

Purpose and Mission

Belief:

The Arts educate, communicate, and inspire us to know more about ourselves, each other, and our culture and heritage. The Performing Arts are those forms of art such as acting, dancing, and playing and singing music that are performed in front of an audience.

Our purpose and mission are:

- To provide opportunities for Cobb's children K 8th grade to experience uniquely rewarding performing arts that might otherwise be unavailable to them
- To spark curiosity, broaden awareness of the arts, stimulate minds and emotions, foster creativity and inspire a lifelong interest and love of the arts with far reaching effect
- To encourage excellence in the arts by providing high quality professional performances and opportunities for cultural enrichment through the performing arts

SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Cobb Performing Arts 47th Anniversary Series in 2022-2023 will enhance your child's academic curriculum with live educational arts performances in music, theatre, and dance. We depend upon voluntary contributions to fund off-campus or in-house live performances for elementary and middle school students. Each Cobb County elementary school student will attend the following:

Grade 2	Georgia Ballet (Jennie T. Anderson Theater) or Atlanta Ballet (Cobb Energy Performing Arts Centre) with a scheduled performance in September, December, or February (local school choice as available, coordinated through the Performing Arts supervisor)
Grade 5	Based on overwhelming success during the 2021-2022 school year, 5 th Grade students will be able to continue to attend orchestral or combined fine arts concerts at CCSD high schools offering concerts programmed specifically for our 5 th Graders.
Grades K, 1, 3, & 4	In-House Performances at the local schools or fieldtrips (as approved) arranged by each school to best suit the needs of our students

Please help to support your child's arts education by giving your tax-deductible donation and join us in making exposure to the arts possible for all Cobb County School District children. We hope that you will give the donation of \$14.00, but any donation is greatly appreciated.

For more information: https://bit.ly/3xICewJ

If you need further assistance, please contact Dr. Joseph Woodruff at Joseph.Woodruff@cobbk12.org.

2022-2023 Performing Arts Participation/Permission and Donation Slip

Student Name	School	Teacher	Grade

Please check one:

_____ My child has permission to participate in the Performing Arts Series 2022-2023, viewing a live performance at the local school or a field trip to a performance off campus.

_____ My child does not have my permission to participate in the Performing Arts Series 2022-2023.

I release and waive, and further agree to indemnify, hold harmless or reimburse the Cobb County School District, the Cobb County Board of Education, its successors and assigns, its members, agents, employees, representative thereof, as well as trip supervisors, from and against any claim which I, any other parent or guardian, any sibling, the student, and any other person, firm or Corporation may have or claim to have, known, or unknown, directly or indirectly, from any losses, damages or injuries arising out of, during or in connection with the student's participation in the Performing Arts Series or the rendering of emergency medical procedures or treatment, if any.

Parent/Guardian Signature____

I am enclosing a donation of \$14.00 (tax-deductible) to support this program.

_____ I am donating online through MyPaymentsPlus @ <u>www.mypaymentsplus.com</u>. I am donating \$______.

____ I am unable to donate the full amount at this time. Please accept my donation of \$ ______.

___ I would like to sponsor another Cobb County student with an additional donation of \$______

Donations and permission forms are due between August 29 and September 23, 2022, as your local school directs. Please submit payment for new students upon enrollment. Please note—Checks should be made payable to your child's school, and change cannot be returned.