

Eight schools to get arts funding

The African American Forum is partnering with eight Fayette County schools to support arts programming.

The forum recently presented the schools with \$18,000 and announced a six-year commitment of \$100,000. Before they get the funding, each school has to present plans for using the money and say how many students will benefit.

The schools include SCAPA Bluegrass, Booker T. Washington, Cardinal Valley, Harrison, Johnson, Linlee, Northern and Russell Cave elementary schools. More could be added in the future.

The Arts Partnership Project supports artistic, cultural and educational programs for elementary-age children, especially those from low-income backgrounds.