



## **Fairbanks Teaching Artists Training & Certification Academy**

### **List of Application Materials & Procedures**

- Payment of \$50 training fee.
- A statement outlining why you're interested in becoming an AIS teaching artist (please discuss why you want to be a teaching artist and what you can contribute to the classroom).
- An up-to-date resume.
- A digital photo of yourself. This portrait will accompany your artist statement and any website info on the Fairbanks Arts Association website for school district teachers to reference when searching for a teaching artist.
- Three references confirming your suitability for our AIS Program (these should illustrate that you are a good candidate to work in a classroom environment).
- A digital portfolio that showcases your art work. This must include a MINIMUM of 3 samples of your work (for example digital photographs of artwork, writing samples, music recordings, video footage/flyers from performing artists, etc.).
- A short artist statement to go with your entry in our 2015-16 AIS Handbook, an indication of the grades/ages you plan to work with and a short descriptor of your art form (examples of what other artists have provided are given in our current handbook available for reference at [http://www.fairbanksarts.org/2015-16-AIS-Handbook](#)).
- Set up and complete a 15-30 minute interview with FAA's Education Coordinator to go through your application materials and discuss your ideas and plans for art residencies.