



Happy Friday!



Let's Be Creative! with LBC

Every day at 1pm, seven days a week, we're releasing a new arts video on the LBC Facebook page where students of all ages and their families will be able to learn and participate in the arts from their own homes.

This coming week marks the first week in a new cycle of our virtual dance class. If you've been hesitant to jump in, now is the time to make the leap! We'll start learning a new dance with Ms. Eva this coming Friday. This week, you can also enjoy our ongoing Zoom improv class, learn about a few special mariachi instruments, and learn some special effect makeup tricks you can do with household items. Find these things and more on [our Facebook page!](#)

Community Resources

We have a lot of wonderful partners in the community who are also working hard to connect teachers and students to learning opportunities as we continue to shelter-in-place. Check out a few of our favorites this week:

Looking for something different? Sonoma Conservatory of Dance offering free dance classes divided into four different levels. Interested dancers should [email the studio](#) to gain access to the Google Classroom. They also are conducting interviews with dancers and having a discussion group for the 11+ year group!

Make your own comics! Featuring a drag-and-drop format, [Make Beliefs Comix](#) lets anyone create their own comic strips on their online platform.

If you're looking for a solid "kindie" artist for 3-5 year olds, check out Sonia De Los Santos' Latin music for children at [En Casa Con Sonia](#). Her bilingual website features awesome videos so you can host your own mini-concert!

Our friends at Childsplay are offering free online performances of The Grumpiest Boy in the World, complete with a resource guide to accompany the virtual field trip! Be sure to [check it out](#) soon as the performance is running for a limited time only!

LBC's arts-integrated residencies to your students this year, feel free to reach out to [Hannah Keefer](#) to discuss options that would work for you and your students.

The Teacher's Lounge

This week, we are sharing artists that we are watching and who influence us as well as a nod to a few of the artists that we have lost this year. [Check out](#) our new Drop the Mic which features YouTube and Spotify playlists, cool links, and a few TikTok suggestions!

Last Friday on Luther Locals we were excited to present Bobby Jo Valentine, a multi-faceted and sought-after speaker, songwriter, and storyteller who grew up on the windy seaside of Northern California. He's been called a hopeful, realist poet and a philosopher for the people. His songs are both earthbound and mystical, and speak to the gentle, everyday awakenings of an openhearted life. Bobby has given a TED Talk, has been awarded Song of the Year three times from West Coast Songwriter's Association, is an out gay advocate for equal rights for all, and has performed thousands of events around the globe. His compelling, poetic storytelling and songs have built a growing following of listeners and supporters, and his most recent collections, Fox Eyes, Whale Heart, and Maybe Stars, are available everywhere music is offered online. [Check out his mini-concert from last week](#) and look for this week's Luther Locals episode, which will drop tonight at 5pm!

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