There's an artist in all of us.



SUMMER 2024 Children & Teen Art Camps Adult Programs EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION! Sign up by April 26th and you could win your class/camp for FREE! See registration page for details. Cover Art (detail): "Circle with Yellow Curby DVSA instructor, Nancy Benoy

Classes offered in: Drawing • Painting • Pottery • Photography • Jewellery • Sculpture • Printmaking • Glass Art and more





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Have your family take part in an imaginative summer experience that for many children is the highlight of the season. Taught by qualified, professional artists, DVSA Summer Art Camps encourage originality and are designed to develop your child's creative literacy and art skills – all in a fun and supportive studio environment.

Choose Your Week – Plan Your Days!

We offer 9 sessions of week-long Summer Art Camps running from July 4 – September 1. There are half or full day program options plus extended drop off and pick-up times to help accommodate busy schedules.

- Morning camp programs are from 9:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m.
- Afternoon camp programs are from 1:00 3:30 p.m.

Children signed up for both the morning and afternoon are automatically a part of the supervised lunch program from 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. We strive to be peanut/nut free. Please pack lunches and snacks accordingly.

We Have On-Site Extended Care!

We're pleased to continue offering an on-site Extended Care Program for our young artists during the summer camp weeks. Offered from 7:30 - 9:00 a.m.* and 3:30 - 6:00 p.m., this program provides the children with a nurturing environment, engaging programming and quality supervision from our care provider.

Cost: \$80 for the week (\$64 for 4 day weeks). Full week only, no refunds.

Snacks: Children must bring their own peanut/nut free snacks

Registration: Pre-registration and pre-payment is required. Register online at dvsa.ca/classes under Summer Art Camps or call 905-628-6357 #1 to reserve. Availability is limited.

*Regular on-site supervision begins at 9:00 a.m. with classes starting at 9:30 a.m. Pick up is from 3:30 – 4:00 p.m.

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Children & Teens Summer Program Schedule

Age	Week 1 (4 days) July 2 – 5	Week 2 July 8 – 12	Week 3 July 15 – 19			
MORNING 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.						
4–6	Summer Little Potters Big Mess! Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)	Bursts of Colour Sunny Days of Summer Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)	Summer Little Potters Art Adventurers Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)			
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MORNING 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.						
4–6	Sunny Days of Summer Art Adventurers Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)	Bursts of Colour Rainbow Animals Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)	Summer Little Potters Art Adventurers Build-a-Bug (Ages 6+) Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)			
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	AFI	ERNOON 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.				
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MORNING 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.						
4–6	Rainbow Animals Art Adventurers Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)	Art Adventurers Sunny Days of Summer Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)	Rainbow Animals Lego Art Build-a-Bug (Ages 6+) Pottery-Palooza (Ages 6-7)			
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11+	Teen Summer Painting Studio: Oil Painting Summer Teen Pottery Teen Nature Photography (Ages 12+) Teen Drawing, Painting & Sculpture (Ages 12+) (Ancaster Memorial Centre) (FULL DAY)	Watercolour and Ink for Teens Drawing Anime Teen Drawing, Painting & Sculpture (Ages 12+) (Ancaster Memorial Centre) (FULL DAY)	Teen Summer Painting Studio: Landscape Painting in Acrylic or Oil Abstract Art for Teens			
	AFT	ERNOON 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.				
4–6	Rainbow Animals Art Adventurers Everything Under The Sun! (Ages 6+)	Art Adventurers Sunny Days of Summer Everything Under The Sun! (Ages 6+)	Rainbow Animals Lego Art Build-a-Bug (Ages 6+) Everything Under The Sun! (Ages 6+)			
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Please note: the same program activities are offered in AM & PM - students staying all day should choose an alternate camp for their other morning or afternoon session.

HST Savings!

HST is not charged on the tuition portion for Children and Teen Art Camps, meaning a significantly less HST charge than the expected 13%.

1C01 Bursts of Colour Ages 4-6

Weeks 2 & 5 • AM or PM

Tina Destro, B.A.

Vibrant shades and hues take centre stage for a colourful and active week of drawing, painting and sculpture construction. We'll explore the techniques of other artists who use wonderful colour in their work and build on their ideas to make our own expressive creations. Drawing objects, painting scenes and creating sculptures means it's a lively studio filled with dazzling artwork and new friends.

Members: \$151.04 + HST. Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C02 *NEW* Summer Little Potters Ages 4-6

Weeks 1, 3, 6 • AM or PM

Amanda Jameson, B.F.A./ Marina Van Raay (Sheridan)

A special summer session for your little one to explore the world of clay creation. While introducing basic pottery techniques, we'll focus on fun handbuilding projects that draw on themes such as nature, animals and outer space. Plenty of time for individual exploration – plenty of clay for imaginations to take flight! Week 1 & 6 Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST

Week 3 Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C03 Sunny Days of Summer Ages 4-6

Weeks 2. 4. 8 • AM or PM

Nancy Benoy, B.A.

Can you say jumbo 10 scoop ice-cream cone? We'll explore extravagantly wonderful summer themes like this one and many more through engaging and fun art projects. The artists will work with a range of art forms including watercolour, printing, collage and more!

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C04 Big Mess! A Paint Spectacular Ages 4-6

Week 1 • AM or PM

Heather Smith, B.A.

When creativity flows, things are bound to get messy! Big Mess is for children who LOVE, LOVE, LOVE to paint. We'll experiment with stenciling, stamping, using strings, brushes, household objects and finger painting to create radiant masterpieces. An art smock/apron is highly recommended!

Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST

1C05 *NEW* Rainbow Animals Ages 4-6

Weeks 5, 7, 9 • AM or PM

Lena Montecalvo/Amanda Jameson, B.F.A.

Let's play with all the colours of the rainbow! In this vibrant studio, we'll create a fun and dazzling new animal kingdom – imagine bright and bold painted bunnies, luminous fish, radiant lions and more. Using different materials like pastels, watercolour, chalk and ink, the possibilities are endless for inventing our creatures and all the magical new worlds they'll inhabit.

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C06 Art Adventurers Ages 4-6

Weeks 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 • AM or PM

Sandra Greenblatt, B.A.

We'll embark on a new creative adventure each week – exploring drawing, painting and collage while trying a range of techniques and styles. Special story times are included each day and our intrepid art adventurers will each create a sketchbook and art portfolio. Note: The same program activities are offered in AM & PM. Students staying all day should choose an alternate camp for their other morning or afternoon session.

Week 3: Adventures with Colour

Week 4: Adventures with Animals

Week 6: Adventures with Painting

Week 7: Adventures with Great Artists

Week 8: Adventures with Paper and Collage Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

Week 6 Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST

1C07 Lego Art Ages 4-6

Week 9 • AM or PM

Lena Montecalvo

Lego can be much more than just a building material. In this week of drawing, painting, printmaking and sculpting, Lego will provide not just the inspiration, but the means to make great art. We'll use pieces of Lego as stamps, structures and storytelling in this imaginative "think outside the brick" week of art adventures. Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C08 Build-a-Bug Ages 6+

Ariella Boltinsky, B.F.A.

Week 6 & 9 • AM or PM

A buzzing art camp designed for beginner sewers. We'll delve into a variety of crafting and sewing techniques as we transform and repurpose materials to create one-of-a-kind creatures. The fabric artists will explore the possibilities of stitching and patching and then adorn eyes, wings, fur, hair and more as they learn how to form their unique crawly stuffies. No sewing experience needed.

Week 6 Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST Week 9 Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST



1C09 Pottery-Palooza

Weeks 1 – 9 • AM Ages 6-7 • PM Ages 8-10

Marina Van Raay (Sheridan) / Christie Gruppé, B.F.A. / Karla Rivera (Sheridan)

Laughter Alert: Making pottery is highly addictive and may cause creativity, new ideas and gales of laughter. Your potter will explore the joys of clay in this summer favourite, tackling fun projects that will build both their wheel and hand building techniques.

Week 1 & 6 Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C10 *NEW* Everything Under The Sun!

Weeks 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9 • AM Ages 8+

Weeks 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9 • PM Ages 6+

Heather Smith, B.A.

A jam-packed art making studio where we try all art has to offer. We'll dive into a blend of fun projects designed to develop art skills and promote experimentation with a variety of different materials including acrylic and watercolour, drawing tools, paper sculpture and other 3-D mediums. Prepare the home walls for a special and original art exhibition courtesy of your young artist and all their creations from the week! Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C11 *NEW* Super Mario Party Pottery Ages 7+

Week 1 • AM or PM

Dawn Hackett-Burns (Sheridan)

Mamma-Mia! It's a super-fun pottery week featuring those beloved citizens of the mushroom kingdom. From Mario and Luigi to Donkey Kong, we'll use hand-building techniques such as pinch and coil to construct 3-D clay versions of all our favourite characters, plus imagine some new ones!

Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST

1C12 *NEW* Summer Murals Ages 7+

Week 1 • AM or PM

Chris Perez, B.F.A.

We'll make BIG murals to hang outside DVSA for all to see! Working together in teams, we'll explore techniques in drawing, spray painting, sketching and stenciling as we create large scale artworks. The artists will come up with ideas, designs and characters, then put them all together in fabulous final artworks. Old clothing ready to take on paint splatters and drips is recommended.

Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST

1C13 Nature's Art Box

Week 3 • AM Ages 7+ • PM Ages 6-7

Nancy Benov. B.A.

Budding artists and nature lovers will enjoy experimenting with leaves, twigs, seeds, flowers and rocks as we use our natural surroundings to make art. Some projects will be inspired by nature, and some will use nature's materials to create vibrant paintings and sculptures. Whether we're in the studio or outside in the courtyard, the ideas for our projects will come.. well, naturally. Please note: the artists will be going offsite on supervised walks to collect items and to sketch and paint en plein air.

Members Fee: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

"DVSA feels like home to my son. He comes home and wants to do more art! I love seeing his creativity."

- Jen Coffer

1C14 Drawing and Painting Ages 7+

Week 1 & 6 • AM or PM

Michelle Guitard (Georgian College)

If your child is one of those that just can't make enough, can't get enough, can't learn enough-type artists, this intensive week is about taking their skills to the next level. With a focus on techniques, tools and what it takes to create a better-quality piece in each exercise, the artists will have a week-long deep dive of real growth as they build new skills designed to make their innate talents shine.

Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST

1C15 Wild Watercolour Ages 7+

Week 7 & 9 • AM or PM

Nancy Benoy, B.A.

Vibrant results are bound to emerge in this studio as we explore the incredible and versatile medium of watercolour. The artists will learn step-by-step the methods of brush handling and colour mixing and try techniques like wet on wet, wet over wet, wet over dry, blotting, pastel resist and more. Throughout the week, we'll make unique and original paintings while working with a range of subjects – floral, landscape, abstract or any subject we feel inspired to paint. We'll also investigate the use of inks and markers that can add vibrant and unexpected surprises. Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C16 Pokémon Drawing & Sculpture Ages 7+

Week 8 • AM or PM

Amanda Jameson, B.F.A.

We'll explore the wild world of Pokémon as we look to build our drawing skills and sculpting techniques. Projects include drawing and painting Pokémon characters, creating stories/comics starring our favourite Pokémon and sculpting colourful and inventive worlds for the characters to inhabit.

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C17 Cartoon Magic Ages 7+

Weeks 2, 3, 7, 8 • AM or PM

Jerry Hish (DVSA)

An art camp favourite! Imaginations come alive in this inspiring studio with a focus on the fundamentals of cartooning and character design. Topics include learning to draw expressions and actions, developing humour and more. A wide variety of exciting projects throughout are sure to generate original cartoon classics ready for sharing. Cartoonists need to bring their own 8 X 10 spiral ringed sketchbook.

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

- **Week 2: Wacky World of Animals** From north to south, east to west, it's time to go on a week-long sketching safari. Drawing zany zoo creatures and creating fantastical beasts, we'll explore the fur, feathers and fun of cartooning a vibrant animal kingdom in hilarious scenarios.
- **Week 3: Heroes, Villains & Sidekicks** POW! BAM! KA-BOOM! Our powers are unleashed as we design mighty superheroes, craft cunning villains and create loyal sidekicks, diving into the action-packed world of comic books through dynamic and imaginative illustrations.
- Week 7: *NEW* Summer Toons From the beachside to the amusement park and into the ice cream shop, we'll let our inventiveness shine as we get a little madcap and draw hysterical summery scenes, sights and characters.
- Week 8: Out Of This World Be prepared, earthlings! We'll blast off on a cosmic cartooning adventure in outer space as we learn to draw astronauts, aliens, spaceships and other mind-bending galactic scenes.

1C18 Summertime Cartoons Ages 7+

Week 1 • PM

Week 6 • AM or PM

Miles Wallace, B.A., O.C.T.

It's all about designing cartoon illustrations and comic strips in this summer studio. Lessons will focus on basic contour drawing and illustration techniques plus how to embellish, emphasize and exaggerate features for fun and silly characters. Each day, we'll complete cartooning projects with entertaining themes like animals, robots and monsters. Ideal for beginners and those with previous cartooning experience.

Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST

1C19 Fabric Arts Lab Ages 7+

Weeks 1 & 5 • AM or PM

Ariella Boltinsky, B.F.A.

Get ready for some sew-wonderfully fun projects! Fleece, felt, ribbons, beads and dyes fill the studio as we sew, stuff and stitch. The fabric artists will learn how to easily thread a needle, tie a knot and sew on buttons and beads while trying out various stitches. Bring a plain t-shirt to use for one of our creations.

Week 1 Members: \$125.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$129 + HST Week 5 Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C20 Jewelz Ages 7+

Week 5 • AM or PM

Amanda Jameson, B.F.A.

Bring on the bling! This fun camp has artists creating wearable and trendy jewellery as they learn a variety of techniques that include beading methods such as stringing, looping and threading. Creativity will be flowing as we create a variety of bracelets, necklaces, rings and keychains. Lessons build on each other throughout the week, allowing for a progressive session that will fill jewellery boxes with unique and special pieces. Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C21 *NEW* Sew & Stitches Ages 7+

Weeks 4 • AM or PM

Ariella Boltinsky, B.F.A.

Using a range of sewing techniques, we'll design something fantastical from the wilds of our imaginations. Working with patterns, decorating fabrics with dyes and stitching threads and buttons, we'll piece everything together to create a unique handmade toy or doll. It's art you can squeeze!

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST



1C22 Summer Print Works Ages 7+

Week 4 • AM or PM

Amanda Jameson, B.F.A.

The vibrant colours of printmaking come alive in the print studio as we create one-of-a-kind images and other astonishing artworks. We'll explore different print techniques from using pre-formed stamps to creating our own relief prints and calliographs. Paints and water-based inks will be used throughout. Artists, please bring a plain cotton t-shirt or pillowcase on which we can print your designs.

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C23 Digital Photography for Kids Ages 7+

Week 1 • AM

Miles Wallace, B.A., O.C.T.

An essential camp for any young shutterbug. We'll ditch the camera's Auto mode and go full Manual to unlock a new world of creative possibilities. Also included are photography basics such as angles, composition and lighting – knowledge sure to make any pics stand out. This camp requires a digital camera with some manual settings (point & shoot, DSLR or mirrorless – not a phone/tablet camera). Note: the photographers will be venturing offsite on supervised walks to take photos.

Members: \$135.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$139 + HST (Price includes a media lab fee)

1C24 Stop Motion Animation Ages 8+

Week 5 • AM or PM

Mike Cope, B.A., B.Ed., O.C.T.

Animation is the illusion of movement, but good stop motion is more than just making things move. In this studio, the artists will learn how to create believable and entertaining illusions. We'll bring inanimate objects to life while exploring a variety of stop motion mediums such as clay, paper cut-outs, LEGO and more! Ideal for beginner to experienced young animators. Participants must bring their own tablet, smartphone or laptop (with an external webcam) and have the app Stop Motion Studio (free version) preinstalled. iPads are available to borrow from DVSA for free for those that need one for the week. Members: \$211.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$215 + HST (Price includes a \$75 equipment fee)



1C25 Pokémon Pottery Ages 8+

Week 2 • AM or PM

Dawn Hackett-Burns (Sheridan)

Gotta catch 'em all! With Pikachu, Charmander and all their Pokémon friends hiding out for a week in the pottery studio, we'll use hand-building techniques such as pinch and coil to construct 3-D clay versions of all our favourite characters. Could this be the nursery of all nurseries?

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C26 FYP (For Your Page) Pottery Ages 8+

Week 8 • AM or PM

Amanda Kopas, B.F.A.

Get ready to delve into viral TikTok pottery memes in this hands-on pottery camp. We'll focus on trends such as the ceramic food challenge, tiny pot challenge, kinsugi repair, blindfolded building and other viral pottery techniques. We'll also cover miniature throwing and sculpting along with painting and finishing techniques while focusing on scale, tromp l'oeil and muscle memory. Some previous pottery experience recommended. Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C27 Harry Pottery Ages 8+

Week 9 • AM or PM

Dawn Hackett-Burns (Sheridan)

Move over Dumbledore! In this magical summer camp, we'll shape clay to recreate iconic characters and favourite scenes from the wizarding world. Using hand building techniques such as pinching, coiling and slab building, we'll be inspired by the sorting hat, quidditch and Harry himself as we create our own fantastical Hogwarts in the pottery studio. No Muggles allowed!

Members: \$151.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$155 + HST

1C28 Introduction to Cartoon Animation Ages 11+

Mike Cope, B.A., B.Ed., O.C.T.

Week 1 • AM or PM

Bring your drawings to life as you explore the magic of cartoon animation! You'll learn about the famous 12 Basic Principles of Animation (ie. squash & stretch, anticipation, follow through & overlapping action) and get to work using special tools of the trade, including animation peg bars and lightboxes, as well as computer and camera equipment to digitize each drawing into video format. You'll also further develop your skills in cartoon character design and visual storytelling by creating your own model/expression sheets, character rotations and storyboards. At least one previous cartooning and/or drawing class is recommended.

Members: \$185.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$189 + HST (Price includes a \$75 equipment fee)

"My daughter loved art camp! I'm so amazed at how much she has progressed and how much she is creating. They had so much fun making things and loved the instructor and her peers."

- DVSA Parent

1C29 *NEW* Teen Summer Painting Studio Ages 11+

Miles Wallace, B.A., O.C.T.

The perfect week for artists who love painting in a social setting. Take one or all three of these sessions exploring different painting media and subjects – each designed to help you improve your technical understanding while developing your process and artistic voice. No previous experience required.

Acrylic Painting

Week 5 • AM or PM

Learn the best techniques for getting the most out of acrylic paints through a series of fun small projects designed to develop your talents. Topics include brushwork, colour theory and mixing, value, perspective and composition. Members: \$161.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

Oil Painting

Week 7 • AM or PM

Explore how oil paints can unlock a whole new creative experience. This week is an introduction to the oil medium and includes guidance on paint application, palette control, colour mixing, value, composition and much more. Projects include still-life painting and smaller activities aimed at building your knowledge and skills. Members: \$161.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

Landscape Painting In Acrylic or Oil

Week 9 • AM or PM

This engaging week offers a great introduction to the foundations of landscape painting. We'll explore the concepts of light and shadow, atmospheric perspective, composition and more as we learn how to depict the natural world and its surroundings to create inspired works. Use acrylic or oil paint – your choice! Members: \$161.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST



1C30 Watercolour and Inks for Teens Ages 11+

Weeks 3, 4, 6, 8 • AM or PM

Lena Montecalvo

Colouring outside the lines and breaking the rules of art is encouraged in this studio. You'll develop a strong foundation of watercolour painting techniques that can be applied to floral, landscape, abstract or any subject you feel inspired to paint. We'll also try our hand at incorporating pen and ink, resist materials, pastels, markers, salt and watercolour pencils. When you splash, splatter and spray, drip, pour and scratch, vibrant results are bound to happen! Members: \$161.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

Week 6 Members: \$135.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$139 + HST

1C31 Abstract Art for Teens Ages 11+

Week 9 • AM or PM

Michelle Guitard (Georgian College)

Let's experiment in the studio! Making abstract art offers new opportunities to express yourself as we plunge into expressive colour mixing, brushwork and design. We'll review different abstract works produced throughout history, study the abstract "rules" and learn more about modern artists, their mediums and motivation. And of course, we'll make our own art, including painting with acrylic on canvas using a variety of tools, working with paper and cardboard, exploring watercolour techniques, trying out printmaking methods and creating sculpture using found objects. There'll be lots of demos and free time to explore each medium to see what you can create. Members: \$161.04 + HST. Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1C32 Stained Glass for Teens Ages 11+

Week 2 • AM or PM

Siobhan Lynch

A remarkable summer experience — discover the basic steps of creating a beautiful stained glass work of art you can share with someone special (or keep it for yourself!). You'll explore the properties of glass with its many textures and colours and learn the essential techniques to make a striking piece of glass art such as a suncatcher. All tools and materials provided — just show up, ready to shine!

Members: \$185.07 + HST, Non-Members: \$189 + HST (Price includes a \$50 material fee)

1C33 Summer Teen Pottery Ages 11+

Weeks 3, 4, 6, 7 • AM or PM

Amanda Kopas, B.F.A.

Get your hands deep in clay and explore handbuilding and hot and cold surface treatments as you create your own pottery pieces. It'll be a week of cool projects that push the boundaries. There will also be a day of throwing on the pottery wheels. This is a great camp for connecting with new friends while developing your independent approaches and ideas. Members: \$171.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$175 + HST

Week 6 Members: \$145.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$149 + HST

1C34 Sculpture for Teens Ages 11+

Week 5 • AM or PM

Amanda Kopas, B.F.A.

Let your imagination stretch into 3-D! We'll push the boundaries of form and composition in this fun and engaging studio session. Exploring the additive and subtractive process using clay, our investigations will intertwine two and three-dimensional considerations to develop all new possibilities in sculpture. Let's see what you come up with!

Members: \$171.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$175 + HST

1C35 Mosaics for Teens Ages 11+

Week 6 • AM or PM

Suzanne Coverett Earls, B.A.

Colours, forms and materials explode with vitality as we learn to "draw, paint and sculpt" with pieces of broken treasures. This modern approach to the historic art of mosaics will challenge you to create unique indoor mosaic projects certain to fire those creative neurons and turn a few heads. Some materials to be supplied by the student.

Members: \$145.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$149 + HST (Price includes a \$35 material fee)

1C36 Portrait Drawing for Teens Ages 11+

Week 4 • AM or PM

Miles Wallace, B.A., O.C.T.

This beginner's portrait drawing class will give you the encouragement and basic skills needed to create convincing portraits that make people say, "That looks just like them!" Using different media such as pencil and charcoal, we'll explore how to draw accurate facial expressions, gestures and poses and tackle important topics such as perspective and proportion. Lots of guidance and plenty of good fun.

Members: \$200.97 + HST, Non-Members: \$205 + HST (Price includes model fee).

1C37 Cyber Art Ages 11+

Week 3 • AM or PM

Miles Wallace, B.A., O.C.T.

Let's take our ideas into the media lab and design new and exciting compositions for the digital age! We'll explore Adobe software that allows us to manipulate photos, collage images and digitally paint or illustrate to create original and impactful artwork. Other projects include image restoration, superimposing, photo tracing, poster design and procedural art. By the end of the week, you'll have a handle on the basics of digital design and be using technology to create imaginative art you can share online with friends. *Artists are welcome to bring in their own device with the design program of their choice, if they prefer.

Members: \$161.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1C38 Drawing Anime Ages 11+

Weeks 2 & 8 • AM or PM

Miles Wallace, B.A., O.C.T.

Throwback time! We'll investigate popular Anime references – old and new – and create whimsical characters and scenes inspired by those styles. Learn how to use anime and manga illustration techniques to create forms in proportion with expressive faces and unique features. Projects include designing original thematic characters, backgrounds and props, poster design and inking.

Members: \$161.04 + HST. Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1C39 *NEW* Teen Graffiti Ages 12+

Weeks 2 • AM or PM Chris Perez, B.F.A.

Chris is an experienced mural artist influenced by abstract art, street art and graffiti. Under his guidance, you'll safely learn graffiti materials and techniques, working individually and in teams to create large, expressive mural art that will be displayed outside of DVSA for everyone to see. Make sure to wear clothes that can get paint on them! Members: \$161.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

"It was our child's first camp experience and she loved all of it!

Thank you!"

- Kirsten Holubeshen

1C40 Teen Nature Photography Ages 12+

Week 7 • AM or PM Jennifer Finn, B.A.

Capture nature at its best as we explore Dundas' natural beauty with our cameras. You'll learn how to creatively photograph trees, flowers, plants and birds using different viewpoints and perspectives. Learn the camera settings for different situations and how to work with natural light, composition and framing to capture the essence of your subject. Each day will consist of a photo walk. On the last day, we'll sort and share our images, print one and discuss our favourite photos. Participants should have some basic photography knowledge and bring their own DSLR or point and shoot camera.

Members: \$161.04 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

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1C41 Teen Drawing, Painting & Sculpture Ages 12+

Cassandra Ferguson, B.F.A., M.F.A.

Weeks 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 • 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Expand and challenge your understanding of what art can be! This week in the studio is all about exploring and experimenting with different artistic mediums, materials, concepts and dimensions. Working between 2-D and 3-D, you'll create artworks in drawing, painting, collage, printmaking and sculpture. We'll develop technical skills in realistic drawing activities, learn about colour theory, try innovative techniques for painting and explore practical mechanics and processes in the building of sculptures and 3-D forms. Most importantly, you'll expand your material "vocabulary" as we work with charcoal, pastels, paints, wire, wood, clay, plastic and fabric while looking at different historical art styles and movements for inspiration. It's an intense and very fun week, sure to pop your creative thinking out of the box!

Members: \$426.82 + HST, Non-Members: \$439 + HST (includes facility rental fee)
Week 6 Members: \$345.34 + HST, Non-Members: \$355 + HST (includes facility rental fee)



All of our adult day classes include a one-hour lunch break.

Art materials are to be provided by the student unless otherwise noted.

1A01 Beginners' Drawing

A: Tuesday: July 2 – August 20 (8 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Guennadi Kalinine, B.A.

B: Thursday: July 4 – August 22 (8 weeks) 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. (Online) Guennadi Kalinine, B.A.

C: Tuesday, August 6 – Friday, August 9 (4 days) 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Holly Sneath, B.A., M.F.A.

For anyone looking to become an artist, basic drawing skills are considered essential. This introduction to drawing course will develop your drawing and shading skills — all in a supportive and inspirational environment. Topics include perspective and composition as well as the fundamentals of learning how to see. Class demonstrations and individual instruction provided throughout.

Section A Members: \$232.19 + HST, Non-Members: \$239 + HST Section B Members: \$202.97 + HST; Non-Members: \$209 + HST Section C Members: \$131.19 + HST; Non-Members: \$135 + HST

1A02 Drawing for the Petrified – 8 Week Edition (Held at Ancaster Memorial AC) 🔕

Giulia Morosin, B.F.A.

Wednesday: July 10 - August 28 (8 weeks) 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

An absolute beginner's drawing class for those who have always aspired to draw but may be holding back. Learning to draw is essential for all aspiring artists and in this studio you'll take those first steps with the encouraging handhold you've been looking for. Even if the idea of putting a dot on a piece of paper makes you feel a tiny bit tremulous, over eight weeks, we'll explore how to bring eye, hand and pencil to paper and expand basic lines into shaded forms, moving textures and more. With the additional classes, we'll go further in our journey as we address the facial proportions of a self-portrait, delve into landscape drawing and work with thumbnail sketches to assist with composition. All materials are supplied – just show up and let it happen. Members: \$339.79 + HST, Non-Members: \$349 + HST (Price includes a \$30 material fee and facility rental fee)

1A03 Drawing Boot Camp Ages 16+ (Art Portfolio)

Anastasia Petrovic, B.F.A.

Monday, July 29 - Friday, August 2 (5 days) 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Build your drawing portfolio in preparation for applying for art programs at college or university. In this weeklong course, we will do a deep dive into the fundamentals of drawing, exploring seeing and responding, line, perspective and tonal rendering. Throughout the course we will focus on perspective drawing, and the different types of perspective drawing. Three days of the course will focus on figure drawing, which includes drawing the portrait, costume drawing and drawing from the nude figure. Members: \$204.31 + HST, Non-Members: \$209 + HST (Price includes model fee)

1A04 Drawing & Painting from the Portrait & Costume Model (Various models)

Katherine MacDonald, B.F.A.

Monday, July 8 – Friday, July 12 (5 days) 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Capture the complexity and grace of the human subject. In this week-long intensive course, you'll work on drawings or paintings of various models in the medium of your choice. Group and individual instruction provided throughout. All levels.

Members: \$376.49 + HST, Non-Members: \$385 + HST (Price includes model fee)

1A05 Drawing & Painting from the Portrait & Costume Model (One model)

Katherine MacDonald, B.F.A.

Monday, July 22 – Friday, July 26 (5 days) 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Capture the complexity and grace of the human subject as you work in any drawing or painting medium. For this course, the model will sit in the same pose for the entire week while you work on one sustained piece or several drawings/paintings from various angles. Ideal for all drawing or painting media and all skill levels. Members: \$376.49 + HST, Non-Members: \$385 + HST (Price includes model fee)

1A06 Portrait Drawing – First Steps

Holly Sneath, B.A., M.F.A.

Tuesday, August 6 - Friday, August 9 (4 days) 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Capturing the likeness of a human subject is immensely gratifying, but no easy task. This absolute beginner summer portrait class is for those who may be curious about portrait drawing, but uncertain how to begin. You'll receive the encouragement, knowledge and basic skills needed to create convincing renderings while exploring a variety of media such as pencil and charcoal. Holly will provide daily demonstrations and considerable individual instruction, all designed to give you the confidence to enter the world of portrait artistry. At least one previous drawing class is advised. Members: \$175.21 + HST, Non-Members: \$179 + HST (Price includes model fee)

1A07 *NEW* An Exploration of Mixed Mediums in Botanical Art – Summer Subjects in Natural Settings (Online)

Margaret Best, B.Ed.

Tuesday, August 13 – Thursday August 15 (3 days) 10:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

The third in a series of mixed media workshops. Margaret will introduce how all three mediums – watercolour, coloured pencil and graphite – can be integrated into one study. The focus will be on the selected subject and its setting. If you prefer, you'll have the option to work in only one colour medium with graphite. This workshop is intended for botanical artists with experience. All participants must have attended at least one graphite workshop and one mixed medium workshop with Margaret as a pre-requisite.

Members: \$334.89 + HST, Non-Members: \$345 + HST



1A08 Beginners' Watercolour

Shelley Prior (DVSA, CSPWC)

Monday, August 12 – Friday, August 16 (5 days) 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Immerse yourself in the world of watercolour painting. Designed for novices, the focus in this course is on skill development, emphasizing core techniques and brush-handling. We'll look at the materials and papers needed and address basic colour and composition concepts through interesting creative exercises and projects. Demonstrations, group instruction, constructive critiques and individual attention are essential elements of this experience. Members: \$160.29 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1A09 Intermediate and Advanced Watercolour

Shellev Prior (DVSA, CSPWC)

Monday, August 12 – Friday, August 16 (5 days) 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Refine your watercolour techniques as you discover how to create fresh clean colour and stronger compositions. For watercolourists with previous experience, you'll learn how to paint still life, floral and landscape subjects with confidence. Some topics in this beautiful medium include effective drawing for watercolour, proper use of masking fluid, imaginative textures, glazing, and creating reflective surfaces. Plenty of group and individual instruction provided. Members: \$160.29 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1A10 Loosen Up with Watercolour

Lena Montecalvo

Tuesday: July 2 – August 27 (9 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Have you enjoyed watercolour's magical results, but yearn to move to a more loose and flowing painting style? Learn how to up the water and colour intensity with your landscapes, florals or abstracts. This class will move you gradually from wet on dry to wet on wet, starting with small pieces and partially wet surfaces to larger works with plenty of splashing, spraying and blooms galore! For all levels. Members: \$257.41 + HST, Non-Members: \$265 + HST

1A11 Travel Journal Pen and Watercolour

Michelle Guitard (Georgian College)

Monday, August 19 - Friday, August 23 (5 days) 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Learn the basic mixed media and watercolour painting techniques for illustrating a travel diary. A watercolour journal is ideal for capturing travel memories and experiences, both large and small. No matter the medium, daily sketching practice is a vital method for developing your abilities as an artist – cultivating your artist's eye and developing drawing technique and colour theory knowledge. We'll start with simple compositions like a window or small vignette, exploring colour use and creating elements like shadows, pencil and fine pen sketches, and text, to add personality and style to your work. All levels welcome.

Members: \$160.29 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1A12 Beginners' Acrylic Painting

Michelle Teitsma (Sheridan)

Tuesday: July 2 – August 27 (9 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Designed for those who have never tried acrylics or have limited painting skills, you'll learn to master this plastic and flexible medium, starting with basic techniques and moving through a series of exercises and projects designed to develop your confidence and talents. Topics include colour mixing, composition, brush handling and more. Members: \$257.41 + HST, Non-Members: \$265 + HST

1A13 Discover Acrylics (Held at Ancaster Memorial AC)

Irene Keesmaat, B.A., B.Ed., O.C.T.

Tuesday July 2 - Friday, July 5 (4 days) 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Immerse yourself in a week of exciting and endless possibilities while painting with vibrant acrylics. Perfect for beginners, you'll use photos and other reference materials as a springboard to get paint on the canvas and then learn the process of bringing a painting together. Topics include layering, texture, colour theory and mixing, composition, brush handling, blending and more.

Members: \$169.99 + HST, Non-Members: \$175 + HST (includes facility rental fee)

1A14 Onward and Upward - Int/Adv Acrylic Painting

Sandee Ewasiuk (OCAD)

Monday, July 15 - Friday, July 19 (5 days) 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Using your ideas, references and sketches for inspiration, we'll explore the processes of underpainting and layering as we take a painting from commencement to completion. The focus will not only be on developing strong composition, colour balance and technique, but also working through the creative blocks and frustrations that come with making a work of art. Instructor and class critiques will be an important part of the week. If using reference material, bring your own photographs (taken by you) to keep our paintings original. Some drawing experience as well as familiarity with acrylic paints are prerequisites.

Members: \$160.29 + HST; Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1A15 *NEW* Summer Flowers Painting in Acrylic or Oil (Held at Ancaster Memorial AC) 🔕

Irene Keesmaat, B.A., B.Ed., O.C.T.

Tuesday, July 2 - Friday, July 5 (4 days) 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Bring more warmth and vibrant colour to your summer as you paint your favourite flowers. We'll examine the approaches historical and contemporary artists have taken to the floral subject, paying attention to composition, depth, colour mixing, contrast and transitions. Working from your own photo references, we'll make use of various paint application techniques and other secrets sure to create dazzling floral images. Some previous experience with oils or acrylics recommended.

Members: \$169.99 + HST, Non-Members: \$175 + HST (includes facility rental fee)

1A16 Painting Still Life in Acrylic or Oil (Online)



Guennadi Kalinine, B.A.

Wednesday: July 3 – August 21 (8 weeks) 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Develop your skills to accurately render 3-D objects in paint with an emphasis on contrast, light and shadow, and colour. In this online course, class time will be dedicated to reviewing the materials for working in acrylic or oil and examining the foundations of composition. Painting technique instruction includes outlining, underpainting, the mixing and blending of colours, and building texture. There'll also be time for group discussions and critiques. You'll work on your paintings outside of the scheduled class time and then send photos of your artwork to the instructor for in-class feedback. Be prepared to spend at least two hours painting outside of class each week. Links to demo videos will also be provided as optional learning outside of class. For beginner to intermediate students. Members: \$202.97 + HST, Non-Members: \$209 + HST

1A17 Beginners' Oil Painting

Michelle Teitsma (Sheridan)

Wednesday: July 3 - August 28 (9 weeks) 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

This course is a great start to your personal development as a painter as it provides a basic introduction to the oil medium and includes guidance on choosing the proper materials and tools plus instruction on paint application, composition, colour mixing and much more. Previous drawing experience recommended.

Members: \$257.41 + HST, Non-Members: \$265 + HST

1A18 Landscape Painting in Oil or Acrylic

Michelle Teitsma (Sheridan)

Monday, August 26 - Friday, August 30 (5 days) 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

A great introduction to the foundations of landscape painting as we look to a variety of historical styles and contemporary approaches in order to establish your artistic voice. You'll work from photo reference and come to better understand topics such as composition, perspective, colour mixing and paint application to achieve transitions, contrast and a sense of depth. For all levels.

Members: \$286.51 + HST, Non-Members: \$295 + HST

1A19 Plein Air Dundas

Michelle Teitsma (Sheridan)

Thursday: July 11 - August 29 (8 weeks) 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Venture into the wilds of Dundas in this summer outdoor painting class that explores seeing and simplifying when painting the landscape. Each class will focus on basic art fundamentals such as composition, perspective, value, colour mixing and paint application, with attention to the tips, tricks and secrets of painting outside. All mediums welcome. Members: \$202.97 + HST, Non-Members: \$209 + HST

1A20 Abstract Landscape

Michelle Guitard (Georgian College)

Monday, August 19 - Friday, August 23 (5 days) 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Working in an abstract style can pull us back to a more innocent and simpler way of painting. In this class, we'll take a landscape reference photo and reduce it to basic shapes and forms in order to make sense of the "visual chaos." Using these building blocks, we'll then apply thick layers of paint while considering colour and line.

Members: \$160.29 + HST, Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1A21 Large Landscapes – Acrylic or Oil on Canvas

Lee Munn

Wednesday: July 3 – August 21 (8 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Learn the art of painting landscapes in a LARGE format. We'll begin working on a landscape study project (provided by Lee) as we explore composition, perspective, value, colour mixing and paint application. We'll also look at using large brush strokes, the strong exaggeration of colours, shadows and highlights and pinpointing where we want the "eye to catch" in our works. Then, it's on to choosing a photo reference, painting on a larger canvas and further developing your own style and technique. Lee will work on a large painting in class as a guide and provide individual instruction throughout. Open to all levels – beginner to advanced.

Members: \$228.19 + HST, Non-Members: \$235 + HST



1A22 *NEW* Outside In: From Sketch to Studio Painting

Barry Hodgson, B.A.

Monday, July 29 – Friday, August 2 (5 days) 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

One of the most important elements of landscape or urban painting is the ability to create meaningful, informative sketches and use them to bring the immediacy of field work into the studio. In this course, through demonstrations and plein-air work, you'll learn outdoor sketching techniques in a variety of formats and media. We'll then explore how to analyze and develop a studio piece based on the sketches. A basic sketching kit will be assembled in class on Day 1, but you are encouraged to bring your own materials if you wish. Studio projects may be done in any medium. You must provide your own studio materials on days 4 and 5.

Members: \$160.29 + HST. Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1A23 *NEW* Exploring Landscape with the Group of Seven – A Four Day Intensive

Diana Gordon, B.A., M.A.

Tuesday: July 2 - Friday July 5 (4 days) 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Replicating a work by the Group of 7 is an ideal way to learn landscape composition: simplifying shapes, mixing harmonious colours and creating rhythm through expressive brushwork. For your first study, you'll learn the 4-Stages method: line drawing, creating a tonal map, blocking in colour, then applying brushwork. For a second painting, choose a Group of 7 "plein air" image to experience the excitement of capturing a landscape quickly. Included are short drawing exercises, demonstrations and group discussions to enhance our understanding. Acrylics, oils or watercolours all suitable. For all levels.

Members: \$238.16 + HST, Non-Members: \$245 + HST (Price includes a \$5 material fee)

1A24 Driven to Abstraction

Linda Blaknev, M.B.A., M.A.

Thursday: July 4 – August 8 (6 weeks) 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Discover the expressive and experiential nature of abstract painting, learning to trust your own creative instincts while pushing the limits of your materials. You'll experiment with innovative ways of creating art as you develop your own personal style. We'll cover guidelines for colour use, concept, composition and design and test out new techniques of brushwork and applying acrylic paint. Ideal for all levels.

Members: \$238.19 + HST, Non-Members: \$245 + HST (Price includes a \$10 material fee)

1A25 Paint BIG

Sandee Ewasiuk (OCAD)

Monday, July 15 – Friday, July 19 (5 days) 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Let go of your creative inhibitions and dive into the world of painting BIG! This course will encourage an exploratory approach with innovative painting and multi-media techniques. We'll examine composition, design, colour and a variety of art genres all with a sense of adventure! Plenty of class demos and group discussions provided along with onsite storage for your big canvases. All levels are welcome. Get ready to go big and bold! Members: \$160.29 + HST; Non-Members: \$165 + HST

1A26 Introduction to Chinese Brush Painting

Karen Logan (CFS)

Wednesday: July 3 – 31 (5 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Add this unique art form to your artistic practice! Traditional Chinese brush painting or guohua (gwor-hwaa) is done using a brush dipped in black ink or colored pigments and then applied, usually, to paper or silk. You'll begin your introduction by exploring the unique supplies and equipment used. Then, we'll move on to learning the basic strokes and brush handling techniques as we work on absorbent rice paper with Chinese ink to create simple compositions. You'll come away with an appreciation and understanding of this distinctive art form and be inspired to find ways to incorporate it in your ongoing work.

Members: \$194.32 + HST, Non-Members: \$199 + HST (Price includes a \$35 material fee)

1A27 *NEW* Summer Block Printing

Giulia Morosin, B.F.A.

Thursday: July 11 – August 29 (8 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Discover the beautiful art of block printing. In this beginner course, you'll learn the process of lino block carving and inking using a step-by-step process. Projects include single and multicoloured popsicle/ice cream cone inspired prints and experimenting with various papers and inks as we touch on the techniques of reduction printing inspired by a summer floral theme.

Members: \$238.16 + HST, Non-Members: \$245 + HST (Price includes a \$5 material fee)

1A28 Introduction to Pottery

A: Tuesday: July 2 – August 27 (9 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Amanda Kopas, B.F.A.

B: Wednesday: July 3 – August 28 (9 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Zoë Pinnell, B.A.

C: Thursday: July 4 – August 29 (9 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Zoë Pinnell, B.A.

Learn the hand-forming techniques of working with clay, including pinch, coil, slab and the potter's wheel. Also covered are the basics of glazing and surface decoration. You'll hone your skills while transforming your ideas into inspired, finished pottery. Suitable for all levels – adults and students 16+.

Members: \$311.44 + HST, Non-Members: \$319 + HST (Price includes a \$55 firing & glazing fee). Clay extra.

1A29 Introduction to Digital Photography

Jennifer Finn, B.A.

Tuesday: July 2 - August 27 (9 weeks) 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

In this beginner level course, you'll develop a solid photography foundation by using your digital camera in class and receiving feedback on your photos. Fully understand shutter-speeds, apertures, ISO, histograms, focusing and the various exposure modes available to create better quality images. We'll also cover how to safely transfer and backup your photos. Bring your camera, or if you are looking to purchase, hold off until after the first class as we'll review various makes and models.

Members: \$281.44 + HST, Non-Members: \$289 + HST (Price includes a media lab fee).

1A30 Introduction to Photography Editing

Barry Gray (Conestoga College)

Thursday: July 4 - August 29 (8 weeks) 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Photographers often say they crop their images twice — once in the camera, and later, on a computer. In this introductory course, you'll learn how to use photo editing programs such as Photoshop to crop your original photographs and save them in a variety of formats. We'll also explore basic image manipulation such as darkening or lightening your photos, adjusting colour, vibrance and saturation, and how to convert a colour photograph to black & white. Using filters creatively and a review of some of the more advanced features available will also be part of our discussions. You're sure to come away with a full toolbox of expertise on how to transform your good photos to great. Don't forget to bring your own original images to edit. *Please note: there will be no class on July 11* Members: \$258.16 + HST, Non-Members: \$265 + HST (Price includes a media lab fee)

1A31 Digital Photography 2: The Art of Photography

Jennifer Finn. B.A.

Wednesday: July 3 – August 28 (9 weeks) 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Developing your creative voice and photographic style is top priority as we delve into fine art photography. With a focus on inspiration and vision through composition and the art of storytelling, you'll grow your skills and come to understand what makes a good photograph. Topics include an examination of Black and White photography and methods to bring out the best in your images through Photoshop. Throughout the course, there will be practical assignments designed to help take your photographs to the next level. Prerequisite: Introduction to Digital Photography or permission from Instructor.

Members: \$281.44 + HST, Non-Members: \$289 + HST (Price includes a media lab fee)

1A32 Mosaic Pendant Workshop W

Heather Vollans

Wednesday: July 31 (1 day) 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Introduce yourself to the exciting world of mosaic jewellery. You'll create a design of your own and then work with epoxy, beads, pebbles and other tiny bits to create a wearable bezel mosaic pendant sure to turn heads. All materials and tools supplied – just show up ready to create. For all levels. No previous experience required. Members: \$77.77 + HST, Non-Members: \$79 + HST (Price includes a \$30 material fee)

1A33 Outdoor Mosaic Wall Hanging

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Wednesday: July 3 – July 24 (4 weeks) 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Discover the depth, dimension, texture and beauty to be found in the mosaic medium. We'll make a 12" x 12" exterior mosaic wall hanging designed to thrive in all four seasons, while covering how to select, prepare and mosaic an outdoor appropriate substrate with a variety of materials. Your finished mosaic panel can be mounted outside to reflect the summer sun or to add a splash of colour in winter. If you are new to art making, this is a perfect opportunity to learn about mixed media design, colour and form – bring a friend for this relaxing and creatively fun class. If you're looking to expand your mosaic repertoire, this is also a fabulous project to leap outside the box. Members: \$214.47 + HST, Non-Members: \$219 + HST (Price includes a \$60 material fee)

1A34 Bird Wood Carving

John Novak

Tuesday: July 2 – July 23 (4 weeks) 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Learn the basics of wood carving as you carve your own bird in basswood and paint it with watercolour. Demonstrations on carving techniques along with direct individual instruction will have you shaping your own original bird sculpture. We'll then finish the carvings with paint using thin watercolours to preserve the look of the wood. In class, you'll receive a wood block, black and white and coloured patterns, plus paint and finishing supplies – you'll need to bring your own carving knife and simple wood gouges. See the material list for the needed tools and options for purchase. No experience required – for all levels.

Members: \$180.44 + HST, Non-Members: \$185 + HST (Price includes a \$25 material fee)



Let's Get Registered.

Registering for a courses and camps at DVSA is easy. To avoid disappointment, we recommend registering early.



Online www.dvsa.ca.



By Phone Call the school at 905-628-6357 #1 to speak with our DVSA team.



In Person

Visit the DVSA front desk at 21 Ogilvie St. in Dundas (at the corner of Hatt St.).

Summer Office & Gallery Hours for July/August are: Monday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.

DVSA will be closed July 1, 2024 for Canada Day and August 5, 2024 for the Civic Holiday.

REGISTER EARLY & WIN!

Sign up by 4:00 p.m. on April 26, 2024 and you could win your summer class/workshop for FREE! Students who register before the deadline will automatically be entered in a draw to win one free camp/class/workshop. Visit www.dvsa.ca or call us today at 905-628-6357 #1 before April 26 with vour class selections. Good luck!

Pavment

Full payment is required at the time of registration.

DVSA accepts cash, Visa, Mastercard and Interac.





Students 65 and over receive a 10% discount off tuition for all full term courses (8 weeks or longer). Discounts must be requested when registering and we may ask for verification.

Materials

Materials for all adult classes are to be provided by the student, unless otherwise stated. Course material lists and necessary information will be emailed prior to the first class and/or made available on the DVSA website. Materials for children's classes are included, unless otherwise stated.

Age Requirements

Ontario Ministry of Education's Child Care and Early Years Act (CCEYA) requirements stipulate that we are not licensed to provide art camp programming for children under the age of 4 years. Parents with children in programs for 4-6 year olds may be asked for provide proof of age for their child. Please be prepared to have date of birth documentation ready, if requested. Children determined to be too young to participate will be removed from the program without the benefit of a refund or credit.

Adult classes are intended for students ages 16+. Students under the age of 16 must receive permission from the Executive Director and course instructor before enrolling.

Parking

There is on-street parking around the school and a municipal lot located on Hatt Street, half a block west of the school. Visit dysa.ca/contact for more information.

We Want You To 💙 Your Program

If you've chosen a class that just isn't the right fit, let us know within the first two classes (the sooner the better!) and we'll work with you to find an alternate program (a transfer fee of \$15+HST will apply).

Refunds, Withdrawals & Transfers

We offer full refunds on cancelled classes/camps. Please see the boxes below for further clarification on our refund, withdrawal and transfer policies.

Should you request to withdraw from a class/workshop or camp, please be aware the registration fee, model and/or material fees + HST are non-refundable.

Withdrawal is available at any time for doctor-certified medical reasons and a pro-rated percentage of the tuition will be refunded less applicable fees and taxes.

For Summer Art Camps:

All monetary refunds requested by registrants are subject to a \$25+HST administrative fee. Summer Art Camp requests for transfers (\$15+HST) and/or monetary refunds must be made 2 weeks prior to the start date of the camp program. With refund requests, 50% of camp fees will be refunded (minus \$25+HST admin fee). We are unable to offer monetary refunds after the 2 week notice period.

For Adult Classes:

All monetary refunds requested by registrants are subject to a \$25+HST administrative fee. All requests for course refunds must be made at least 2 weeks prior to the start date of a course. If a request is made after the 2 week notice period, but prior to the start date of the course, a 50% refund for the tuition (minus \$25+HST admin fee) will be refunded. We are unable to offer monetary refunds after the start date of the course unless there is a prolonged absence due to illness.

Please review our full Policies, Procedures and Fine Print on our website at dvsa.ca/policies.







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