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BEFORE THE FRESNO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE FRESNO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS FRESNO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

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Resolution No. 2022 - 02 (FCBE) Resolution No. 2022 - 08 (FCSS)

WHEREAS, Arts Education, which includes dance, media arts, music, theatre, and visual arts, is an essential part of basic education for all students, pre-kindergarten through grade twelve, to provide for balanced learning and to develop the full potential of their minds;

WHEREAS, through well-planned instruction and activities in the arts, children develop initiative, creative ability, self-expression, self-reflection, thinking skills, discipline, greater social emotional well-being, a heightened appreciation of beauty, and cross-cultural understanding;

WHEREAS, experience in the arts develops insights and abilities central to the experience of life, and the arts are collectively a most important repositories of culture;

WHEREAS, many national and state professional arts education associations hold celebrations in the month of March, focused on students' participation in the arts;

WHEREAS, these celebrations give California schools a unique opportunity to focus on the value of the arts for all students, to foster cross-cultural understanding, to give recognition to the state's outstanding young artists, to focus on careers in the arts available to California students, and to enhance public support for this important part of our curriculum;

WHEREAS, the California State Board of Education states in its Arts Education Policy adopted in July 1989 that each student should receive a high quality, comprehensive arts education program based on the adopted California Arts Framework for California Public Schools, Pre-Kindergarten through Grade Twelve (2020);

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Education and the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools is proclaiming the month of March 2022 as Arts Education Month and encourage all Fresno County School Districts to participate with appropriate activities and curriculum on this day and throughout the year.

This Resolution is adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education at its meeting of February 17, 2022 by the following votes:

President Kimberly Tapscott-Munson:	Yes	✓ No	Abstain	Absent	V
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Member Allen Clyde:	Yes	✓ No	Abstain	Absent	
Member James Martinez:	Yes	✓ No	Abstain	Absent	
Member Marcy Masumoto:	Yes	V No	Abstain	Absent	
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Kimberly Tapscott-Munson, President

This Resolution is adopted by the Fresno Co	unty Superinte	endent of Schools	as of the date
immediately stated below as evident by his sign	ature hereund	er:	
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Jim A. Yovino, Superintendent			

CERTIFICATION

I am the Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the Fresno County Board of Education and hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the full, true, and correct resolution duly passed and adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education on the date stated above.

Jim A. Yovino, Fresno County Superintendent of Schools Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the Fresno County Board of Education