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Reviews of Award Winning Educational Programs **The World Turned Upside Down: Music and Stories of the American Revolution**

“My students talked about the Revolutionary War program for days. Some even expressed an interest in learning more about that time in our country’s history. I am already looking forward to it next year.”

~ Riverside Elementary, Marianna, FL

“*The World Turned Upside Down* is the best history program I have ever seen.”

~ Parkway Elementary, Greenwich, CT

“*The World Turned Upside Down* makes a difference in children’s lives. The message is powerful, the presentation is fun. I look forward to seeing it again next year.”

~ Riverside Elementary, Marianna, FL

“I loved *The World Turned Upside Down*. The presenters are not only knowledgeable but portrayed passion and excitement for history which was simply contagious. All of our children were stars in the program, even those who are the quietest in class loved having a moment to shine in front of their peers. This is such a good program on so many levels. Thank you for a fantastic program!”

~ Ms. Paige Cavanaugh, 5th grade teacher

“The 5th grade American history students just witnessed the most remarkable program called *The World Turned Upside Down*.”

~ Lake Asbury

“This is a history lesson unlike any other. This engaging and interactive program presents the story of the struggle for freedom and how that struggle continues through the decades. Students were able to experience a day in the life of a patriot soldier. This program accomplishes academic instruction with great entertainment!”

~ School Board of Nassau County, FL



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"It would be hard to improve upon *The World Turned Upside Down: Music and Stories of the American Revolution*. This is a program that truly integrates the arts and curriculum. Our students and teachers love this program year after year. We are amazed how the students demonstrate that they integrate the material for future use in our New York State Social Studies testing. Donna and Joy present the American Revolution with energy, enthusiasm and expertise. We have had the program as an enrichment component for our curriculum for six consecutive years!"

~ George M. Davis Elementary, New Rochelle, NY

"The excitement and student involvement in the Revolutionary War and history in general that was generated by *The World Turned Upside Down* is immeasurable. Students cheered, stood at attention, recited facts, and *became* part of the history that we are studying. This will be a program long remembered."

~ Baker School, Baker, FL

"This was the highlight of the year! As teachers with a combined 70 years experience teaching 8th grade history, we know what a perfect lesson is. Thanks to Donna and Joy, we were able to deliver the perfect history lesson to all of our American History students. Each student was able to participate and each came away with something of value. It was fabulous."

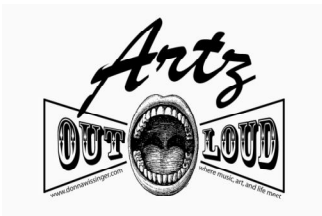
~ Fort King Middle School

"Fabulous! *The World Turned Upside Down* presentation by Donna Wissinger and Joy Myers was astoundingly entertaining and informative. It captivated both student and adult interest for the entire hour and left the audience with historical knowledge peppered with a flavor of music and a study of words and language common for the times. Costumes and interactive involvement increased interest. The wit and humor throughout the presentation was amazing and students "caught" it. All elements of a superb presentation are addressed!"

~ Graceville Elementary, FL

"We would never consider studying the American Revolution without *The World Turned Upside Down*! This is our 9th year; our younger students look forward to being in the 4th grade so they can have it!"

~ West Roads School, NY



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“The World Turned Upside Down is engaging and entertaining. Donna and Joy used energy, humor, and a fast pace to make the history come alive. They involved the students in the “performance” by giving them speaking parts and teaching them military drills. Students learn about the American Revolution in the 5th grade curriculum in both music and social studies classes so this tied nicely to things covered this year in both subjects. Fourth graders will have a head start because of this presentation!”

~ Altha School, FL

“The students were completely enthralled with the performance. Ms. Wissinger and Ms. Myers presented *The World Turned Upside Down* with much enthusiasm and expertise. The students were hardly aware that they were actually learning facts about American history as well as being wonderfully entertained!”

~ Graceville Elementary, FL