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Renowned Artist Jason Reed Announces Two Artist Residencies in 2024

SUNBURY – In collaboration with Perry County Council of the Arts, Jason Reed, a Carlisle, PA native, an accomplished artist with a fine arts degree in dance from Julliard, is set to conduct two Artist in Residence (AiR) programs in 2024 in Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit (CSIU) classrooms. His unique approach utilizes dance and pop culture to engage and foster self-discovery and creativity while also promoting relevant life skills necessary for success. He believes that visual and performing arts are essential for being a well-rounded student.

Reed has become a sought-after figure in the realm of artist residencies. His commitment to empowering students through the arts has left a lasting impact on the communities he engages with.

The first residency, will be held at CSIU's Work Foundations+ program and is scheduled for January 17, 24, 31, February 7, and 14. Jason will be present from 9 a.m. to 1:20 p.m. each Wednesday during these dates. The second residency will be at CSIU's Five Star and will take place on February 28, March 6, 13, 20, and 27, with Jason available from 8:15 to 11:35 a.m. during these dates.

"Arts In Education (AiE) is an integral part in educating students of all ages regardless of their background, previous experience, abilities or socioeconomic status. To help highlight that, the AiR program, through AiE, makes an impact in life, school, personal and professional goals, thus why support is so important.", says Reed.

About Perry County Council of the Arts:

Perry County Council of the Arts (PCCA) is one of Pennsylvania Council on the Arts' 14 regional Partners, charged with the responsibility of implementing quality Arts in Education programs in 7 counties – Perry, Juniata, Mifflin, Montour, Snyder, Union and Northumberland. Through this partnership, PCCA places professional artists in classrooms and community sites for residencies of 5 to 30 days.

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