

2022 Summer Art & Theater Camps

THE Big EVERYTHING SCHEDULE!

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Week ONE June 20-24

Young Artists Fur, Fins & Feathers (5-7), 10am-12noon \$115/\$125

All of our YA camps are designed especially for young artists...please note the 10am start time. Animals with fur, fins and feathers set the theme each day for fun art projects in a variety of media - clay, painting, drawing and more! Nature objects, habitats, animal fun facts and popular story books will inspire us. On Friday, we will combine parts of all of our favorite animals to make one very mixed up critter!

Painting & Mixed Media Arts (10-17), 9am-12noon \$170/\$180

All kinds of painting in creative styles and combinations! We will be mixing a variety of art media in our 2D and 3D pieces, creating textured surfaces to paint on and using found objects, transparent layers, fibers and wood additions. A cool way to expand your art experiences!

Digital Photography (10-17), 1pm-4pm \$165/175

Daily projects and photo challenges using action, still life, landscapes, funky portraits and creative photo tricks will be part of this week behind the lens! This camp will teach you to use the features on your own camera while learning basic to advanced composition, exposure, focus, and lighting. Dress for the weather and be sure you have a camera with memory chip and/or transfer cord so we can order photo prints!

Pottery 101 (7-14), 1pm-4pm \$175/\$185

A class for beginner ceramic students....including the pottery wheel! Learn all the basic tips and tricks necessary to build successful projects out of clay, learn basic sculpting and glazing techniques and create unique art works. Clay, glazes and kiln time included. Expect to create 2 finished pieces per day M-Th with Friday set aside for glazing. Projects will be ready for pick-up about 2 weeks after the end of camp.

Week TWO June 27- July 1

Foodies (8-14), 9am-12noon \$165/175

It's Back! Literal Culinary Art will be made during this camp for food lovers! Inspired by the beautiful textures and colors of Italian, Japanese and All-American cuisine we'll be working up our appetites creating food-themed art all week long! Sandwich mixed media canvases, textile sushi, pottery snack bowls, citrus fruit prints and more! On the last day of camp, we'll design our own chocolate bars! (we will be using real candies and chocolate - no nuts!) Each camper will exhibit a piece in our end of summer art show.

Film Making (10-17), 9am-12noon \$165/175

Both experienced movie-makers and those who are just starting out will enjoy this camp! Instructor and film maker Jenn Teed and production assistants will help campers learn all about their equipment and demo cool techniques that will take their films to the next level. On site props and indoor/outdoor settings offer students a chance to come up with imaginative films that tell a story. Students should bring their own film recording device with memory card or cord. Film showcase will be posted online for students who would like to share their work.

Actors Workshop (12-17), 1pm-4pm \$165/175

A theater workshop for teen actors who want to reach their own personal goals, or prepare for high school level theater auditions. Taught by professional actor Sonja Marquis, this week-long workshop was designed for both beginning and experienced student actors. Participants will develop skills needed for dramatic storytelling and communication with their peers through improv games, and scene work.

Young Artists World of Colors (5-7), 1pm-3pm \$115/\$125

All of our YA camps are designed especially for young artists! This color-filled mixed media camp invites artists to use their imagination and practice fine motor skills while experimenting with all kinds of colors! Please dress for the mess. No worries here about "getting things right", with clay, collage, paint and more! Please note the 3PM pickup time.

NO CAMPS THE WEEK OF JULY 4-8

Week THREE July 11-15

Performing Arts (9-14), 9am-12noon \$165/175

A fifteen hour, week-long performing arts workshop for actors who want to hone their performing arts skills and gain more confidence on stage in preparation for school presentations, coveted roles or middle school auditions. Our experienced theater staff will share tricks for memorizing lines and getting into character, and lead the class with favorite theater games, creative vocal readings, monologues and interactive scene skits. We'll share our favorite pieces in a showcase for friends and family on Friday at 11:30am. Class size is limited.

Painting Modern Masters (8-15), 9am-12noon \$170/\$180

For the student artist who wants to learn more about different styles of art and kinds of paint. We will look at some famous art and then interpret that style with our own subjects. Mid week, we will brainstorm and paint a classic masterpiece combo, like a Frank Stella Starry Night...or Maybe Mondrian-style Waterlillies! Our experimental and modern art inspired pieces will be on canvas, paper and wood. All materials included.

Character Cartooning (10-17), 1pm-4pm \$165/175

Student artists will learn how to develop their own cartooning and illustration style and then apply the techniques to their own creations. Some of our projects include 3D action figures/superheroes, commercial mascot makeovers, series character additions, and design for product packaging using Illustration markers, colored pencil and UMakeIt figures.

All About Clays (7-14), 1pm-4pm \$175/\$185

Back this summer, our popular All Clay camp for all of our students who love hands on mixing, molding, texturizing, rolling, and glazing! Each day, we will learn about and use (or make!) a different kind of clay and create cool Ooak art projects! Paper clay, pottery clay, seed clay, polymer clay, modeling clay and more!

Week FOUR July 18-22

Paper Crafting (8-15), 9am-12noon \$160/\$170

Who knew papers could do all this!? Paper mache and handmade sheets, layered art compositions, 3D sculptures, origami, and collages, using everything from textured papers and tissue wrap to vintage stamps and sheet music. Paper punches, cutters, embossing and crazy edge scissors to add interesting details to our art work.

Everything's A Canvas (11-17), 9am-12noon \$175/\$185

This painting camp was designed for intermediate to experienced student artists with vision who would like to transform all kinds of things into art...fabric wearables, metal signs, wood bowls, even small housewares! We will combine technique instruction and creativity vision to add character with spray paint, stencils, acrylics and paint pens. All materials included.

Asian Art & Anime (8-16), 1pm-4pm \$165/175

Japanese Anime styles, bamboo brush calligraphy, Fujiama art, sushi-inspired ceramics and book making are just a few of the fun projects we will do in this mixed media art camp using lesson plans designed by our capstone project intern using the DIA's Asian Art outreach resources. We will even try some non-nut snacks from the Asian market - let us know if your student has allergies.

Art After Dark (8-14), 1pm-4pm \$165/175

Like last year's popular Night Skies camp, this one was created for kids who are not afraid of the dark! Be ready for moonlit portraits, textured planetscapes, art with stars and celestial things, constellation wire sculptures, and of course things that glow...

Week FIVE July 25-29

Metal Art (10-17), 9am-12noon \$170/\$180

Painted metal, magnetic compositions, stamped aluminum tags, can totems, foil tapes, and metallic pigments all make for a super shiny new summer art camp! We will be using basic hand tools and punches - gloves, goggles and safety instructions will be provided.

Experiment With Art (7-13), 9am-12noon \$165/175

Art + Science = Our most popular summer camp! Some new projects and lots of classic favorites with a twist... dress for the mess! A total hands on experience where students will be mixing up concoctions for experimental art projects, and using traditional materials in new ways limited only by their imagination! Among the fun will be...Clays and goos, paper mache, innovative painting, and MORE.

Miniature Worlds (7-13), 1pm-4pm \$170/\$180

For student artists that love miniature things and scene building, this is your camp! Make a fantasy world, animal habitat, mythological creature cave, art gallery for bugs, alien planet.... if you can dream it, you can make it! We will first design on paper and then move to 3D, creating themed mini worlds, along with tiny inhabitants, their small furnishings, and even art for the walls, all made by you! Artists will use paint, fabric, wood pieces and polymer clay as they design their own 3D mixed media cube-box vignettes.

Pottery-Studio Projects (7-17), 1pm-4pm

All pottery camps include time on the pottery wheel! A class for intermediate ceramic students with an open studio table this summer just for teens. Build projects out of clay, learn basic sculpting and glazing techniques and create unique art works each week, inspired by famous artists, world cultures, nature and more. Expect to create 2 finished pieces per day M-Th with Friday set aside for glazing. Clay, glazes and kiln time included. Projects will be ready for pick-up about 2 weeks after the end of camp.

Week SIX August 1-5

Theater Games (6-8), 10am-12noon \$115/\$125

Designed for our young actors to get a taste of being on stage - We'll have a fun week of voice and body acting, costume and prop making, confidence building and group team-activities. Showcase on Friday for friends and family.

Out of The Box (10-17), 9am-12noon \$170/\$180

For artists who have big ideas and are ready for a creative challenge! Think Food Network's "Chopped" but with art supplies instead of food. Each day, artists get a box of art materials and it's up to them to decide what they become - a classroom table full of "fixins" like tapes, glues, scissors and basic hand tools + and extra instructor make this class our most creative yet! Safety goggles provided when needed. Class size limited.

Urban Street Art (12-17), 1pm-4pm \$175/\$185

Graffiti T's, cardboard portraits, pop up masterpieces and mural design work are all a part of this new mixed materials camp. Students will be painting with our mural designer and creating an art stake totem for our on-site public art installation. We will be using simple hand and cordless power tools with instruction on their use. Safety goggles will be provided. All materials included.

Young Artists Studio (5-7), 1pm-3pm \$115/\$125

All of our YA camps are designed especially for young artists! Please note the 3PM pickup time. This mixed media studio class invites artists to use their imagination, and practice fine motor skills while experimenting with a variety of media. No worries here about "getting things right", with cool projects using clay, collage, paint and sculpture!

Week SEVEN August 8-12

Made2Share (8-17), 9am-12noon \$165/175

Modeled after our popular art-for-others service workshops, we will be making art to both keep and share. On the schedule are fleece blankets, cat & dog toys, Inspired words yard signs, handmade cards for seniors, birthday bags for Northville Civic Concern, and tie dye T-shirts in the colors of Our Cause so we can spread the word about things that we believe in! Included in tuition is one blanket kit per student to be made in camp and shared with local family social services.

Sculpture-Art in 3D (9-15), 9am-12noon \$175/\$185

An imaginative camp for conceptual student artists. We'll sculpt realistic and abstract three dimensional art pieces using clay, wood, wire, and plastics, together with found objects and traditional art materials. Artists will be taught to use basic shop hand tools safely while creating their one of a kind art: hammer and nails, screw driver, wire cutters. Safety goggles provided.

Under The Sun (9-15), 1pm-4pm \$170/\$180

Science + art combine in this new, solar powered camp. We will use all of the properties of the sun - energy, heat and light - to inspire and create unique art pieces. Our projects will include cyanoprints on T-shirts, painted shadow compositions, glow art and solar cell vehicles... along with info on why this all happens! Students will also get to work on our class project sun dial mosaic.

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Pottery-Functional Forms (7-14), 1pm-4pm \$175/\$185

A class for beginner to intermediate ceramic students with an emphasis on creating functional ceramic art pieces with style....Everyone will get to use the pottery wheel! Build projects out of clay, while learning basic sculpting and glazing techniques. Expect to create 2 finished pieces per day M-Th with Friday set aside for glazing. Add glazes, textures and personalized clay embellishments to make each piece unique! Projects will be ready for pick-up about 2-3 weeks after the end of camp.

Week EIGHT August 15-19

Michigan Made (8-14), 9am-12noon \$165/175

A PCAC exclusive inspired by everything purely Michigan with NEW projects for summer 2022! In this mixed media camp we'll explore art with roots in Motown, the auto industry, great lakes H2O, native creatures, and sand dunes! On the last day of camp, we'll design our own Sanders and Morley inspired chocolates! (we will be using real candies and chocolate - no nuts!)

Young Artists Great Outdoors (5-7) 10am-12noon \$115/\$125

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THINGS TO NOTE:

Campers should bring a water bottle and non-nut, handheld snack for break time

Families must Pre-Register for Lunch (weekly)

We have smocks, but it is best to also Dress For The Mess!

If your student artist needs an Art Buddy, please email lisa@plymoutharts.com

Scholarships are available!

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Studio Drawing & Graphics (8-15), 1pm-4pm \$160/\$170

New projects for 2022! A perfect camp for kids who love drawing with graphite, colored pencils, marker, pen and ink with some great graphic design drawing projects thrown in, too! We will divide into elementary and middle school groups in order to provide the best instruction for all. Specific technique instruction will start the day, with drawing tools, shading, shadows, pigment layering, outlining, and hand lettering styles. Then students will combine what they have learned with choice of subject matter for a one of a final project!

Experiment With Art (7-13), 1pm-4pm \$165/175

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Register online 24/7 by clicking the ORANGE button on the homepage of our website

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*Camp registration is open until each camp is full (waiting list available!)
or each Thursday at midnight the week before the camp meets.*