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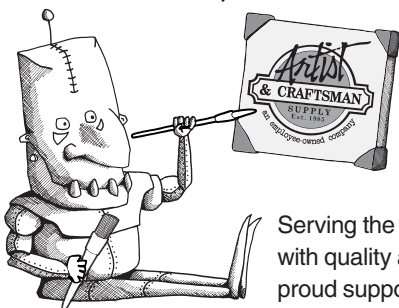
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Summer At A Glance

	Theatre Productions	Music Classes	Mini Explorations ages 3-6	Art Adventures ages 7-12	Teens & Pre - Teens	Adults		
Week 1 June 23 - 28		Music, Movement & Diversity (ages 7-12); Words and Music (ages 8-12); Musical Theatre Audition Workshop (ages 8-16)	Drama Workshops	Art Workshops				
Week 2 June 30 - July 3	Arts Immersion: <i>Journey to Indonesia</i> (ages 3-6, 7-10, 11-15)							
Week 3 July 7 - 11	Honk, Jr. (Musical) (ages 6-16)	Suzuki Sampler Class: Parent & Child (ages 3-8 with caregiver)	AM: Music & Movement (music) & PM: Beach Party (art)	Monsters, Dragons & Invented Creatures: Cartooning	Outdoor Painting Workshop (ages 8-16); Drawing and Painting Studio (ages 8-16); Assistants-In-Training (ages 13-15); Teacher-In-Training (ages 16-18)	Plein Air Painting (Adults); Painting on Canvas at Bertucci's (Adults); Jewelry at Bertucci's (Adults)		
Week 4 July 14 - 18		String Exploration (ages 6-14)	AM: Creatures, Critters & Animals (art) & PM: World Traveler (art)	Chop, Dirl, Zap: Woodworking				
Week 5 July 21 - 25	Create Your Own Band (ages 4-7)	AM: Nature (art) & PM: Planes, Trains & Cars (art)	Celebrate Mexico: Masks, Pinatas & Sculpture					
Week 6 July 28 - Aug 1	Charlotte's Web (Play) (ages 6-16)		AM: Dress Around the World (art) & PM: World Music & Singing (music)	Rainforest Adventures: Painting & More				
Week 7 Aug 4 - 8	Sound of Music (Musical) (ages 8-16)		AM & PM: Animal Mania (art)	Minecraft Café & Animated Characters				
Week 8 Aug 11 - 15			AM: Cities We Live In (art) & PM: Musical Discoveries (music)	Larger than Life Outdoor Sculptures				
Week 9 Aug 18 - 22			AM: Mixing it Up (art) & PM: Theatrical Play (theatre)	Mixing it up with Color				
All Summer	Private Music Lessons (ages 3-Adults)							

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Welcome

Creativity and Fun ... that's our theme for the summer, but we need you to help make it happen! And we have added even more opportunities for you to participate – no matter your age or your perceived talent level!

What's new? The list includes one-day art workshops, theatre for the little ones, music and writing workshops, String Explorations, a Suzuki Sampler class, and more. We're kicking it all off with a new Musical Theatre Audition Workshop on Saturday, June 21st!

Plus we have formed new and exciting partnerships for our theatre program. We will be co-producing the musical "Honk, Jr." and the play "Charlotte's Web" with Quannapowitt Playhouse, and collaborating with Reading Recreation to do "The Sound of Music" at Parker Middle School. These two venues are the icing on the cake to what is already an amazing summer theatre program!

So dive on in and get registered today!

Hope to see you soon!

Jennifer Hart

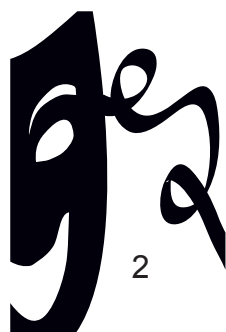
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Special One Day Workshops

June DRAMA workshops June 23-27 ages 3-6

(NOTE: children must be potty trained.)

Tuition Information:

Half Day Sessions: AM (9:00am-noon)
or PM (1-4pm), \$40 per half day;
\$35 Sibling half day rate
Full Day Sessions: 9:00am-4:00pm
(includes an hour supervised
lunch) \$75/day; \$65sibling/day

Monday, June 23rd

9AM-12PM **Where the Sidewalk Ends...**

Explore the zany world of Shel Silverstein through theatre games, pantomime, and your own imagination! Together we will create silly poems inspired by Silverstein's work.

1PM-4PM **Superheroes & Supervillains**

The Supervillains have taken over the world, and it's up to you to stop them! Or join them! Come take on the role of the superhero or the supervillain as we use our imaginations to fight crime. Theatre games and improvisation will help us to discover our super powers, our super names, and most importantly how to save the day.

Tuesday, June 24th

9AM-12PM **Puppet Play – Aesop's Fables**

Have you ever wanted to make your own puppet? In this class you will have the chance to make your own "Clothespin Puppet" to take home. Participants will be read selections from "Aesop's Fables," and will choose a character to create and bring to life.

1PM-4PM **Puppet Play – How to Choose your Dragon**

Together we will create a giant "Newspaper Puppet." Participants will be read, "How To Choose Your Dragon," by Jeff and Val Lindahn, and will work as a team to bring to life a dragon puppet.

Wednesday, June 25th

9AM-12PM **Wild Things**

Step into the world of Maurice Sendak's "Where The Wild Things Are" and become a "Wild Thing!" Participants will be read the story and create their own "Wild Thing" character, including a mask to take home.

1PM-4PM **Seuss' "Sneetches"**

Discover the importance of acceptance with Dr. Seuss' "The Sneetches." Participants will be read the story, play theatre games, and step into the role of the star-bellied Sneetches to explore the story's central themes.

Thursday, June 26th

9AM-12PM **Broadway Kids – "The Lion King"**

Get up and dance! This class focuses on movement and singing. Participants will get their bodies moving to a variety of songs from the Broadway Musical "The Lion King." To warm up our voices we will learn the song "I Just Can't Wait To Be King."

1PM-4PM **Broadway Kids – "Frozen"**

Keep Moving! Much like Broadway Kids Part 1, Part 2 features familiar songs from Disney's hit musical "Frozen." Participants will dance and sing their way through the sound track.

Friday, June 27th

9AM-12PM **Monsters University**

Congratulations! You have been accepted to "Monsters University!" Create your monster, practice your scaring techniques, and compete in the Scare Games! Mike and Sully would be so proud!

1PM-4PM **Mission To Mars**

There is a rocket headed to Mars, and you're going to be on it! Using theatre games and your own imagination, come investigate the unexplored surface of Mars. Will there be Aliens? Will they be friendly? What does the surface of Mars look like? Join us for a Journey which will be out of this world!



Arts Immersion Week

One Day Workshops

June ART workshops June 23-27 Ages 6-12

**One Day Art Workshops, June 23-27,
9am-4pm, \$75/day; \$65sibling/day**

Enjoy exciting new themes with different art skills each day!

Monday, June 23, Ocean Adventures in Printmaking

Use recycled bubble wrap to create awesome ocean textures. Create mono-prints inspired by turtles. Make relief prints of seahorses and more!

Tuesday, June 24, All-Day Cartooning

Bring your funny scripts and imagination to class! In this fun filled class, we will create unusual facial expression, learn about body movement, and have a laugh creating our cartoon strips!

Wednesday, June 25, Art in Motion

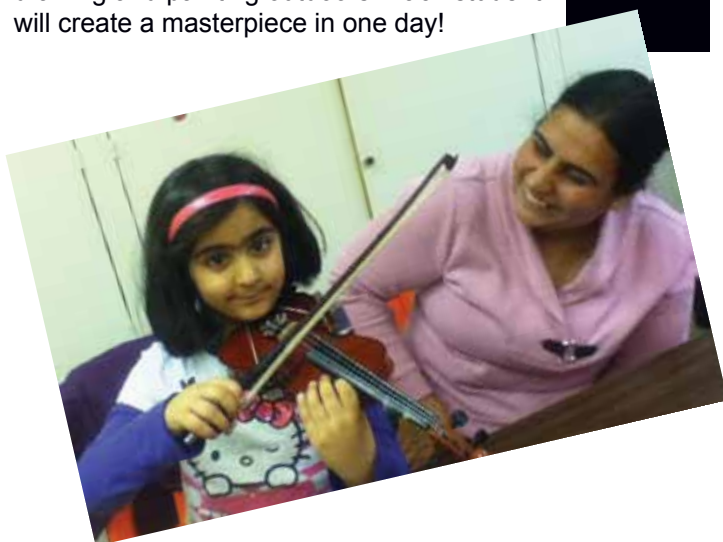
Be inspired by movement in music, and dancers! We will create ballet dancers in clay inspired by Degas. We will explore how Alexander Calder created his kinetic art and make our own art in motion!

Thursday, June 26, Fashion for a Day

Bring in recycled thrift store clothing (or items you don't use) to be transformed into art as we construct new fashion designs from reused material.

Friday, June 27, Summer Party In the Garden

What better way to celebrate summer than drawing and painting outdoors! Each student will create a masterpiece in one day!



ARTS IMMERSION WEEK (THEATRE, MUSIC & ART), Ages 3-16

Journey to Indonesia

Explore Indonesia through art, theatre and music! In this rotating immersion week students will travel between all three disciplines throughout the day. In art student will learn about Indonesian batik and create their own Indonesian inspired fabrics. We will create Javanese shadow puppets in art called Wayang. In theatre, student will experiment with light and shadows thrown by puppets manipulated by rods against a translucent screen lit from behind. Music will be inspired by the culture of Indonesia and compliment the ending performance.

Mon-Thurs, June 30-July 3 (4 days); 9am-4pm

Instructors: Nedret Andre, Kelly Walsh, Laura Burgess

Performance: Thurs, July 3 at 3pm

Tuition: \$275/\$250sibling; Early Care (8-9am): \$40/\$30sibling; Aftercare (4-5:45): \$65/\$50sibling





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Mini Art, Theatre & Music Explorations Ages 3 - 6

Themed art, theatre & music weeks for the little ones! Choose morning (9am-noon), afternoon (1-4pm) or all day (9am-4pm). Each session ends with a show or performance. (NOTE: children must be potty trained.)

Half Day Tuition: \$175/\$165sibling

Full Day Tuition: \$325/\$310sibling

Early Care (8-9am): \$40/\$30sibling

Aftercare (4-5:45pm): \$65/\$50sibling

WK 3: July 7-11

AM: Music and Movement: Develop basic music skills while exploring new and traditional songs, beats, rhythms, and games with movement. Students will explore small percussion instruments and create their own adventures in music.

Music Instructor: Kenya Esteva de Ruiz

PM: Beach Party: Can't make it to the beach? No problem. Just join our beach party and create ocean-themed works of art. From painting seascapes to making sea creatures, students will explore the sea and their creativity.

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

WK 4: July 14-18

AM: Creatures, Critters and Animals of the Imagination: Explore mythological creatures, dinosaurs, monsters, robots, and aliens. This week we will take a walk on the wild side and create projects about fantastical creatures of the imagination.

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

PM: World Traveler: Take a journey with us around the world as we study different countries and the incredible art that has originated from all over the globe.

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

WK 5: July 21-25

AM: Nature: Pattern, Print and Texture: For the explorer who loves both art and the outdoors! Look to nature for inspiration and create rubbings, collages, and amazing prints.

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

PM: Planes, Trains and Cars: The world around us is always in motion and this week is all about keeping up. Make paper airplanes, cardboard rockets, cork ships, trains, and more.

This week will look at all the ways we go to-and-fro!

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

WK 6: July 28-Aug 1

AM: Dress Around the World: Native American headdresses, African masks, Knight's armor, Queen's robes, Japanese Kimonos, and more! Learn how people all around the world have dressed throughout the ages. Create masks, hats, t shirts, crowns, and jewels!

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

PM: World Music and Singing: Travel across the map with us! We will explore diverse cultures and find out how they sing, dance, and have fun. You'll find we all have unique traditions but have more in common than we thought. Wear comfortable clothes and shoes, so you will be ready to move!

Instructor: Laura Burgess

WK 7: Aug 4-8

AM: Animal-Mania: Lions, Tigers, and Bears, oh my! Animals rule this week! Use your favorite animals and pets as inspiration for a whole week of animal artwork and creepy, crawly fun!

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

PM: Animal-Mania Part II: Continue with this fun animal theme with different projects!

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

WK 8: Aug 11-15

AM: The Cities We Live In: Learn fun facts about Boston and all the people and places who make up our own communities. Build cities and design skyscrapers as you use your imagination to dream up your own new world.

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

PM: Musical Discoveries: We will be musical explorers, playing games, moving, and singing to build basic music skills with a focus on fun. Bring an instrument from home for show & tell or use and play one of our classroom instruments. We will alternate listening and focused times with active learning through movement.

Instructor: Laura Burgess

WK 9: Aug 18-22

AM: Mixing It Up: This class will give students a taste of many different art & craft forms including printmaking, sculpture, and tie-dye.

Art Instructor: Natalie Busby

PM: Theatrical Play: Play with us as we let our imaginations lead the way to fantastic adventures! Storytelling and creating fun, silly characters will provide the means for exciting dramatic play.

Theatre Instructor: Brittany Daley

Art Adventures Ages 7 - 12

With our week-long Art Adventures program, kids have the opportunity to paint, draw, sculpt, collage and build! The program encourages self expression, creative thinking and relaxation by teaching the artistic process with a combination of formal training, unique projects and exploration of different artistic media. Pick the weeks that work for your schedule!

Themed art weeks, 9am-4pm with early drop-off & aftercare available.

Tuition: \$325/\$310sibling

Early Care (8-9am): \$40/\$30sibling

Aftercare (4-5:45): \$65/\$50sibling

Art Shows: Fridays at 3pm

Art Instructor: Nedret Andre

WK 3: July 7-11

Monsters, Dragons & Invented Creatures: Cartooning

Learn the basics of creating imaginary creatures. Create 3-D models of your imaginary creatures to use as inspiration for your cartoons. Learn to make your monsters flap their wings, roll, or soar into the sky. Learn about layout and cool compositions to add drama in your cartoons. Explore different kinds of mark making for textures, shading, and colors for your cartoons. Come join us for this fun filled cartooning adventure!

WK 4: July 14-18

Chop, Drill, Zap: Woodworking

What do branches, twigs, and chopsticks all have in common? They can all make really cool art tools! Draw, paint and print with unique tools that you invent! This wood working week will focus on both art and construction techniques with wood. Students will learn to measure, cut, hand-drill, hammer, and assemble wood to create inventions from their imagination! Projects include toys for your pets (or you), treasure chests, and wall hangings.

WK 5: July 21-25

Celebrate Mexico: Masks, Pinatas & Sculpture
Explore the art of Mexico with Amante paper paintings, Huichol yarn dolls, tin milargos, and piñatas! Design fantastical imaginary creatures with papier-mâché alebrijes. Learn about Mayan and Aztec cultures by creating a large scale mural made from yarn. Write your own Aztec codex with ancient pictographs! And make piñatas to take home as well as build a large scale group piñatas for the piñatas party at the end of the week!

WK 6: July 28-Aug 1

Rainforest Adventures: Painting & More

Imagine a rich dense jungle with wild animals and a magnificent waterfall like Angles Falls in Venezuela. Learn how artists Rousseau, Matisse, Picasso, and Toulouse-Lautrec created their jungle inspired art! And then paint, print and draw scenes that inspire you based on what you learned!

WK 7: August 4-8

Minecraft Café & Animated Characters

Gather natural resources like wood, stone and more to build your cool Biomes! This minecraft inspired week will have you working in teams to build caves, homes in the villages, or city dwellings. The non player characters (NPC's) mob team will create costumes for creepers and Zombies. The week will culminate in a real time, real life game!

WK 8: August 11-15

Larger than Life Outdoor Sculptures

Explore how Brazilian artist Henrique Oliveira constructs large-scale outdoor sculptures from layers of found wood, how Tara Donovan uses unusual everyday materials to create serene large-scale sculptures, and how Roxny Payne creates large wire sculptures for her garden. This hands-on sculpture class will have you building and designing your own larger than life inventions!!

WK 9: August 18-22

Mixing It Up with Color!

Find out how artists use color in different ways - whether it is capturing the transparency of water with Sargent's paintings or creating set designs with colored light. Learn about color mixing by tie-dyeing t-shirts, creating Jackson Pollock inspired drip paintings, and more. Enjoy both the outdoors and indoors this week with color!!!



CREATIVE ARTS *Stop being just another face in the crowd!* *Grab your friends and step into the spotlight. This is your Summer to shine!*

Theatre

Our Summer theatre programs are 100% hands-on. Students will create the set, design the props and even sew their own costumes! We limit the number of campers so that EVERY child will get a speaking role and/or a solo. Our instructors are professionals in their field and hold degrees in theatre or music. These programs teach teamwork, confidence and a love of the performing arts.

HONK! JR. - a 2-week musical -Ages 6-16 Co-produced with The Quannapowitt Playhouse.

A contemporary retelling of Hans Christian Andersen's "The Ugly Duckling" adapted for young performers. HONK! JR. is the story of Ugly, an awkward duck whose gawky looks instantly incite prejudice from his family and neighbors. Separated from the farm and pursued by a hungry cat, Ugly must find his way home. Along his rollicking and harrowing journey, he not only discovers his true beauty and glorious destiny but also finds love and acceptance in all its forms

Directed by: Kelly Walsh
 Music Director: Brian Ocock
 Art Director: Brittany Daley

Wks 3 & 4: July 7-19
 Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5:30pm, Sat. July 19, 2-6pm
 Performances: Friday, 7/18 at 6pm & Saturday, 7/19 at 5pm. Tickets are \$10 per person.
 Location: Quannapowitt Playhouse, Reading
 Tuition: \$625/\$610 sibling

Charlotte's Web – a 1-week straight play - Ages 6-16 Co-produced with The Quannapowitt Playhouse.

A timeless story of friendship, loss and love. When an affectionate pig named Wilbur is saved from slaughter and sent to live on a nearby farm, he finds a barnyard full of animals who quickly become family. But it's the most unlikely of friends that prove to be his best — a spider named Charlotte who uses her skills to save Wilbur's life once more, even as her own is slipping away. It's the classic tale you know and love!

Directed by: Kelly Walsh
 Art Director: Brittany Daley
 Asst. Art Director: Samantha Ocock

Wk 6: July 28-Aug 2
 Mon-Fri 8:30am-5:30pm, Sat. Aug. 2, 2-6pm

Performances: Friday, 8/1 at 6pm & Saturday, 8/2 at 5pm. Tickets are \$10 per person.
 Location: Quannapowitt Playhouse, Reading
 Tuition: \$355.00/\$345.00 sibling

The Sound of Music a 2-week musical -Ages 8-16 Co-produced in collaboration with Reading Recreation.

Join us for our exciting production of the world's most beloved musical, "The Sound of Music", recently adapted for student performers. The "Sound of Music" follows the story Maria, Captain and the Von Trapp children and features the classic songs "Do, re, me", "Climb Every Mountain" and "So long, Farewell", among others.

Directed by: Kelly Walsh
 Music Director: Brian Ocock
 Art Director: Brittany Daley

Wks 7 & 8: Aug 4-16
 Mon-Fri 8:30am-5:30pm, Sat. Aug 16, 2-6pm
 Performances: Friday, 8/15 at 6pm & Saturday, 8/16 at 5pm. Tickets are \$10 per person.
 Location: Parker Middle School, Reading

Register on-line thru Reading Recreation at:
http://www.readingrec.com/info/activities/program_details.aspx?ProgramID=29728



Suzuki Sampler: Parent & Child – Ages 3-8 with caregiver

Create a successful musical learning experience for your child using the Suzuki Philosophy & Approach! Learn how to address focus, practice at home, parent involvement and how to select an instrument. Both child and parent will be able to explore violin, guitar and piano through group and break-out sessions. Children will also enjoy music movement activities during parents' Q&A. Leave with a sense of what it would be like to have your child study guitar, piano, violin, viola or cello in the sequential and progressive Suzuki Method.

4 Wednesdays, July 9-30; 5:30-7pm

Tuition: \$180 per family

Music Instructors: Laura Burgess, Kenya Esteva de Ruiz, Sheryl LaFayette

Create Your Own Band – Ages 4-7

Sing, dance and play along to expand your musical vocabulary, explore rhythms, and find your groove! Use your creativity to make musical instruments out of recycled materials and then put it all together to create your own band!

Wk 5: July 21-25 · Mon-Fri, 9am-noon

Tuition: \$175/\$165sibling; Early Care (8-9am): \$40/\$30sibling

Music Instructor: Kenya Esteva de Ruiz

String Exploration – Ages 6-14

Explore strings this summer at CREATIVE ARTS! We will have two sections: one for beginners and one for students playing since September and longer. There is no audition but we will ask several questions so that we can pick music that will be fun for everyone.

Wk 4: July 14-18 · Mon-Fri, 10am-2pm

Tuition: \$265/\$250sibling

Music Instructors: Laura Burgess & Kenya Esteva de Ruiz

Music, Movement & Diversity Workshop – Ages 7-12

Come celebrate the cultures of ourselves and others as we explore an appreciation for the arts near and far from us through folk dances, songs, journaling and poetry. Inspired by nature, poetry, art and music, we will celebrate the way that humans, even a world apart are more similar than different.

2-Day Workshop:

Thursday & Friday, June 26 & 27, 1:00-4:00pm

Instructor: Laura Burgess

Tuition: \$78

Writer's Workshop: Words and Music – Ages 8-12

Discover the meaning in lyrics and poetry!

Explore your writer's voice using writing prompts and activities inspired by Julia Cameron's *The Artists Way* and Poet/Educator Parker Palmer's *Courage to Teach*.

1-Day Workshop:

Tuesday, June 24, 1:00-4:00pm

Instructor: Laura Burgess

Tuition: \$50

Musical Theatre Audition Workshop – Ages 8-16

Need to get ready for that big audition? Find out the ins and outs of how to ace your next audition. Learn a short audition piece of 16 bars, audition poise, exploring character presentation, vocal projection and singing. Vocal Instructor Brian Ocock has been teaching private lessons and summer camps at CREATIVE ARTS for 26 years and has his Masters in Music from New England Conservatory of Music.

1-Day Workshop:

Saturday, June 21, 9:00am-noon

Instructor: Brian Ocock

Tuition: \$50

Traditional and Suzuki Private Music Lessons

Whether learning to play, continuing study or rekindling a love for music, CREATIVE ARTS offers the perfect opportunity to keep your abilities in tune with private, semi-private and group music lessons.

Summer is the perfect time to try out a new instrument and to determine if you or your child(ren) are ready for private lessons!

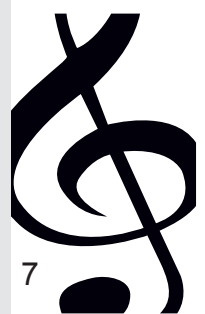
Trial Lesson: \$30. A 30-minute time frame including a lesson on the instrument and a teacher meeting to establish goals and answer questions.

Traditional or Suzuki Private Lessons: \$36.50 per 30-minute lesson. Flexible summer schedule. Longer lesson times and semi-private lessons are available .

Instruments (ages 3-Adults):

Percussion ~ Piano* ~ Clarinet ~ Saxophone ~ Recorder ~ Flute* ~ Oboe ~ Voice ~ Bass ~ Guitar* (acoustic and electric) ~ Violin* ~ Viola* ~ Cello* ~ Appalachian & Hammered Dulcimer ~ Kalimba ~ Marimba

* The Suzuki approach was developed by Dr. Shinichi Suzuki, a Japanese violinist who desired to bring beauty to the lives of children and help them develop through the study of music. The Suzuki philosophy is that "musical ability is not an inborn talent but an ability which can be developed."



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Visual Arts: Special Workshops & Classes for Kids

Outdoor Painting Workshop– Ages 8-16

Enjoy the natural beauty of summer in New England while building your observational painting skills to create a masterpiece on canvas. Supplies will be provided. Classes will take place outside weather permitting.

3 Wednesday Options: July 9, July 23, or Aug13; 1:30-3:30pm

Tuition: \$35 each or 2 for \$65or 3 for \$95
Instructor: Dennis Hart

Drawing and Painting Studio – Ages 8-16

Hone your drawing and painting skills by working from observation under the direction of instructor and professional artist, Dennis Hart. Advanced students will have the opportunity to work independently if desired.

3 Thursdays, July 10, 17 & 24;6-8pm

Tuition: \$85
Instructor: Dennis Hart

Visual Arts: Special Workshops & Classes for Adults

Plein Air Painting for ADULTS

Enjoy the natural beauty of summer in New England while building your observational painting skills. Learn how to see the effects of light and shadow on color while exploring the components of landscape painting. Bring your wet medium of choice or pay a supply fee of \$8 per workshop to use our acrylics & canvases. Classes will take place outside weather permitting. No experience necessary.

3 Wednesday Options: July 9, July 23, orAug 13; 9:30am-12:30pm

Tuition: \$40 each or 2 for \$75or 3 for \$110 (optional supply fee: \$8/workshop)
Instructor: Dennis Hart

Painting on Canvas at Bertucci's

Create your own piece of art in a social and supportive environment. Artist Natalie Busby will lead us step-by-step to create a painting on canvas based on her "Martini" painting, but your touch is what will make it uniquely yours! No experience necessary. All painting supplies included. Note: the workshop will be held at Bertucci's of Reading and will include appetizers. Additional food and beverages may be purchased.

1-Day Workshop:

Thursday, July 17, 6:30-9:00pm

Tuition: \$35

Instructor: Natalie Busby

Jewelry at Bertucci's

Break free from the traditional beaded necklace workshop to design and create your own piece of jewelry based on Artist Natalie Busby's own design using felt, ribbon, old broaches, and funky beads. This fun, relaxing evening will bring your creative side to life. Note: the workshop will be held at Bertucci's of Reading and will include appetizers. Additional food and beverages may be purchased.

1-Day Workshop:

Thursday, Aug 7, 6:30-9:00pm

Tuition: \$40

Instructor: Natalie Busby

Great Opportunity for Your Teen!

Training Options for Teens!

Assistants-In-Training (ages 13-15)

Mon-Fri, 8:30am-12:30pm or 12:30-4:30pm

Tuition: \$85/wk

Assistants work with the children in our Mini Art, Theatre & Music Explorations Programs. A short application and interview is required before acceptance. First and second week choices must be indicated on registration form; multiple weeks allowed but spaces are limited. Self starters encouraged!

Teacher-In-Training (ages 16-18)

Mon-Fri, 8:15am-4:30pm

Tuition:\$130/wk

Trainees work with the Art Adventures Program. A short application and interview is required before acceptance. First and second week choices must be indicated on registration form, multiple weeks allowed but spaces are limited. Trainees will work directly with the children, prep projects, research artists, assist in cleaning, and have the opportunity to lead a project.



Registration

All programs are first-come, first-served. We must receive a completed registration form by mail, email, online, or in person along with payment to reserve a space in our programs. Please register EARLY. CREATIVE ARTS reserves the right to cancel programs due to low enrollment. A full refund will be returned under this scenario only.

Discounts

Save \$10 off each full-week, full-day summer program if you register for 3 or more full-day, full-weeks. Save \$5 if registering for 3 or more weeks of the full-week, half-day program. These discounts are per child, not per family. Sibling rates are listed next to the full tuition rates. A private music lesson discount of 5% is allowed off a sibling's private lesson, 10% off third. Coupons and discounts cannot be combined. Discounts are only valid if tuition is paid in full. Credit card fees still apply.

Payment Options & Methods

Pay in full. The BEST deal for CREATIVE ARTS & for you!!

Non-refundable Deposit. A non-refundable deposit of 50% of total summer tuition plus fees are due with the registration form. Tuition balance must be made by a post-dated check or by submitting credit card information—to be processed June 4.

Payment Plan. A non-refundable payment plan fee of \$18 is due with the 1st installment along with the registration form. Payment schedules of equal installments (maximum of 4 installments) must be made by post-dated checks with final payment due at least three weeks prior to the start of the first class/workshop/lesson.

Payment Methods. CREATIVE ARTS accepts cash, check and credit cards. Any payment returned by the bank will be charged \$35. If using a credit card, processing fees will be added each time your credit card is charged. Credit Card Fees are based on the amount being charged at the time of the transaction: \$5 for amounts of \$100 or less, \$10 for amounts of \$500 or less, \$20 for amounts of \$1500 or less, \$30 for amounts greater than \$1500.

CREATIVE ARTS reserves the right to suspend classes or lessons for any student whose tuition payments are in arrears, unless other arrangements have been made with the office.

Summer Withdrawal Policy

Tuition is non-refundable unless a withdrawal request is made in writing to Executive Director Jennifer Hart and received by June 4, 2014. Please note, a \$35 processing fee will be assessed to all approved withdrawal refunds. Withdrawal requests made after June 4th will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

Wait List Policy

When programs reach capacity, we begin a first-come, first-served wait list. If a spot becomes available, we contact the family immediately. A finite reply time is given and, if we do not receive a reply, we move on to the next person on the list. Registration forms are required, but payment is only processed if the spot is filled.

Summer Full-Week Program Policies

All students enrolled in a full-week program are required to submit current immunization records, physical exam & CREATIVE ARTS Emergency Contact Form. All forms are due TWO WEEKS BEFORE the first day of the full-week program. Failure to submit forms may void registration. No refunds are given for voided registrations. It is the parent's responsibility to submit all required information.

Our Faculty

Our art, music and theatre faculty are all artist-educators and professionals in their field, many with advanced degrees. We are very proud to have caring, creative and enthusiastic teachers! Faculty bios are listed online at www.WeTeachCreativeArts.org.

We encourage open communication! If you have a question, ask the office staff or your art, music or theatre teacher!

Our Teaching Philosophy

We teach skills, techniques, appreciation, performance & exhibition, and the creative process. Lessons, processes and skill sets are not learned overnight and require practice, repetition and patience.

Photo / Recording Release

CREATIVE ARTS occasionally records and/or photographs students for promotional and/or program information purposes. Usage may include internal and external publications as well as online purposes including YouTube, Facebook, etc. Please notify us in writing if you do NOT want your child to be photographed or recorded.



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