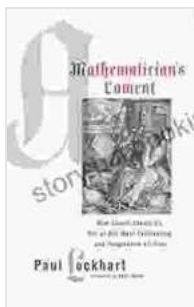


Unleash Your Inner Artist: How School Cheats Us Out Of Our Most Fascinating And Imaginative Art Form

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This is a great loss, not only for individual students but also for society as a whole. Art has the power to make the world a more beautiful and

meaningful place, and we need to find ways to nurture it in all of our children.

The Importance of Art

There are many reasons why art is important for children. Here are just a few:

- Art helps children to develop their creativity and imagination.
- Art helps children to express themselves and their emotions.
- Art helps children to learn about different cultures and perspectives.
- Art helps children to develop their critical thinking skills.
- Art helps children to relax and have fun.

Art is an essential part of a well-rounded education. It helps children to develop their minds, their emotions, and their creativity. We need to find ways to make sure that all children have access to quality art education.

How School Cheats Us Out Of Art

Unfortunately, the way that art is taught in schools often stifles creativity and imagination. Here are some of the ways that school cheats us out of art:

- **Students are forced to conform to rigid rules and standards.** This stifles creativity and prevents students from developing their own unique artistic visions.
- **Students are not given the opportunity to explore their own interests.** They are often forced to study art that they do not enjoy or

find relevant.

- **Students are not given enough time to create.** They are often rushed through their projects and do not have the opportunity to develop their ideas fully.
- **Students are not given the opportunity to receive feedback from their peers.** This can prevent them from learning from their mistakes and improving their work.

As a result of these factors, many students lose interest in art and never develop their full artistic potential. This is a great loss, not only for individual students but also for society as a whole.

What We Can Do

We need to find ways to make sure that all children have access to quality art education. Here are some things that we can do:

- **Advocate for art education in schools.** Talk to your local school board and elected officials about the importance of art education.
- **Support arts organizations in your community.** Donate money or volunteer your time to help keep arts organizations afloat.
- **Encourage your children to be creative.** Provide them with art supplies and opportunities to create.
- **Be a role model.** Show your children that you value art by creating your own art or attending art exhibitions.

Art is a powerful force that can change the world. Let's work together to make sure that all children have the opportunity to experience the joy and

benefits of art.

Resources

- National Art Education Association
- National Core Arts Standards
- The Kennedy Center's Teaching Resources
- A Mighty Girl's Guide to Developing Strong Female Artists
- 5 Ways to Encourage Creativity in Students Every Day

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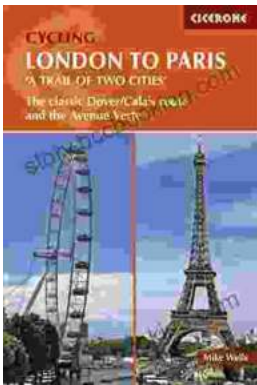
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