

Routine Elementary Assemblies List



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| # | Type of Program | Program | Name of Company | Description |
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| 1 | Character | BMX Freestyle Team Stunt Show | BMX Freestyle Team LLC - Robert Castillo | The BMX Stunt Show will entertain and educate students with strong and positive messages that will help students make better choices in situations that can be tough for them to decide on their own. The BMX show includes some unbelievable flatland and high-flying jumps and all bicycle stunts are performed by professional athletes/role models. |
| 2 | Character | BMX Impact Motivational Assembly | StuntMasters Action Sports Entertainment | The BMX Impact Motivational Assembly focuses on character building, bicycle safety, physical science, drug awareness, positive behavior, goal setting and anti-bullying or friendship. The professional speakers and athletes focus on the Body, The Mind and the X-factor. |
| 3 | Character | <i>Brent W. Poppen-International Motivational Speaker</i> | Brent W. Poppen Paralympian-Author-Counselor | A sports accident at the age of 16 left Brent Poppen paralyzed for life. Mr. Poppen became a quadriplegic with only some use of his upper extremities. He did not let this stop him from recognizing his dreams as an athlete, teacher, author and rehab counselor. Mr. Poppen will present multiple assemblies so each student gets the same inspired and emotional experience. He spends lunch time on the playground with the students, letting them push his olympic wheelchairs. This gives the students (&staff) tangible learning teaching that adversity is not an excuse to underachieve. |
| 4 | Character | Bucket Fillers | Bucketfillers Forever with Kelly Nickel, MA. Ed | Younger assembly (K-2/3) is approximately 35 minutes and includes Introduction to the bucket filling metaphor and how our personal bucket level impacts how we feel Concept of choice in being a bucket filler or a bucket dipper Effects of Kindness, Caring, Loving, and Sharing for filling others' and our buckets Effects of Meanness, Anger, Selfishness, and Bullying for dipping in others' and our buckets |
| 5 | Character | Character Counts | Razzle Bam Boom/Shows that Teach | The Character Show provides a motivating and thought provoking opportunity for students to launch a school-wide campaign to address bullying, manners and conduct. The assembly uses music to engage students and addresses the pillars of character: trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring and citizenship. |
| 6 | Character | Comic Ventriloquist: Various School Shows | Joe Gandelman & Friends | Joe Gandelman's school shows cover a wide range of topics all centered on character education. Each performance features a big cast of characters, interaction with the audience and his famous Learning Through Laughter Technique which seamlessly mixes entertainment, an important character building theme and information together so students laugh, learn and retain. |
| 7 | Character | Drum & Perk | Drum & Perk | Assemblies for all ages that focus on anti bullying, character building, teamwork, social skills, and coordination. Fun, team-building assemblies that also promote cultural equity and mindset. |
| 8 | Character | Elementary level programs | Camfel Production | Camfel assemblies are large three-screen assemblies that contain vibrant visuals, current popular music, and challenging content designed to spark discussion and motivate students to make healthy life changes. |

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| 9 | Character | <i>GoGreen BMX Show</i> | Royale Management Group LLC. | The Pro BMX Athletes are chosen not only for their talent, but for their character. They are positive role-models with energy and a love of life and what they do. Their attitude and presentation will provide a spark of motivation and creative passion for achieving goals and dreams. Go Green BMX Assembly focuses on "5 Secrets to Success". Live a healthy life - stay drug-free & make good choices Live my dreams - live your dreams with passion Be motivated - nothing worthwhile is easy, you must be determined. Respect others - never be a bully, treat everyone with respect Never quit - Graduate, always finish what you started |
| 10 | Character | <u>Gracie Bullyproof</u> | Gracie Jiu Jitsu | Created by the head instructors of Gracie-Jiu-Jitsu Academy in Torrance, designed to prepare children to confidently deal with bullies in the least amount of time possible, and to defend themselves against larger opponents without causing unnecessary harm. |
| 11 | Character | <u>Lets Jump LA</u> | Let's Jump LA | Jumping rope is a great way to get kids excited about exercising. It's fun, easy to learn, and one of the best activities for building confidence. Let's Jump, L.A. offers a variety of school programs, including assemblies, P.E. takeovers, and after-school classes. |
| 12 | Character | <i>Magic Performance</i> | Alex Kazaam (Magician) | Has performed magic since 1992 and is a magician member and performer at the World Famous Magic Castle in Hollywood. Specializes in performing for both kids and adults, and makes sure it's a very fun experience that everybody will enjoy and remember. His interactive shows are fun and engaging and include audience interaction, participation, and a lot of laughter. The event is close to two hours which includes setup and packing up, but shows are typically around 30 - 40 minutes with lots of audience participation. |
| 13 | Character | <u>The Bully Game</u> | Amazing School Assemblies - John Abrams | The Bully Game is an assembly presented in a game show format designed to prevent bullying, repel peer pressure and improve the overall school experience. Students are contestants and the audience is involved as valuable lessons are presented about preventing bullying. |
| 14 | Character | <u>The Ned Show</u> | All for KIDZ | Assembly teaches students how to become champions at school by working hard in the classroom and by doing things the best way. It promotes academic achievement and character development by teaching three critical skills that will benefit kids for a lifetime: Never Give Up, Encourage Others, and Do Your Best. |
| 15 | Character | <u>The Power of One</u> | Soren Bennick Productions | The Power of One is a series of skits presented by actors who use boxes, colors, and masks to vividly portray what bullying is, what can be done about it and how every student has the power of one - the power to report and deal with bullying when they see it. |
| 16 | Character | <u>The Ultimate Human Board Game</u> | Academic Entertainment | In the Ultimate Human Board Game students participate in exciting activities and friendly competition utilizing a life-size game board featuring 16 different activities. All activities are centered on character building, teamwork, sportsmanship and total participation. |
| 17 | Character | <u>Wheels of Freestyle Motivational Athletic Performance</u> | Wheels of Freestyle, Inc. | This action packed show is designed to teach students about setting goals and overcoming obstacles. Topics to be discussed are being motivated, respecting others, staying drug free, staying in school, following your dreams and never giving up. It features professional athletes/role models that perform incredible stunts. |
| 18 | Character | <u>Wheels Squared BMX</u> | Jared Eberwein | Action packed, Interactive, Motivational Speaking, Inspiring advice & Knowledge. (e.g Healthy Lifestyles "Drug Free", Anti-Bullying, Success & Goals, Education, and more!) 4 Hubs of Achievement, Healthy Lifestyle, Follow Your Dreams, Always Be Kind, and Knowledge is Power. |

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| 19 | Character | <u>Who's Afraid of Big Bad Wolfie?</u> | Stevie Sterling Events | Students will learn nothing is more powerful than their own kindness in this humorous interactive story set in an enchanted forest and told by the author, Stevie Sterling. Students will delight, be entertained, and learn about the ways of bullies, why some kids feel they need to be popular, and the true meaning of power. |
| 20 | Child Safety | <u>Kidz Power! and Playing it Safe!</u> | Safely Ever After, Inc. | Safely Ever After, Inc. goes beyond "stranger danger" to teach students vital skills and strategies to keep them safe from sexual abuse, abduction, and internet crime. Presentations provide up-to-date information and prevention education. All performances are age appropriate, non-fearful, and empowering. KIDZ POWER! is geared towards K-3 grade students. This program teaches students they are the "boss" of their bodies and that their feelings are important. PLAYING IT SAFE! is an interactive program geared at 4-5 grade students. The program focuses on appropriate physical and relationship boundaries, how to define them, and how to safeguard them. Students are instructed on how to trust their instincts and make safe choices as they gain independence. |
| 21 | Child Safety | <u>L.A. Troupe Safety Smart</u> | Children's Burn Foundation | Engaging live and virtual theatrical performance teaches elementary and pre-school age children life-saving fire safety and burn prevention skills. |
| 22 | Child Safety | <u>Pillowcase Project (Grades 3-5)</u> | The American Red Cross | The Pillowcase Project is a preparedness education program for grades 3-5 that teaches students about personal and family preparedness and safety skills, local hazards, and basic coping skills. Red Cross volunteers lead students through a "Learn, Practice, Share" framework to engage them in disaster preparedness and survival skills. Upon completion, students receive a sturdy pillowcase in which to build their personal emergency supplies kit. |
| 23 | Child Safety | <u>Prepare with Pedro (Grades K-2)</u> | The American Red Cross | Prepare with Pedro is a 30- to 45-minute preparedness education program for grades K-2 that teaches students how to BE PREPARED and TAKE ACTION for either home fires or a local hazard. Prepare with Pedro compliments The Pillowcase Project in scope and mission, by reading a story featuring a penguin named Pedro. |
| 24 | Child Safety | <i>Torrance Police Department Drug-Sniffing dogs presentation</i> | Torrance Police Department, Department of Public Safety | Drug-Sniffing Dogs Presentation. Police Officer - Torrance Police Patrol & Narcotics Detection K9. |
| 25 | Conflict Management | <u>It's Stop Time</u> | Kaiser Permanente Educational Theater | Students will be exposed to the concept that conflicts can have a positive outcome if managed properly. Students will enjoy a performance followed by a workshop where through drum circles activities and journal writing, the 3-steps to managing conflict (Stop, Breathe, Choose) are reinforced and students are encouraged to express their emotions in a positive way. |
| 26 | English Language Arts | <u>Balloon Storytelling with Annie Banannie</u> | Annie Banannie | Students will delight as character Annie Banannie makes books come alive through balloon storytelling, a mashup of comedy, storytelling and balloon twisting. Students are active participants in the presentations and encouraged to read and write their own stories. |

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| 27 | English Language Arts | <i>Jay and E and the ZigZag Sea</i> | Kaiser Permanente Educational Theatre | Students will be entertained with a live, theatrical, educational presentation that will capture their imagination and inspire them to read. Key concepts include the way reading can be broken down into letters, sounds and words, creating confidence by confronting fears and viewing reading as an exciting adventure. |
| 28 | English Language Arts | <i>Songs & Comedy for Kids and Kin</i> | Dan Crow | Students will participate in a program of songs and stories, each concentrating on a skill in phonics or grammar, with a respect for nature, a sense of humor, and a deep appreciation for the value of friendship and sharing. |
| 29 | English Language Arts | <i>Story Creation Zone</i> | Story Pirates Inc. | Students will be amazed at what happens next when the Story Pirates take over. That's because the show they're performing hasn't been written yet! Watch as the Story Pirates take ideas from kids in your school and incorporate them on the spot into a live interactive show. Every performance is a one-of-a-kind experience that validates the imagination of every child in the audience while teaching them the building blocks of storytelling and character creation. |
| 30 | English Language Arts/Character | <i>Core Literature Program and The Anti-Bullying Program</i> | Brock Edwards Magic Extravaganza | The power of magic is used to teach kids In Brock Edwards educational magic shows. In the Core Literature Program comedy, magic, and student participation is combined with core literature to reinforce that reading is fun. Books like Charlotte's Web will be brought to life through magic tricks. The Anti-Bullying Program teaches students what bullying is and how to avoid it. They learn the difference between teasing and bullying, and what to do if they or a classmate is bullied. |
| 31 | Health | <i>electriKIDS, Inc.</i> | electriKIDS, Inc. | electriKIDS, Inc. is a 501© (3) non-profit organization that presents high-energy and interactive assemblies to promote health and fitness. |
| 32 | Health | <i>Super Bus Game</i> <i>*FOR 5TH GRADE END OF YEAR ACTIVITIES ONLY</i> | Super Game Bus | The Super Game Bus is the world's longest, and largest one of a kind bus, and the world's most original mobile video gaming bus. Students will explore and interact with video gaming systems while improving their interpersonal communication skills. |
| 33 | Health | <i>The Rock 'N' Rope Warrior</i> | David Fisher | Students will be exposed to the benefits of aerobic workouts for their heart and overall health benefits. Program includes elements of nutrition, good choices, and friendship. The program is interactive – student volunteers are able to demonstrate jump rope techniques and activities. |
| 34 | Health & Wellness Policy | <i>Five-a-day</i> | Academic Entertainment, Inc. - Brian Richards | Assembly teaches about the five different colors of fruits and vegetables and why they are especially important in a balanced diet. Presented with the aid of magic, comedy and audience participation. |
| 35 | Health & Wellness Policy | <i>Fun, Fit and Physical</i> | Star Education | Ninety minute assembly includes activities, and a mobile science exhibit, and addresses the Wellness policy. Students will test their senses while exploring their inner workings. The Health and Fitness Mobile Exhibit is a hands-on, real-science experience that is engaging and educational. |
| 36 | History – Social Science | <i>Franklin's Colonial Assembly</i> | The International Printing Museum | Students are taken back across time to have a chat with Benjamin Franklin, scientist, inventor, printer and statesman. Dr. Franklin will present the story of his life to students, igniting their minds with the wonders of science and invention. Educational program with historical artifacts and quality graphics. |
| 37 | History – Social Science | <i>Japan Information and Culture Center</i> | Japan Information and Culture Center (JICC) | The JICC Educational Program is designed to give visitors a fun and informative introduction to Japanese culture and traditional practices. Since 1981, our multi-faceted program has introduced thousands of elementary, middle, and high school students to Japan. |

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| 38 | History – Social Science | Journeys to the Past | Seegerstrom Center for the Arts - Jacque Nunez | “Journey to the Past” includes a history presentation, Native American dancers and a workshop for students to learn games from the past. |
| 39 | History – Social Science | Mr. Bill Barker as Thomas Jefferson | Colonial Williamsburg Teacher Institute and LACOE | Mr. Bill Barker portrays Thomas Jefferson in a variety of venues and assists in the development of Jefferson programs for the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. |
| 40 | History – Social Science | Revolutionary Women | Darci Tucker | Students explore the issues and events that led to the American Revolution, women’s rights and roles in colonial America, and the many ways ordinary people contributed to the war effort on both sides. They examine daily life in the colonies including servitude and slavery, and conditions during the war. In Revolutionary Women, students get multiple perspectives by meeting and conversing with the different women portrayed. |
| 41 | History – Social Science | Social Science Discovery Days: Walk Through California, and Walk Through The American Revolution | California Weekly Explorer, Inc. | An interactive presentation, teaching students about the history and geography of California or the American Revolution. The programs bring to life the Social Studies curriculum using role play, vocabulary words, music, and active participation of all students. Students are divided into teams to compete for points by answering questions, memorizing vocabulary words, portraying historical figures and developing creative listening skills. Historical flags, maps and time lines are used in the various programs to help illustrate the stories of the past. Students are encouraged to dress in costume. Teachers receive lesson plans prior to the assemblies. |
| 42 | History – Social Science | Storytelling in Languages, Lore and History | Seegerstrom Center for the Arts - Jim Cogan | Students will listen to powerful and humorous tales of action, adventure and wonder in Mr. Cogan’s storytelling. Hundreds of stories, highlighting history, folklore, mythology and personal memory anecdotes will be covered culminating in students participating in a personal recreation of a memorable moment in history. |
| 43 | History – Social Science | <i>The Theory and History of Flight</i> | Bill Dean | A live presentation and PowerPoint slideshow which explains the basic principles of aviation and the history of its development from the Wright Brothers to today’s Joint Services Fighter. |
| 44 | Physical Education | Hoop It Up | Hoop It Up | Our Hoopitup! Kidz program will take your entire school on an action-packed, fun-filled health and fitness journey inside the hoop. Your kids will learn over thirty hoop tricks with the latest dance music, the coolest dance moves, and our F.U.N. approach. |
| 45 | Physical Education | TNT Dunk Squad | TNT Dunk Squad | The TNT Dunk Squad assemblies focus on exercise, health and fitness, and emphasize striving for goals, teamwork, and a positive attitude. The assembly combines high flying trampoline aerial stunts w/ spectacular slam dunks and unmatched showmanship. |
| 46 | Science | “Animals Around the World” “North American Wildlife” | Wildlife Learning Center | Students will have an up-close and personal experience with a variety of animals from around the world. Students will learn about how the environment/region affects different animal’s habitats and behaviors. Animal presentations may include a Serval Wildcat, Fox, American Alligator, Sulcata Tortoise, Owl or Hawk, Red-Tegu Lizard or Savannah Monitor, North American Porcupine, Large python, Rabbit, Gopher Snake and a California Desert Tortoise. |
| 47 | Science | <i>Advanced Technology Demonstration</i> | General Motors | GM will showcase their new, exciting advanced technology vehicles and educate the public on alternative vehicle propulsion systems. They offer a fun and interactive educational experience by allowing students to get up close and personal with the vehicles. |

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| 48 | Science | All That Trash | Razzle Bam Boom | All That Trash is a recycling, ecology, environmental school assembly that teaches different ways for students to responsibly conserve our natural resources. Using song, humor, and audience participation, students will discover the reasons why it is smart to reduce, reuse, and recycle. |
| 49 | Science | Animal Magic | Amazing School Assemblies - John Abrams | A wild adventure with John Abrams' Animal Magic Show is a blend of magic, comedy, music and live exotic pets. Students are involved in a multi-media, audience participation magic show with live animals including chinchillas, doves, tarantulas, tortoises, snakes and more. |
| 50 | Science | Aquarium on Wheels – Tide pool Animal Exploration and other Auditorium/Classroom Programs | Long Beach Aquarium of the Pacific | Long Beach Aquarium provides a traveling touch tank via their aquarium on wheels for the purpose of science instruction. Students will learn about ocean inhabitants and their unique adaptations for survival as well as learn to observe similarities and differences in the appearance of ocean animals. |
| 51 | Science | At Home in the Sea | Cabrillo Marine Aquarium | At Home in the Sea assembly gives students a general overview of what lives in the ocean. Sea stars, crabs, lobsters and sea turtles are some of the animals explored. Students will be engaged through the use of hands-on discovery, specimen investigation and student involvement. The program is tailored to grade and age level and designed to spark students' curiosity and appreciation for the ocean and the extraordinary life in it. |
| 52 | Science | <i>Boomerangs are Coming Back!</i> | Alan Scott Craig http://www.artofboomerang.com/demos.html | BOOMERANGS ARE COMING BACK! is a one hour motivational and educational program that discusses the history, science, and art of boomerangs. The topic covers many of the California Test objectives and promotes a fun scientific spin on boomerangs. What goes around, comes around... just like a boomerang. |
| 53 | Science | Bot! The Secret World of Robots | Mobile Ed Productions, Inc. | Assembly Program BOT! The Secret World of Robots is chock full of audience participation, humor and delivers curriculum-based information to students in a fun and interesting way. The show's co-star is a "wacky" virtual character named Cozmo who leads David and your students on a high-tech adventure through the exciting world of Robotics. This high-energy school assembly is rich in multimedia content and offers live, hands-on demonstrations of real robots currently in everyday use. (45 minute presentation) |
| 54 | Science | Bubblemania | Bubblemania and Company | Students will learn all about bubbles and their reflection, refraction, surface tension and other properties in this 45-minute presentation. The Science and fun of bubbles will be discussed and shown through shimmering waves of soap films, rainbow bubbles, big and small bubbles, square and triangle shaped bubbles, bubbles within bubbles, bubbles bouncing on bubbles, giant bubbles and finally the grand finale where a student gets the chance to be inside a bubble. |
| 55 | Science | Dino Encounters - Mobile Field Trips | Dino Encounters | Dino Encounters brings schools a 180-minute museum quality educational experience that aligns with Common Core Next Generation Science Standards. In six breakout 30-minute rotational sessions students learn through hands-on activities and demonstrations. Content is tailored for the grade level experience and include: Dino Encounters (The First 4.4 Billion Years); Ice Age Encounters (Age of Mammals); The Science Behind The Lewis and Clark Expedition; and Mars Encounters (Experience the Red Planet). |

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| 56 | Science | Dinosaurs Rock | Dinosaurs Rock | Transform the gym into a museum by bringing genuine life size, museum quality specimens for students to see and touch, up close, including a life size T-Rex skull and foot, and a real dinosaur egg. Presenters discuss dinosaur extinction theory, plant-eaters vs. meat-eaters, prehistoric life outside of dinosaurs, and what fossils are and how they are formed. |
| 57 | Science | Educational Programs | South Bay Wildlife Rehab | Presentation of injured and non-releasable birds, including hawks, owls and kestrels. Each bird has been carefully trained and is at ease with people. They will also provide owl pellets for the students to dissect and explore the birds' habitat and diet. |
| 58 | Science | Environmental Defenders Program | The County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works | Students will be entertained in this dynamic, music driven show that inspires them to take action and do more to protect the environment. Topics covered include Solid Waste, the Four Rs (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and Rethink), Storm Water Pollution Prevention, Household Hazardous Waste and Water Conservation. An interactive website is also made available to students to extend their learning beyond the classroom. The program also correlates to California History-Social Science and Language Arts Content Standards. |
| 59 | Science | Environmental Topics | City of Torrance Public Works Department | 45-60 minute presentations from the City of Torrance Public Works Department cover topics of curbside recycling, worms, composting and household hazardous waste. Outlines of each presentation are made available to teachers. |
| 60 | Science | H2O Where Did You Go? | Razzle Bam Boom/Shows that Teach | Science curriculum based around various H2O concepts are presented to students in an extremely fun way through music and comedy. Students will learn about the water cycle, the three states of matter and gravity's effect on water. The presentation will also include the following topics: the amount of water we each use, the difference between saltwater and freshwater, how water gets to our homes, how we each can save water, and why water is vital for living things. |
| 61 | Science | Kidz Science Safari - Portable Hands-On Science Museum | Mobile Ed Productions, Inc. | Kidz Science Safari consists of a minimum of 12 interactive, hands-on science exhibits. It is an all-day assembly and students rotate through the exhibits in groups. The program offers an educational experience that is not duplicated in most regions! Kidz Science Safari brings the children's museum experience right to where the students are! A few activities the student will participate in include: programmable robots, plasma ball, dino dig, domino race, 3D printing and many more. |
| 62 | Science | Know the Flow | Heal the Bay | A Heal the Bay environmental science educator will deliver an interactive, fact-filled presentation on the story of Southern California's water system and the causes-of-and solutions to-marine pollution (stormwater and pollution prevention). Students will learn where their water comes from and how they can support a sustainable flow. |
| 63 | Science | Live Learning Experience with Reptiles | The Reptile Family | Traveling reptile show comes to the site for the purpose of science instruction which concurs with Life Science content standards. Animals travel in baskets and containers creating a safari theme for the presentations. Students learn how to identify major structures of animals with an educational, entertaining and hands-on experience conducted in a safe environment. |

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| 64 | Science | Mobile Dairy Classroom | The Dairy Council | Students will learn all about how milk and dairy foods are produced and how they contribute to healthy eating in this interactive assembly, which includes a live cow. Students will discover the anatomy of a dairy cow, how milk goes from cow to their school/home, the agricultural technology used on dairy farms and the many different foods made from milk. The program integrates English Language Arts, Math and Science and free follow-up materials are also provided to teachers. |
| 65 | Science | Mobile Museum and Eco Assemblies | Star Eco Station | STAR ECO comes loaded with animals and animal products for a show about rescued exotic wildlife. Traveling the globe, students will visit the rainforest through the lives of the animals while experiencing them with their hands, learn lots of interesting facts about the animals, the rainforest and themselves as STAR will address the importance of saving the worlds' rainforests. |
| 66 | Science | Mobile Petting Zoo <i>*KINDER END OF YEAR ACTIVITY ONLY</i> | Farm Friendz | Students are entertained and introduced to a number of live animals in a fun and unique way. With minimal amount of space, any location can be transformed into a zoo full of adorable chickens, ducks, sheep, alpacas, potbelly pig, donkey, cow and more. Students will enjoy learning, feeding and petting the lovable assortment of animals. |
| 67 | Science | Ocean Commotion | Marine Activities, Resources & Education (MARE) - Claire the Loon Music | Ocean Commotion uses music and sing-along songs to teach students an appreciation for the oceans and living things found in them. Students will learn all about the ocean environment and the endangered species that inhabit them. They will discover how humans can seriously damage the planet's ecosystems with pollution and overuse, how this affects us and more. |
| 68 | Science | Play and Learn | Wildlife Learning Center | Students will get an up close and personal experience with a Serval Wildcat, North American Porcupine, Snake, Tortoise, Fox, Hedgehog, Alligator, Bunny, Chinchilla, Lizard, Large Python, and a big Bug. |
| 69 | Science | Portable Planetarium Assembly | Full Spectrum Educational Services | Students will be captivated by the magical work of astronomy and learn all about the universe when they enter the Mobile Planetarium. Students will gaze into a starry night to see stars, constellations, and galaxies. Using special effects with lasers, music and slides the program teaches students all about Astronomy and the Solar System. |
| 70 | Science | Puppies & Reptiles for Parties | Puppies & Reptiles for Parties | Students are introduced to a number of live reptiles and/or puppies. They are taught about the animal itself as well as the proper care and feeding of the animal. |
| 71 | Science | Reptile Shows and Presentation | Alpha Reptile | Alpha Reptile Assemblies are science-themed shows designed to amaze and entertain young audiences, invite children to discover the world around them, and pursue careers in the sciences. This highly interactive show includes at least eighteen different animals from around the world. Students learn how to identify major structures of animals with an educational hands-on experience in a safe environment. |
| 72 | Science | Reptiles and Friends | Wildlife Learning Center | Students will have an up-close and personal experience with a variety of animals to learn about biology, wild life, and conservation. Animal presentation to include an African Sulcata Tortoise, American Alligator, Blue-tongue Skink, Gecko, Milk Snake, Legless Lizard, Sand Boa, Rose-haired Tarantula and a Madagascar Hissing Cockroach. |

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| 73 | | Reptile Zoo - Jurassic Parties | The Reptile Zoo | Since its founding on July 10, 2009 The Reptile Zoo has provided the community a unique educational facility which houses reptiles, amphibians, and arachnids from around the world. These animals each have their own story; some are rescues, many were born at The Reptile Zoo, and others were part of private collections. Here guests can learn about these rare animals first-hand with interactive displays and presentations. Through the guidance of our handlers, guests learn proper handling techniques, basic facts about each animal, and gain an increased appreciation for what it takes to care for these animals. |
| 74 | Science | Science Education Programs | Science Education Center of California | The Science Education Center has acquired natural history specimens that go directly into the classroom. These grade-specific education programs are the educational arm of the Science Education Center. The presentations are all conducted by the Center Curator. Programs may include: Earth Science-Physical Science; Life Science presentation; Traveling Natural History Museum Collection, and more. |
| 75 | Science | Science Spectacular | Prismatic Magic Laser Programs | Science Spectacular is an unforgettable science assembly that hits multiple required curricular topics by delving into the mysteries of light, color, perception, and lasers. The assembly ends with an exciting laser light show that will prove science is cool and leave students wanting to learn more. |
| 76 | Science | SkyDome Planetarium | Mobile Ed Productions, Inc. | The Sky Dome is a fascinating tour of the solar system. Students enter the dome to a “star filled sky” and journey through the universe as they learn to identify stars and constellations and mythological characters. |
| 77 | Science | The Ultimate Science Experience - (2-Day Program) | Discovering Science | This two day program features science-based tabletop exhibits. Exhibits are large fun interactive stations that highlight different areas of science and are guaranteed to spark student imagination. The highly interactive show includes a mini assembly followed by museum interaction time. Students will hold tortoises, make enormous bubbles, bend light while mixing faces together, and so much more. At the conclusion of the two day event is a Family STEM Night for students and their families. |
| 78 | Science | <i>Trash Free Lunch Challenge</i> | Grades of Green | Schools participate in the Grades of Green Trash Free Lunch Challenge. Kick-off assemblies will include education about reducing lunchtime waste by encouraging students to pack trash free lunches and sort waste into recycle, compost and landfill bins. |
| 79 | Science | Traveling Nature Class | Valentines Traveling Nature Class | A free flowing, age appropriate, interactive wildlife presentation that encourages group participation. Animals are introduced a few at a time in a manner that is fun and exciting, allowing the audience to experience the wonders of nature in an up-close and controlled setting. Children will be taught how to hold the animals and learn many interesting facts about the animals, their natural environment and their social characteristics. |
| 80 | Science | Traveling Scientist Programs (K-5) | Orange County Department of Education - Inside the Outdoors | Traveling Scientist programs provide a hands-on opportunity for students to develop an awareness and appreciation of the sciences through the exploration of the animal kingdom and physical science concepts. In addition, the programs foster a commitment to the protection and understanding of the environment and community. The programs are aligned with current state standards to ensure curricular needs are met. |

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| 81 | Science | Various Interactive Science Assemblies | Achieve Now | Students will become excited to explore the world around them in these 45 minute Interactive assemblies. Each program offers a child-centered Science topic that allows students to see scientific principles in action by the use of everyday objects. Students can then go home and manipulate the experiments. |
| 82 | Science | Various Shows and Assembly Themes | Mad Science of Los Angeles | Science-themed assemblies designed for young audiences to encourage discovering the world around them and the pursuit of careers in the sciences. These are highly interactive shows that include fascinating science demonstrations. |
| 83 | Science | Walk on the Wild Side | Wild Wonders 5712 Via Montellano Bonsall, CA 92003 | Science comes “alive” in the classroom with our interactive wildlife education programs! Let one or more of our degreed staff of biologists and life scientists, and at least 6 furry, feathered and or scaly teachers come to you for a unique educational experience that will keep your students enthralled and eager to learn more. Each program is tailored to a child’s comprehension at their class and age level. Wild Wonders Inc. is a licensed insured animal education organization of caring professionals with a combined lifetime of experience in animal handling and education. |
| 84 | Science | Water Wanderings | The SEA Lab - Central Basin Municipal Water District | Water Wanderings is a collaborative hands-on classroom program that takes 4-5 grade students on a 2 ½ hour journey through California’s water. Each student will have the opportunity to visit three action-packed stations where they will experience a multimedia game called California Water Jeopardy, a food chain/food web activity, and touch live marine animals and plants on board the “traveling tide pool”, a van outfitted with touch tanks. |
| 85 | Science | <i>Wild America</i> | The Wildlife Company (760) 439-6444 | The Wildlife Company brings live animals i.e., alligator, prairie dog, California desert tortoise, coati, tarantula, and king snake to show and talk about with the students. |
| 86 | Science | Wild Outreach Programs | Nature of WildWorks | Bring the wonders of nature into the classroom through Wild Works Educational Outreach Programs. Program content is tailored to a variety of age levels. Selected animals will be safely brought to the school for a unique and wonderful experience. The 45 minute presentation provides an educational experience for all age levels. |
| 87 | Science/Child Safety | National Theatre for Children (NTC) | NTC | VARIOUS ELEMENTARY PROGRAMS OFFERED Students will learn all about electrical science and safety through three filmed sketches. Puppetry and sing-a-longs will be used for grades K-2 and in-depth discussion questions will be used for grades 3-5. The National Theatre for Children has delivered free programs to schools across the country. Their educational performances teach, entertain and inspire future generations to make the world a better place – and they have worked! |
| 88 | Visual and Performing Arts | Art History and In-School Art Classes | Fibo Kids Art Academy | Art History assemblies are based on a famous artist and include their biography and artwork. Each high tech assemble includes young & energetic hosts, Hollywood actors as the artists, animation, pop music, interactive games & prizes. The week following the assembly, professional art instructors teach a 1 hour drawing fundamentals based lesson inspired by the Art History assembly. |
| 89 | Visual and Performing Arts | Boom Tap | Street Beat – Segerstrom Center for the Arts | This STOMP-inspired, urban percussion group uses the ordinary and makes it extraordinary in an explosive percussion celebration that is sure to get your students moving. Drumming and dancing join forces in this four-man presentation as students discover how these two ancient art forms are wedded together and transplanted to the modern, urban landscape. |

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| 90 | Visual and Performing Arts | Carmel Live | Pieces of Carmel by Carmel Madonna | Presented by Carmel Madonna, a California Certificated Parent Education Teacher, who provides a vocal and instrumental program using original songs about healthy habits. Addresses music standards relating to artistic perception, creative expression, vocal and instrumental musical skills and performing arts. |
| 91 | Visual and Performing Arts | Chic Street Man | The Music Center | Filled with audience participation, this performance features songs that explore a love for people, music and the planet with a philosophy that inspires audiences to help make the world a better place. Chic Street Man incorporates a variety of musical forms all of which have roots that can be traced back to the ancient African tradition of storytelling with call and response. The stories are used for the purpose of spinning a tale, but always to instill in the listeners the spirit of an honorable life and the value of living in harmony with others and to inspire them to make positive contributions to society. His songs explore a love for people, music and the planet and allow the audience to feel, laugh and think about themselves in relation to the world around them. |
| 92 | Visual and Performing Arts | Circus | Jim Gamble Puppet Productions | Calliope and circus band music provide a colorful musical backdrop for string and rod puppets performing circus feats on an open stage. |
| 93 | Visual and Performing Arts | Creative Learning | Jon Pearson | Mr. Pearson has been doing school programs for over 30 years and has won the Professional Artist in Schools Award. He is a featured speaker at the California State PTA Convention. Demonstrates how to use the Drawing process as a reading, writing, and memory tool across the curriculum. |
| 94 | Visual and Performing Arts | Don't Be Afraid; It's Just Opera | The Music Center - Suzanna Guzman | This 45 minute fun, educational and interactive program demonstrates the universal appeal of opera. With this friendly diva as a guide, the audience discovers just how entertaining and moving opera can be. This program is geared towards elementary school audiences. |
| 95 | Visual and Performing Arts | Draw Along | Kyle Tiernan's Draw-Along ART Assembly | During this directive drawing ART assembly, every single one of your students are going to be... Attentive, Educated, and Involved! All of the students will be actively drawing during the entire assembly. It will be the entire student body participating during the whole program...and walking out with an unmatched, SORAINING sense of artistic self confidence and three pictures. |
| 96 | Visual and Performing Arts | Drumming Up World Music | Dancing Drum | Students are taken on an informative "tour" of the world to experience the rhythms and music of five West African countries: Senegal, Guinea, Mali, Niger and Burkina Faso. Students will hear traditional African drumming and learn all about drum rhythms and dances from the region. |
| 97 | Visual and Performing Arts | Free to be Me | Drum Circle | The drum circle is a group of 3 or 4 professional drummers using primitive, as well as contemporary hand drums and percussion instruments, facilitating student participation to create a phenomenal, spontaneous, musical expression which promotes laughing, singing, dancing and beautiful music. |
| 98 | Visual and Performing Arts | Kites for Kids | Kites for Kids c/o The Kite Connection Inc. | Discussion and Visual Presentation, Kite Making, and Professional Kite Flying Demonstration (if weather permits). |

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| 99 | Visual and Performing Arts | Mahana Dance Company | Mahana | Mahana Dance Company is a Polynesian entertainment company offering Hawaii-Style luau experiences that are in alignment with Asian-Pacific Heritage celebrations. In providing diverse and enriching cultural experiences within our educational environment this experience offers a unique opportunity for students to engage with different cultures, broaden their perspectives, and foster a sense of community and inclusivity within the school. |
| 100 | Visual and Performing Arts | Music Concert | Charlotte Diamond | Award winning children and family music performer Charlotte Diamond offers educational, entertaining and interactive music. |
| 101 | Visual and Performing Arts | Pete McLeod, Clean Comedians | Clean Comedians | Mr McLeod provides an entertaining thought provoking comedy and magic show. Students will learn how to build positive character traits that will enable them to be better students. This supports Fern's PBIS Program. |
| 102 | Visual and Performing Arts | Re-Purposed Percussion | Street Beat - Segerstrom Center for the Arts/Arts Teach | This STOMP inspired urban percussion group uses repurposed items for drumming and urban dancers to entertain and create interest in both music and dance. In Re-Purposed Percussion, students will discover the thrilling world of sound and rhythm in this high-energy show where everyday items are transformed into the ultimate drumming experience. |
| 103 | Visual and Performing Arts | School Yard Rap | School Yard Rap | School Yard Rap's goal is to uplift, educate, inspire and create a memory that lasts a lifetime. We believe it's essential to learn and celebrate the diversity of American culture. Our assemblies are scaffolded in content and time for each grade level band (TK-2nd, 3rd-5th). This ensures that each age level has a unique experience that fits their level of competency and content readiness. Assemblies range from 30-60 minutes and can even be organized into a larger workshop or festival experience. Whether it's a thirty-minute performance, an hour-and-a-half concert, or a set for a festival, a live show does more than entertain, it educates and uplifts all; perfect for ALL heritage months and cultural |
| 104 | Visual and Performing Arts | SPLASH! Animal Show | SPLASH! Animals - Christina Grenard & James G. Williams | SPLASH! Animals is a live art experience committed to the conservation of endangered animals. It combines art, music, and choreography and features endangered species. The show starts with a blank canvas and in less than 10 minutes, beautiful portraits of endangered animals are revealed by performing artists. They connect the audience to endangered animals while educating students on the importance of conserving wildlife. |
| 105 | Visual and Performing Arts | The Alley Cats and The Tinkers | The Music Center | Students are introduced to the world of performing arts through vibrant music, dance, theatre and storytelling. The Alley Cats blend of musical talent and comedic timing teaches students about the unique American musical form called "doo-wop" through interesting informative stories and familiar sing along melodies from the 50's to the 60's. The Tinkers, a roving pipe and drum band, provide stirring jigs and rousing reels from the Scottish Highlands, spiced with Celtic tunes of Ireland. Performers provide interesting historical information about the geography, climate and history of Scotland. |
| 106 | Visual and Performing Arts | The Eagle Spirit Dancers | Benjamin Hale | The Hale family, under the direction of Benjamin Hale, presents authentic North American Indian culture through song, dance and story from regions of Northwest, Southwest, and the Great Plains of North America. |

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| 107 | Visual and Performing Arts | <i>The Writing Show</i> | Imagination Machine | A team of professional actors will bring selected student’s stories to life. The actors put on a full production with props, music and costumes to act out the writings of the students and encourage the students to write. |
| 108 | Visual and Performing Arts | <i>We Tell Stories - "Proud to be Me"</i> | The Music Center | <p>This masterful group of theatre artists, founded in 1981 by children’s theatre innovators. Carl Weintraub, uses a unique blend of storytelling, audience participation, and sometimes original music to bring folklore, literature and mythology from all cultures and eras to life. An old trunk filled with homemade props and costumes serves as the vehicle through which sets and characters are created, with ordinary objects transforming to support extraordinary stories. Humor and fantasy enthrall as stories of honesty, friendship, self-esteem and more enlighten all audiences. The professional artists who make up the company of We Tell Stories handle audiences of all age ranges with ease, and consistently deliver first-rate, mad-cap performances with joy and enthusiasm. Whether the viewer is young or simply young at heart, We Tell Stories is sure to capture, entertain and educate.</p> <p>“Proud to be Me” This performance is a multicultural storytelling experience exploring the concept of pride in oneself through three different stories from three different cultures.</p> |
| 109 | Visual and Performing Arts and History – Social Science | <i>Chinese Acrobats</i> | Bureau of Lectures and Concert Artists, Inc. | A team of acrobats perform, and an interpreter enriches each assembly with facts about the particular culture featured, customs and school life of the area. |