Lead Teaching Artist will work directly with 18-26 year old transition students with disabilities to build a portfolio of work that students can showcase and eventually sell at several year-end events. In this position, the Teaching Artist will collaborate with ACT program staff and volunteers to develop and execute project goals for 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional art works. To learn more about Artists Creating Together, visit [artistscreatingtogether.org](http://artistscreatingtogether.org)

Additional information:

- *Lead Teaching Artist with ACT's Apprentice Program*
- *10 students ages 18-26*
- *24 class sessions beginning 10/20/22 through 5/25/23*
- *Field trips 3/21/23, 3/23/23*
- *Final art shows 5/11, 5/18*

Rate of pay for in class time: \$50 per hour, up to two hours a week

Rate of pay for out of class planning and prep time: \$15 per hour, up to four hours a week

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Must have some daytime availability to be on site for programming Thursday mornings between 8:45 and 11:15am
- Art teaching background or equivalent experience
- Must have reliable transportation for travel throughout Greater Grand Rapids and neighboring counties. (Transportation of staff/self in addition to art supplies and art)
- Some standing and lifting required
- Passion, positivity, and a willingness to learn
- Commitment to the vision/mission of ACT

**APPLY:**

To apply, please submit resume with a cover letter via email only to [info@artistscreatingtogether.org](mailto:info@artistscreatingtogether.org).

Open until filled.