

## ABOUT THE TEACHING ARTIST



Jennifer Roman is a passionate arts educator with 25 years of experience teaching art and music in self-contained, special education schools, approved private schools, art, museums, and community art centers. She holds an M.ED in Special Education and Pennsylvania certification in Art K-12 and Special Education.

Jennifer has been a teaching artist at the Delaware Art Museum since 2015, teaching ongoing school visits for the Kuumba Charter Academy, and Academia Antonio Alonso, as well as special programs liaising with the Police Athletic League and the Delaware ARC.

Currently she teaches a children's after school class, Artistic Adventures, our Family 2nd Sunday children's studio program, and many of our summer camp offerings. Jennifer also teaches at the Darlington Art Center. She is passionate about teaching the whole child, practicing sustainability in art making, and in creating a warm and nurturing environment where children and adults feel free to develop their art making skills and creativity,

Jennifer is also active in community theater, both performing in musicals and as a costume designer, and as the vocalist for the folk rock band Laurel Canyon East. As an artist she is deeply inspired by world cultures and mythology, responsible stewardship of the earth's resources, colors and texture, and loves working with textiles and mixed media.