

A DAY WITH MOBILE GLASS

THE HASTINGS COLLEGE MOBILE GLASS STUDIO IS A GREAT WAY TO EXPERIENCE A BIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF VISUAL ARTS AND JACKSON DINSDALE ART CENTER (JDAC) AT YOUR SCHOOL!

There are some important technical aspects to the glass and our equipment we must consider when planning our visit. We would need the following in order for us to visit your school:

- -A minimum of four hours for our glass to be heating before the event begins.
- -At least 30 feet of space for the trailer and stage.
- -Access to power-a standard plugin is adequate.
- -Access to water to fill a few buckets.
- -A school representative must be present when we arrive to show us where we can set up our trailer, help set up the stage and where we can plug in for power.
- -At least 1.5 hours to turn down our equipment and repack at the end of the event.

The earliest time we can begin demonstrations is 9:00 a.m. as the glass furnaces must reach 2,000 degrees. If the event begins this early, we would prefer to work out the trailer placement and power source the evening before the event. If the event is after 11:00 am the trailer can be parked and set up the same day beginning at 7:00 am.

We will do demonstrations as required for the event or classes making various small objects, both functional and sculptural. We will narrate the process highlighting important aspects of the material and can discuss topics of science, history, and the art of glass. The best part, this service is FREE for any educational based event!

WE CAN'T WAIT TO SHARE THIS EXPERIENCE WITH YOU!

Please contact Michael Beahm at michael.beahm@hastings.edu or 402-461-7396 to schedule your visit.