



Virginia Commission for the Arts FY25 VCA / VA250 Impact Grant Awards



VA250 Organization Name	Region	VA250 Impact Grant Title	Type of Activity
Buchanan County Board of Supervisors-Buchanan County Public Library	Region 7	Surviving the American Revolution: Author Lauren Tarshis Explores What the Revolution Meant and Means to the People of Buchanan County	Performance/ Reading
Chesterfield County	Region 1	The Shot Heard Round the World – A Historical Reenactment of how the Battle of Lexington and Concord affected the citizens of Chesterfield County	Performance/ Reading
City of Alexandria	Regions 4 & 6	Carving Out Creativity: A series of exhibitions and performance that will be held across the Commonwealth - Alexandria, Blacksburg, and Roanoke	Artwork Creation
City of Colonial Heights Recreation and Parks	Region 1	"If This Tree Could Talk" Storytime Program: Held under the spreading branches of the "Cucumber" Tree, (a local tree planted in 1718 that was a witness to the Revolutionary War in the area).	Performance/ Reading
City of Richmond Public Library	Region 1	Richmond Public Library and Revolutionizing Public Concert Representation: Musical Traditions in America	Performance/ Reading
Essex County Museum & Historical Society	Region 3	250th Anniversary Celebration of the Essex Resolutions	Performance/ Reading
Grayson County Tourism	Region 7	Grayson County's Ag & Art Adventure: A tour of local farms, artisan studios, and traditional music venues	Fair/Festival
Henrico County Public Library	Region 1	Hand Crafted: Exploring Textiles During and After the American Revolution	Exhibition
Henry County Public Schools	Region 6	"I Hold These Truths To Be Self-Evident": Performance Poetry Inspired By American Revolutions from 1775 to 2025	Arts Instruction
Laurel Ridge Community College	Region 4	Revolutionary Theatre: Abba's Journey, a Tale of Resiliency and Hope	Artwork Creation
Loudoun County Public Schools-Potowmack Elementary	Region 4	Revolution and the Enslaved: How did African Americans Contribute to the American Revolution?	School Residency
Martinsville City Public Schools - Martinsville High School	Region 6	Echoes of Revolution: Poetry, Regional History, and Shared Heritage	Arts Instruction
Mathews County	Region 3	Revolution of Ideas LOVEworks Creation and Installation	Artwork Creation
Orange County Public Library	Region 4	The Book as Art and Self-Expression: Creating Your Story	Artwork Creation
Patawomeck Indian Tribe of Virginia	Region 3	Building Educational Capacity for Engaging with Indigenous Art and Craft Traditions at the Patawomeck Museum and Cultural Center	Exhibition
Patrick Henry Memorial Foundation	Region 8	Tribute to the Quarter Place Community at Patrick Henry's Red Hill. Performing artists include The Kuumba Dance Ensemble and The Jazz/Pop Trio: Jackson, Pendergrass, and Townsend.	Performance/ Reading



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Portsmouth Public Library Foundation	Region 2	Lafayette Day at the Library~ A Revolutionary Experience: Experience the Revolutionary War history thru the eyes of Portsmouth heroes, as costumed interpreters bring these diverse characters to life.	Performance/ Reading
Prince William Public Library System Foundation	Region 4	Exploring the Evolution of 18th-Century Traditional Crafts into the 21st-Century through classes and workshops	Exhibition
Town of Culpeper	Region 4	Culpeper Minute Men Mural	Artwork Creation
Town of Strasburg	Region 4	Virginia Liberty Roots Festival	Fair/Festival
Town of Wytheville Department of Museums	Region 7	"Resolved to Live and Die: The Revolutionary Roots of Southwest Virginia" documentary highlighting the Fincastle Resolutions and the pivotal role this region played leading up to, and during the American Revolution. Partners include Wilderness Road Regional Museum, PBS Appalachia and Blue Ridge PBS	Artwork Creation
University of Virginia/WTJU 91.1 FM	Region 5	Cville Puzzle Hunt 2025	Fair/Festival