



# Professional Development

Davis, the leader in Visual Arts education, provides the greatest variety in Professional Development offerings including workshops, courses, and conference sessions in both physical and virtual environments. Our master teachers are experts in the most current classroom pedagogy as well as the practical, discipline specific, and targeted application of research-backed content. Visit **DavisArt.com/ProfessionalDevelopment** to learn more on the topics we offer:

- Choice-Based Art Education
- \*Collaboration / Tape Art®
- Culturally Responsive Pedagogy
- Appropriation / Copyright
- Social Emotional Learning
- Supporting English Learners
- Adaptive Art
- Contemporary Art
- Early Childhood
- Mindfulness



## Session Types

### On-Demand Sessions

High-quality author-delivered video combined with practical application and reflection provide you with a self-paced professional development experience that truly changes practice. Enjoy courses developed and presented by experts in the most current classroom pedagogy from the comfort of wherever you are. These sessions provide practical, discipline-specific, and targeted application of topics that matter to teaching and learning today.

### Workshops, Coaching, Classes and Conference Sessions

Our pre-planned sessions offer information, strategies, and guidance on the hottest subjects in art education today. Topics can be implemented as conference or keynote sessions as well as school and district professional development. Learn from our master teachers and apply that knowledge across your team's practice immediately. Choose from the topics listed above or customize your own sessions.

### Custom Sessions

Design a custom-made professional learning experience! Our professional development manager will work with your district to develop a program to fit your specific needs. Our master teachers can easily address your personal, school, and district goals while providing a meaningful experience that is immediately applicable to classroom practice. Custom sessions are available in face-to-face, virtual, and blended formats.

\* See reverse side for additional information.



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# Professional Development with Tape Art®



## OPTION 1: Full Day Face-to-face Session

Full day (up to 6 hours) session featuring tape artists and authors of *Collaborative Tape Art: The PiktoTape Method*, Michael Townsend and Leah Smith of the world-renowned Tape Art Crew. The artists will work with teachers in a hands-on experience to create larger than life, collaborative tape art installations in their school or community.

The time included in this session can be divided as needed to facilitate the number of teachers in a district. Please note that we suggest no more than 40 teachers per session with a suggested minimum session length of 2.5 hours.

## OPTION 2: Online Site Facilitated Session for Teachers

Learn how to facilitate collaborative Tape Art® experiences from Michael Townsend and Leah Smith of the world-renowned Tape Art Crew. During this session, a small team of lead teachers are coached by the artists online via video conferencing (Zoom). This core team of teachers in turn facilitates the learning for larger groups of teachers on location. To complete the session, the full group of educators participate in a follow-up coaching session with artists.

### Session Includes:

- Two books, *Collaborative Tape Art: The PiktoTape Method*
- Three PiktoTape™ Kits – 2 Draw Kits / 1 Sculpt Kit
- Online (Zoom) sessions:
  - ½ hour Zoom session with artists and lead facilitators after materials are reviewed to plan and prepare
  - ½ hour Zoom session with whole group and artists to review presentations and provide feedback
  - 1-hour Zoom session with whole group that includes an artist talk and Q&A in real time
  - ½ hour follow-up session with on-site facilitators where artists will offer coaching as needed for successful replication in art rooms

## OPTION 3: Online Site Facilitated Session with Students

Create meaningful art making opportunities for your students working collaboratively with professional artists. Facilitate an engaging experience they'll never forget with Michael Townsend and Leah Smith of the world-renowned Tape Art Crew. During this session students are led through the process of planning and creating a tape mural. The engaging experience concludes with a follow-up session with the artists to ensure students are comfortable creating tape art on their own.

### Session Includes:

- One book, *Collaborative Tape Art: The PiktoTape Method*
- Four PiktoTape™ Kits – 3 Draw Kits / 1 Sculpt Kit
- Online (Zoom) sessions:
  - ½ hour Zoom session with artists and teacher after materials are reviewed to plan and prepare
  - ½ hour Zoom session with teacher, students, and artists to review presentations and provide feedback
  - 1-hour Zoom session that includes an artist talk and Q&A in real time with whole group
  - ½ hour follow-up session with students and teacher where artists will offer helpful tips for successful continuation of Tape Art® after their in-school experience.



**Call or email for pricing and availability.** The Tape Art Crew is also available for customized professional development workshops for teachers, students, administrators, schools, districts and communities. Learning experiences may include collaboration, leadership, social emotional skills, transformative learning, and more.