

CARAMOOR

# WHAT'S IN A HOUSE?

*This two-day back-to-back program weaves four components into an interdisciplinary hands-on extravaganza.*

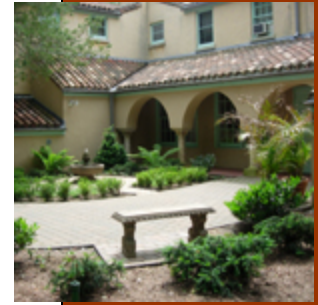
“What is the most important consideration in building a house?” (the people)

## ***THE PROGRAM INCLUDES:***

- A docent-guided tour of the Rosen House collection with additional thought-provoking commentary by a professional architect
- A musician talking about his/her instrument and profession, then leading small student groups through creating and performing their own compositions
- An architect discussing building principles, then guiding the group through creating their own structures using hundreds of colorful blocks while listening to various styles of music
- A master horticulturist offering a multi-sensory experience of exploring herbs & herbal teas
- A drawing exercise in the colorful grandeur of the Music Room accompanied by live music

## ***BEFORE THE VISIT:***

An architect provides an in-school visit to introduce students to the profession of architecture. The teacher receives laminated reproductions of selected art from Caramoor's collection, “learning to look” questions, and a workbook with preparatory and follow-up exercises.



## *The Tapestry*

*Inside the house,  
On the wall,  
Within the  
tapestry,  
There are many  
threads.  
Each one different  
But working  
together.  
They create a  
wonderful,  
Silent symphony,  
Of color, of design,  
All in harmonious  
Perfection.*

*-Anna Pusack  
7<sup>th</sup> grade*



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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.

### **WHAT'S IN A HOUSE**

COMPLIES WITH THE FOLLOWING NY STATE STANDARDS:

#### *Arts:*

Standard 1 - Visual, Music, Speaking and Writing

Standard 2 - Knowing and Using Arts Materials and Resources

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 3 - Mathematics: Patterns / Functions

Standard 4 - Science / The Living Environment

Standard 5 - Technology

Standard 1 - Career Development

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#### *PHOTOS OF PROGRAM EDUCATORS:*

*ROW 1-JANE MCLAUGHLIN, Master Horticulturist*

*ROW 2-VINCENT FRANZE, Architect; MARCO GRANADOS, Musician*

*ROW 3-BRUCE LEVY, Architect*