



**Elementary School Kennedy Center
Workshop / Classroom Observations**
**Classroom
Choreography:
Bringing Curriculum to
Life through Dance**

Workshop
Monday, April 20 • 8:30-11:30 am
Classroom Observations
Thursday/Friday, April 23-24 • Begins at 8:30 am

Lake Forest Elementary
901 Kennard St • Jacksonville, FL 32208
Main Office: (904) 924-3024

For teachers of students in grades K-5

In this workshop, teachers will learn how to connect dance elements and structures to elementary school mathematics curriculum.

Randy Barron, Kennedy Center Workshop Leader, will guide participants through a math-integrated creative dance experience that serves as the basis for a deeper examination of what arts integration really means and how it looks in the elementary classroom. Participants will also receive a materials packet that contains resources they can immediately use in their own classrooms to connect dance to such math concepts as number sentences, the number line, and geometric shapes and transformations.



Randy Barron has over 25 years of classroom teaching experience. He has conducted more than 100 professional development workshops and over 75 in-school residencies in 23 states.

Mr. Barron has written arts curriculum affecting over 250,000 students in both urban and rural school districts, and currently serves as Chair of the New Mexico Alliance for Arts Education. He also is a founding member and the current Curriculum Coordinator for the Río Gallinas School, an elementary charter school in Las Vegas, New Mexico, focused on ecology and the arts. As a professional dancer, Mr. Barron has choreographed for, performed with and directed ballet and modern dance companies throughout the United States and Europe. He is a co-founder and former Artistic Director of City in Motion Dance Theater in Kansas City, Missouri.

Contact Sue Downs at 904-620-4411 for additional information.