



Juneau Arts and Humanities Council – Juneau School District  
**PARTNERS IN EDUCATION**

## 2012-2013 TEACHING ARTIST PROFILE and APPLICATION

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### I am available to work/teach

1 - 2 week residency period only.  I am flexible, could work different times  
 can work 1 day/week for a month or more  could work part days, different times

### Arts Education and/or Arts Background

Currently I am working as a portrait artist. I taught art at Juneau Douglas High School and at Thunder Mountain High School. While at the high school I taught Drawing and Painting, Alaska Native design (which included carving, weaving, and beaded moccasins), Stained Glass, and ceramics. I have a degree in education with an endorsement in Art and Special Education.

### ART FORM(s) and AGE OF STUDENTS you are interested in working with.

Painting, Drawing, Stained Glass, and Alaska Native projects such as beaded moccasins and weaving. K-12

### What themes, concepts, and experiences do you want to share with students?

My hope would be that all students study art just as they do any other subject. I don't want students just introduced to the world of art, but to have it as part of their life, just as we expect our students to be able to read and write as part of life. For example if we only taught our student the alphabet, but never to know how to read, what would be the purpose?

### Prior Teaching Experiences

I taught art at Juneau Douglas High school and at Thunder Mountain High school for eight years. I have also given private lessons.

### Why do you want to teach the arts in Juneau schools?

I enjoy working on my own art, but would like to be able to share my experience and knowledge.

### Past Experience with Artist in the Schools residencies: none

Have you been part of the **Juneau Teaching Artist workshop series**?  x  No, not yet

### 3 REFERENCES

Jan Neimeyer - Art Teacher at Thunder Mountain High school [jan\\_neimeyer@jsd.k12.ak.us](mailto:jan_neimeyer@jsd.k12.ak.us) 321-1240  
Judy Gibson - Teacher [Judy\\_Gibson@jsd.k12.ak.us](mailto:Judy_Gibson@jsd.k12.ak.us) 209-1453  
Chris Taylor – [christofercharles@gmail.com](mailto:christofercharles@gmail.com) Art Director at the Canvas – 321-4228

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**Other comments or additions that help illuminate your work or life artist?**

I have taken numerous classes and workshops over the past ten years, to name a few. Ravenstail Weaving with Kay Parker, Chilkat weaving with Cheryl Samuel and Carving classes with Ray Watkins at University of Alaska Southeast.

In Sitka I took a carving class at the Indian Cultural Center at Sitka with David Galanin, and I learned beadwork from Judy Gibson. All of these classes and people I took them from helped me teach Alaska Native Design at the Juneau High Schools.

I received a Rasmonson grant a few years ago and took a workshop with Daniel Greene in New York. He is one of the leading portrait artists in the world. I have taken many workshops from artists around the world since I retired a few years ago, but some of the best classes I have had are here at our local art center The Canvas.

