

A CITYarts mural project in The Bronx, NY

What:

CITYarts is producing and creating a mural at the New Destiny Housing Resident Playground. Resident youth, their families, friends, volunteers, and artists will work together to create a large-scale outdoor mural that will serve as a welcoming and stimulating backdrop to the playground. Field trips and art workshops will inspire students to learn about local culture and history, and encourage them to be actively involved in transforming their community.

Where:

New Destiny Housing Resident Playground 902 Jennings St. The Bronx, NY 10460

Who:

Collaborators

- New Destiny Housing Residents
- Local students, community volunteers
- Supporters: New Destiny Housing

Why:

CITYarts strives to:

- Engage neighborhood youth to become actively involved in transforming their community.
- Revitalize the neighborhood space to make it more welcoming and enjoyable for the people who live and visit there.
- Bring together youth and families to collaborate on a project that will improve a significant communal space and their quality of life.
- Empower youth to take leadership roles in acting as a positive force in their community

When: TBD



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