

Table 1211. Attendance Rates for Various Arts Activities: 2002

[In percent. For persons 18 years and over. Represents attendance at least once in the prior 12 months. Excludes elementary and high school performances. Based on the 2002 household survey Public Participation in the Arts. See also Tables 1210 and 1212]

Item	Jazz	Classical music	Musicals	Non-musical plays	Ballet	Art museums/galleries	Art/craft fairs and festivals	Historic sites ¹	Literature ²
Total	10.8	11.6	17.1	12.3	3.9	26.5	33.4	31.6	46.7
Sex: Male	10.7	10.3	14.0	10.3	2.5	24.6	27.0	30.5	37.6
Female	10.8	12.7	20.0	14.2	5.1	28.2	39.2	32.5	55.1
Race and Ethnicity:									
White alone	11.4	13.7	20.1	14.2	4.7	29.5	38.0	36.0	51.4
African American alone	12.7	4.5	10.3	7.1	1.5	14.8	9.7	17.8	37.1
Other alone	7.3	10.3	11.9	10.0	2.3	32.7	25.8	30.4	43.7
Hispanic	6.2	5.5	6.9	6.2	1.6	16.1	20.3	17.2	26.5
Age:									
18 to 24 years old	10.5	7.8	14.8	11.4	2.6	23.7	29.2	28.3	42.8
25 to 34 years old	10.8	9.0	15.4	10.7	3.5	26.7	33.5	33.3	47.7
35 to 44 years old	13.0	10.7	19.1	13.0	4.9	27.4	37.2	35.8	46.6
45 to 54 years old	13.9	15.2	19.3	15.2	5.1	32.9	38.8	38.0	51.6
55 to 64 years old	8.8	15.6	19.7	13.8	3.3	27.8	35.1	31.6	48.9
65 to 74 years old	7.6	12.5	16.6	13.0	3.3	23.4	31.1	24.2	45.3
75 years old and older	3.9	9.5	10.1	5.4	2.2	13.4	15.7	12.8	36.7
Education:									
Grade school	0.9	1.5	1.6	1.1	–	4.5	8.4	6.3	14.0
Some high school	2.7	1.9	4.1	3.7	0.8	7.7	14.0	11.4	23.4
High school graduate	5.3	4.5	9.1	5.7	1.2	14.2	25.7	20.2	37.7
Some college	12.2	11.5	19.4	12.7	3.9	29.0	38.2	36.5	52.9
College graduate	19.4	21.9	30.2	22.5	7.2	46.6	49.3	51.2	63.1
Graduate school	24.0	34.1	37.6	31.8	12.9	58.6	51.9	56.8	74.3
Income:									
Less than \$10,000	5.1	6.7	7.6	5.3	1.5	12.4	19.7	14.1	32.1
\$10,000 to \$19,999	5.4	5.2	8.2	5.4	1.9	14.0	21.4	14.9	37.5
\$20,000 to \$29,999	6.3	6.3	8.6	6.0	2.4	16.2	24.5	20.8	37.5
\$30,000 to \$39,999	10.9	10.3	13.6	10.0	2.8	23.3	33.2	28.6	44.1
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10.3	12.9	16.1	12.2	3.6	25.3	34.6	32.7	47.9
\$50,000 to \$74,999	11.2	12.4	21.5	14.0	4.3	30.4	40.3	39.1	52.3
\$75,000 or More	18.2	19.9	29.3	21.8	7.2	44.6	46.5	50.9	60.8

– Represents or rounds to zero. ¹ Parks, historic buildings, neighborhoods. ² Read a book (literature) during the previous twelve months. Includes novels, short stories, poetry, and/or plays.

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