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Categories	Level	Descriptors	Not Evident	Seldom Evident	Frequently Evident	Always Evident
Curriculum & Instruction	Class	Classroom instruction reflects curriculum that is aligned with arts and non-arts state standards.				
CI	Class	Teachers ensure that students participate in arts infusion activities daily in at least one non-arts area.				
CI	School	A guideline or compilation of documents such as curriculum is used to systematically implement arts infusion.				
CI	School	All five arts disciplines are infused throughout the school curriculum.				
CI	School	Funds are available for arts and non-arts teachers to implement arts infusion.				
CI	School	A policy is in place to ensure that students participate daily in arts infusion activities				
Collaboration & Partnerships	S&C	Opportunities for students to attend off-campus professional arts events are scheduled.				
СР	School	Funds are available for students to attend off-campus professional arts events.				
СР	School	Parents, community members, and other stakeholders are included in arts infusion activities.				
СР	School	Parents, community members, and other stakeholders are included in arts infusion decision-making.				
СР	School	Funds are available for arts infused activities established with external partners such as businesses, art organizations, foundations, etc.				
СР	School	Funds are available for arts infused activities with professional artists.				
СР	School	A system is developed to provide opportunities for all teachers to actively participate in other disciplines with their students.				



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Evaluation	Class	Quality standards-based classroom assessments of student performance are embedded in the arts & non-arts disciplines.				
EV	School	A system is in place to evaluate and document the impact of arts infusion on such areas as attendance, student achievement, discipline and parental support.				
EV	School	A system is in place to monitor the progress of the arts infusion program in meeting the established goals and objectives.				
EV	School	The arts infusion long-range plan is reviewed and evaluated annually.				
Facilities	School	Multi-purpose rooms are available for all teachers when teaching an arts infused lesson.				
FC	School	Sufficient storage facilities are designated for materials and equipments used in arts infused lessons.				
FC	School	Funds are available for ensuring the availability of appropriate arts infusion facilities.				
Professional Development	Class	A system is developed to provide opportunities for all teachers to actively participate when working with artists in residence.				
PD	School	The school or school district provides and supports professional development opportunities in arts and arts infusion studies.				
Planning & Scheduling	School	Weekly collaborative planning time for arts infusion is on the schedule during regular school hours for all teachers.				
PS	School	A plan for implementation of arts infusion is developed and communicated to the faculty prior to the start of the school year.				
PS	School	A committee is in place that is responsible for coordinating the implementation of arts infusion.				
PS	School	The arts infusion committee includes arts teachers				
PS	School	The arts infusion committee includes non-arts teachers				



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PS	School	The arts infusion committee includes at least one school administrator				
PS	School	Funds are available for planning and scheduling arts infusion.				
Resources & Materials	School	An annual budget funds staffing for the five arts areas and arts infusion.				
RM	School	Funds are allocated to insure that every teacher has access to a variety of appropriate resources, consumable materials, and equipment to support the implementation of arts infusion.				
RM	School	A library of books, CDs, DVDs, videos, and other reference materials is established, updated, and maintained for the implementation of arts infusion.  All teachers are provided copies of the SC Visual and				
RM	School	Performing Arts Curriculum Standards and the South Carolina English/Language Arts Curriculum Standards (Creative Writing)				
CI	6	Curriculum & Instruction				
СР	7	Collaboration & Partnership				
EV	4	Evaluation				
FC	3	Facilities				
PD	2	Professional Development				
PS	7	Planning & Scheduling				
RM	4	Resources & Materials				