Roles and Responsibilities of Principals

Principals of BTS Arts schools provide leadership for a comprehensive, successful, and sustainable arts learning program for the school's students; supervise the fidelity of the program's implementation; and assist awareness efforts for the program's sustainability and growth.

- Hire a qualified arts educator designated by the standards listed in Board Rule, in collaboration with the university partner and LEA arts coordinator.
- Orient and regularly review BTS Arts roles and responsibilities with faculty.
- Create scheduling that complies with grant guidelines by providing arts instruction to every student over the course of the year and adequate planning time for the arts educator, similar to that of a classroom teacher.
- Provide appropriate teaching space, materials and supplies for art instruction.
- Ensure there is scheduled collaborative planning between the arts educator and grade-level teams.
- Build awareness of the program among the school and parent community.

For a more detailed list, please refer to the BTS Arts Handbook.

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