

### Extensions for the Arts

**The Grand Auditorium, Ellsworth, Maine** Check out the wide variety of events offered, including Theater workshops and summer camps. <http://grandonline.org/events/>

**New Surry Theater Drama, Blue Hill, Maine** Opportunities for children to participate in shows as well as their summer drama camp. <http://www.newsurrytheatre.org>

**Thomas School of Dance or Robinson Ballet** Two local dance studios if you have an aspiring dancer!

**Maine Gallery & Studio Guide** <http://www.mainegalleryguide.com> Check this out to find galleries and studios in your area, and take your budding artist!

**Peninsula Metamorphic Arts, Blue Hill, Maine** Check out their many offerings throughout the school year and in the summer. This is not just for the arts! <http://peninsulametamorphic.com>

### Gifted and Talented Organizations and Information

National Society for the Gifted and Talented <http://www.nsgt.org/about-the-society/>

William & Mary School of Education Center for Gifted Children <http://education.wm.edu/centers/cfge/>

Maine Department of Education Gifted and Talented <http://www.maine.gov/doe/gifted/>

Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth <http://cty.jhu.edu/cogito>

Gifted Children (a resource for parents of gifted youth) <http://www.gifted-children.com>

Hoagies' Gifted Education Page (The "all things gifted" page) <http://www.hoagiesgifted.org>

National Association for Gifted Children <http://www.nagc.org>

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# Gifted & Talented

Resources for Families



Education is not the  
learning of facts, but the  
training of the mind to  
think.  
-Albert Einstein

# Local Resources

## Math & Science

**University of Maine Cooperative Extension** offers 4-H Programs and Camps throughout the state, including many animal science projects. Learn more: <http://extension.umaine.edu/4h/>

**University of Maine Physics and Astronomy Summer Camp** <http://physics.umaine.edu/summer-camp/>

**Maine Robotics Camps** <http://camps.mainerobotics.org>

## Museums

**Maine Discovery Museum, Bangor, Maine** Kids get hands-on learning at this Downtown complex with interactive exhibits on science & the arts.

**The Wilson Museum, Castine, Maine** View prehistoric artifacts, ship models, firearms, rocks and minerals, a working Blacksmith Shop and more! [info@wilsonmuseum.org](mailto:info@wilsonmuseum.org)

**The Abbe Museum, Bar Harbor, Maine** Learn more about the Wabanaki culture and history. Programs could also include Art in Nature, Storytelling, Archaeology, etc.

**Maine's Arts & Museums** <http://www.maine.gov/portal/travel/arts.html>

## English & Language

**Blue Hill Public Library** Events Calendar <http://host6.evanced.info/bluehill/evanced/eventcalendar.asp>

**Witherle Memorial Library** (Castine) <http://www.witherle.lib.me.us>

**Brooksville Free Public Library** <http://brooksvillelibrary.org>

**Union #93 Summer Camps**- Look for more information in May regarding the dates and locations for these FREE literacy-based camps in School Union #93!

# Online Resources

Interested in learning a new language? Try these:

- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/>
- <http://www.mangolanguages.com/individuals/> (get this app for free by finding a participating library nearby)
- <http://www.learnalanguage.com>

Wishing for a fun way to further your math skills? Try these:

- <https://www.khanacademy.org> (This comes highly recommended by the George Stevens Academy Math Department)
- <http://www.aaamath.com/index.html>
- [www.xtramath.org](http://www.xtramath.org)
- Or ANY of these: <http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/math.htm>

Other cool sites to explore:

- <http://www.scholastic.com/home/> Click on "kids" and start exploring!
- Brain Teasers & Optical Illusions: [http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/brain\\_teasers.htm](http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/brain_teasers.htm)
- Geography: <http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/geography.htm>
- Art, theater and Music: [http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/art\\_theater.htm](http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/art_theater.htm)
- Physics and Mechanics: <http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/physics.htm>
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