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FEATURED PRESENTER

CARRIE MAE WEEMS

Carrie Mae Weems is a widely influential American artist whose work gives voice to people whose stories have been silenced or ignored. Over the course of 40 years, she has built an acclaimed body of work using photographs, text, fabric, audio, digital images, installation, and video. Since the 1980s, Weems's work has been seen around the world, and she has inspired a generation of artists with her poetic and original approach to storytelling.

In her keynote presentation, she will share her own story and talk about the power of art, how we connect with history, and why art teachers play an important role in the lives of so many people.



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