

Grant Acceptance Form

Name of Grant: STARS Residencies FY17 Columbus Park Preparatory Academy

Type of Funder: Massachusetts Cultural Council

Awarded Amount: \$5,000.00

Grant Funding Period: November 15, 2016 - June 29, 2017

Project title: Native American Pottery

Program coordinator: Siobhan M. Dennis, Principal, Columbus Park Preparatory Academy

Purpose: To explore the Native American pottery and creative writing with the goal of a finished pot and its story from each student.

Description of the program: Students will learn to manipulate clay as they create and decorate pinch pots that combine form and texture.
Students will articulate their ideas visually and experience how their creations inform their writing. This project encourages self-expression and creative thinking.

Program location: Columbus Park Preparatory Academy

Outcomes and Measures: Creative thinking/Creative writing/Problem solving
This project encourages students to think about the indigenous people in the United States through the pottery that they create.
This cultural awareness will increase knowledge of Native American culture.

**GRANTS REPORT
2016-2017**

Fund	Grant	Purpose/Priorities	Amount
MCC	STARS Residencies	<p>In this STARS Residencies Program, students will learn about Native American pottery and use their creative thinking and problem-solving skills to create their own pottery and stories that bring their artwork to life.</p> <p>This project will engage children to learn about Native American culture locally and throughout the country. They will see how learning crosses disciplines and can be an integrative process.</p>	\$5,000.00

Use of Funds

- Stipends
- Consultants
- Materials

These funds have been awarded to Columbus Park School.