



A child's interaction with art sparks inspiration, creativity and imagination!

A wonderful opportunity for children to explore their creativity within the colorful and vibrant surroundings of a contemporary art gallery. **Open to students of all experience levels in a non-competitive environment.** Classes available for ages 7 - 16 Always new projects for students taking multiple weeks! Get ready to roll up your sleeves and paint and draw to create some masterpieces!

Classes will run with 5-student minimum so get your friends together for some fun creativity!

July 8 -12 10 am – 2:30 pm Fashion Illustration Instructor: Melissa Vultaggio \$220
6th grade and up Monday - Friday 10 am - 2:30 pm Bring lunch and/or snack.

Students are free to choose their own inspirational themes. Create fashion design illustrations using watercolor and color pencil techniques. Learn how to incorporate and draw fashion accessories such as jewelry, shoes, belts, bags and hats. Join this class and let's make each fashion design illustration a stylized piece of art!

- sketch your own designs with glamorous fashion illustrations in dynamic poses!
- learn to depict textures like hair, clothing and drapery.
- learn to create flow and movement in your illustrations
- create your very own seasonal look-books with cool swatches and color looks!
- learn to design cool accessories for your outfit like shoes, boots, hats and scarves!

July 15 – July 19 Morning Fun with Painting Instructor: Dorothy Fortuna \$195
Ages 7-9 Monday - Friday 9am – 12pm

Bring your imagination! We will explore various techniques and materials to create your own unique masterpieces! You will explore the art of master artists and then use your own ideas and sense of style to create unique works of art.

July 22 – July 26 - Morning Cartoons, Characters and Comic Strips Instructor: Kim Falco \$195
Ages 8 – 11 Monday - Friday 9 am – 12 pm

Learn how to draw facial expressions and dynamic actions to tell a visual story! We will explore different speech bubbles, learn how to turn just about any object into a character and create exciting comic strips! In this class students will:

- Create individual character drawings, as well as comic strip creations.
- Use pencil, ink, marker and watercolor paint.
- Learn about different styles of drawing.
- Use the storytelling process to create their work.

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July 22 – July 26 - Afternoon Clay Animals *Instructor: Kim Falco* **\$195**
Ages 8 – 11 Monday - Friday 1 pm – 4pm

In this hands-on class, students will create domestic, wild, and imaginary animals! Using air dry clay, we will sculpt and mold simple and adorable clay animals. In this class students will learn:

- The basics of using this type of clay.
- How to form different shapes into sculpture.
- Basic hand building techniques.
- Use paint to add the final details.

July 22 – July 26 - Afternoon Let's Paint - Water-mixable Oil Paints- *Instructor: Alexandria Chimenti* **\$195**
Ages 12-14 Monday - Friday 1 pm – 4pm

This beginner painting class will introduce students to Water- Mixable Oil Paints. Students will learn to develop their art from learning about color mixing and underpaintings to create finished masterpieces throughout the week.

July 29 – August 2 - Morning Mixed Media Madness *Instructor: Kim Falco* **\$195**
Ages 8-11 Monday- Friday 9am-12pm

This class will be an exploration of artistic materials that will stretch your creative expression. We will explore ways to layer, build and design with multiple mediums while we learn about the seven basic elements of art (line, shape, form, texture, color and space) and how to use them to create awesome art. In this class students will learn:

- Different techniques using varied materials.
- Use the elements of art to create balanced compositions.
- Explore color theory.
- Create paintings, drawings and prints.

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In this class, students will learn how to accurately draw people. Using materials such as graphite, charcoal and pastels, students will begin to explore the simple forms that make up a human body, and eventually build up to creating full human figure drawing complete with color and shading. Students will create their own drawings using photo references in various artistic materials.

August 5 – 9 - Afternoon **Paint, Draw, Create** – *Instructor: Alexandria Chimenti* **\$195**

Ages 10-12 **Monday - Friday** **1 pm – 4pm**

Students will explore their creativity using different artistic materials. Students may choose their own projects. We will explore a wide variety of art materials. Bring your ideas and imagination and create awesome artwork!

August 12 – 16 - Morning **Let's use Magnificent Materials** - *Instructor: Alexandria Chimenti* **\$195**

Ages 10-13 **Monday - Friday** **9 am – 12pm**

Students will have fun exploring art making processes using multiple materials. Instead of being confined to using just one art material, students will learn how to mix mediums such as acrylic paint, colored pencils, collage, charcoal, watercolor, pastels, and much more in the same piece.

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August 19 – 23 - Morning Watercolor and Water Based Media
Ages 8 – 11 Monday - Friday 9am – 12pm

Instructor: Kim Falco

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Water based paints Are fun, exciting and unpredictable media. We will paint a variety of different subjects (flowers, landscapes, abstract designs) and create amazing artwork as we experiment with how watercolor interacts with different things like salt, lemon juice, shaving cream and more! In this class we will learn:

- How to paint with watercolor and other water-based paint like acrylic and tempera.
- How water-based paints interact with other substances and Using water-based paints to create prints.
- Different painting techniques like wet on dry and wet on wet.

Important Information About Summer Art Classes:

1. We urge you to register at least 3 weeks before the beginning of a class session, since minimum enrollment of 5 students must be met. If a class does not meet minimum enrollment, your full payment will be refunded.
2. **Final Registration is complete only when payment and registration form have been submitted. Sorry, we cannot hold a place in a class without payment/registration forms.**
3. Any classes that do not meet minimum enrollment will be fully refunded.
4. We do **not** pro-rate fees due to planned absences, illnesses, vacation schedules or other conflicts.
5. Students may bring **nut-free** snacks & drinks (and lunches if staying for full day and for Fashion Illustration Classes. Please make sure your child's food/drinks are labeled with their name. We have a refrigerator if needed. The gallery has central AC, so if your child tends to chill easily, please send an old sweatshirt.

Questions? Please do not hesitate to email us at classes@stacarts.org

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Register at

<https://www.millspondgallery.org/art-classes>