

CARAMOOR

CHINESE ARTS AND CULTURE

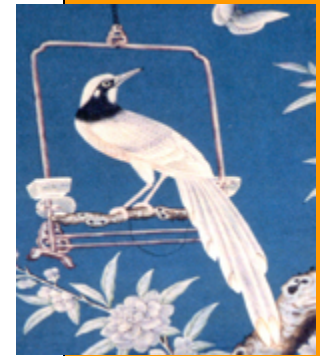
Students experience an in-depth, multi-sensory introduction to Chinese culture.

THE PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- Tour of the Rosen House collection of extraordinary Chinese art, including silk wallpapers, and jade sculpture
- Performance of Chinese music on ancient Chinese instruments by musicians born and educated in China
- Introduction to the ancient tradition of brush painting using bamboo brushes and Chinese ink
- Traditional Chinese tea ceremony including history and tea tasting

BEFORE THE VISIT:

Teachers receive a packet of materials about China including: laminated images of art from Caramoor's collection; articles on Chinese music, painting, and tea; legends of mythical figures; symbols and calligraphy; vocabulary list; and a map of China.



*Where in
the world
are dragons
good luck?*

*What stone
is carved
with sand
and water?*

*What lowly,
small creature
makes silk?*



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CARAMOOR EDUCATION PROGRAMS

MISSION STATEMENT

Caramoor's Education Programs are dedicated to:

- Encouraging teaching and learning through the arts across the entire school curriculum.
- Improving the quality of arts education in the schools through interaction with Caramoor.
- Providing children and those who affect their lives with the highest quality arts education; an enlightened and imaginative environment; and the finest artist educators to inspire and generate creative expression.
- Offering programs to school children throughout the metropolitan region, with a special emphasis on under-served schools.

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COMPLIES WITH THE FOLLOWING NY STATE STANDARDS:

Arts:

Standard 3 - Responding to and Analyzing Works of Art

Standard 4 - Understanding the Cultural Dimensions and Contributions of the Arts

Non-Arts:

Standard 2 - Social Studies / World History

Standard 4 - Science / The Living Environment

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