

Summer Holiday Courses 2021

MONDAY 19 JULY – FRIDAY 27 AUGUST
COURSES FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS!



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Week 1

COLOUR KEY:

0-5 YEARS

6-18 YEARS

ADULT

Monday 19 July

PIRATES!

ART, 10AM - 12 NOON, 3-5 YEARS

Calling All Salty Seadogs! Come and set sail with us on the seas for a pirate adventure. Making everything we'll need for the journey, we will go in search of treasure, following our map. Come and talk like a pirate - "Ship Ahoy!" and "Shiver Me Timbers!"

£20, TUTOR: SUE HARRIS



KLEE'S SQUARES AND KANDINSKY'S CIRCLES

ART, 1.30PM - 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

Looking at the work of Paul Klee and Wassily Kandinsky, we will make our own colourful creations in their styles using paint, bleeding tissue, printing and sticking. Get ready for a very colourful class!

£20, TUTOR: SUE HARRIS

Tuesday 20 July

DREAMING OF TRAVELS

ART, 10AM - 12 NOON, 3-5 YEARS

Use different collage materials - maps, envelopes and a variety of printed pages to make a travel brochure for another land, real or imaginary. Follow in the footsteps of artists whose work has been inspired by travel to make an artist's book recording what you see on your real or imaginary adventures. We can make a suitcase and pack it ready for our journey. Where shall we go?

£20, TUTOR: SUE HARRIS

KEEP THE FAITH

ART, 1.30PM - 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

We will be looking at the children's books of the artist Faith Ringold including 'Cassie's Word Quilt', in which she imagines herself flying above her family. Where would you go in your imagination? Using patchwork and drawings and with reference to Faith Ringold's work we will create our own piece.

£20, TUTOR: SUE HARRIS

Wednesday 21 July

PARADISE FOUND

ART, 1.30PM - 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

Mary Delany started making exquisite collages of flowers when she was 72! Start a bit earlier and make your own botanical work. We will draw from life looking at plants, and making a collage of a flower using printing, flower petals, and tissue paper. Will you be able to tell it isn't a real specimen?

£20, TUTOR: SUE HARRIS



1 DAY GUITAR WORKSHOP

MUSIC, 9.30AM - 3.30PM, 6-10 YEARS

Come and join us for a one day course while you will learn all about the guitar playing some songs. Explore the instrument and how to express yourself under the guidance of our enthusiastic tutors. We welcome young guitarists of all levels, including complete beginners. Guitars can be hired for the session free of charge.

£50, TUTOR: ELLIOTT MORRIS & MAREK TYMKOW

Week 2

Monday 26 – Friday 30 July

WHERE ARE YOU GOING? CAN I COME TOO?

MUSIC, 10AM – 10.45AM, 18 MONTHS – 3 YEARS

We're going on a journey... Who knows where we'll end up or how we'll get there? We're making a picnic, we've got some toys and some books and we're ready to have some fun! So, pack your bag and come and join us as our journey progresses throughout the week.

5-DAY COURSE – £45, TUTOR: HILARY DOLAMORE

WHERE ARE YOU GOING? CAN I COME TOO?

MUSIC, 11AM – 11.45AM, 3 – 4 YEARS

We're going on a journey... Who knows where we'll end up or how we'll get there? We're making a picnic, we've got some toys and some books and we're ready to have some fun! So, pack your bag and come and join us as our journey progresses throughout the week. This class is adapted for older pre-schoolers.

5-DAY COURSE – £45, TUTOR: HILARY DOLAMORE

Monday 26 July

SUMMER BUNTING

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 8-14 YEARS

In this one day introduction to sewing you will learn how to sew your own bunting! The bunting will be finished on one side by a handworked hem and attached to tape. You'll learn how to prepare and cut fabric to a pattern, pinning and tacking fabric, hemming stitch and back stitch. At the end of the class you'll be able to take home some finished bunting and you will have learnt some key sewing basics!

£50, TUTOR: PENNY FOLLOWS



INTRODUCTION TO PHYSICAL THEATRE

DRAMA, 10.30AM – 3.30PM, 15-18 YEARS

This day long workshop will be a playground for participants to explore 'physical theatre' in its broadest sense through structured exercises and improvised movement. We will be working with excerpts from plays and poems to explore their physical possibilities. This will be a highly physical session so please come ready to move!

The course is led by Phoebe Hyder who is a movement director (Associate member of the MDA) and physical theatre performer/dancer, as well as yoga teacher with Yoga Alliance Professionals.

£50, TUTOR: PHOEBE HYDER



UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

MUSIC, 1.30PM – 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

Come try out the ukulele and get started on the right note! Join us on this fun-filled introduction to the instrument. Play your first song and have fun making music. Participants will learn the basics, under the guidance of a professional musician. All levels are welcome; bring your own instrument or borrow one of ours.

£20, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

Tuesday 27 July

PUPPETRY

DRAMA, 10.30AM – 3.30PM, 7-12 YEARS

In this workshop you'll learn about different types of puppetry, how to puppeteer your own theatre puppets and by the end of the day you will have created your own mini show. Expect lots of games, fun and moving around as you learn the core skills you need to become a puppeteer!

£50, TUTOR: PHOEBE HYDER

MY MAGICAL GARDEN

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

Create your own miniature imaginary garden. We will use natural materials such as clay, sticks, moss, stones, soil, sand and dried flowers – as well as cardboard, paint, glitter and fabric to make a 3D miniature model. Why not bring along some small natural objects from your garden to incorporate – like flowers, leaves or stones? We will explore scale, colour and texture to create our own mini landscapes!

£50, TUTOR: LILLY WALKER

UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

MUSIC, 1.30PM – 3.30PM, 5-7 YEARS

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£20, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

Wednesday 28 July

MYTHS AND MONSTERS

ART, 1.30PM – 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

We will explore some Greek myths and legends and the creatures in them. Make a mask based on your favourite Greek myth or legend, using cardboard and other materials. Create a fantastic beast using collage.

£20, TUTOR: SUE HARRIS

Friday 30 July

BECOME A PODCASTER!

DRAMA, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 8-14 YEARS

Ever wondered how your favourite podcast is created or wanted to create a podcast yourself? Come along and learn all about this new and popular art form and create your very own podcast!

£50, TUTOR: ANNALISE MORLEY

Week 3

Monday 2 – Wednesday 4 August

SOUNDTREKKERS

MUSIC, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 7-12 YEARS

Open to anyone with an interest in music and exploring music around the world. Within this course, you will explore different elements of music by listening, singing, composing and creating some art inspired by music. Each day will start with a live performance from a professional cellist who will then take the group on a journey to 'visit' a different country to explore cultures and art forms.

3-DAY COURSE – £120, TUTOR: SOPHIE GLEDHILL

Monday 2 August

UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

MUSIC, 1.30PM – 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

Come try out the ukulele and get started on the right note! Join us on this fun-filled introduction to the instrument. Play your first song and have fun making music. Participants will learn the basics, under the guidance of a professional musician. All levels are welcome; bring your own instrument or borrow one of ours.

£20, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

SUMMER SCREEN-PRINTING!

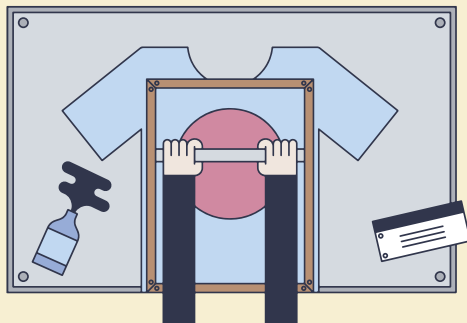
ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 8-14 YEARS

Learn how to screen-print using stencils to create colourful pieces on paper and fabric.

We will guide you through the printing process from drawing and cutting your stencils, to mixing your printing dyes to squeegee through your silk screen.

Have fun experimenting with shapes, colour and layering to produce one of a kind designs onto paper, t-shirts and bags!

£50, TUTOR: NATASHA MOK



Tuesday 3 August

OCEAN KITES

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

Go 'Tako Kichi' – kite crazy this summer at the Conservatoire. Taking our inspiration from the sea, children will create their own ocean kite inspired by the rich history of paper kite making in the Pacific ocean cultures. In this one-day workshop we will design, build and hopefully fly our very own 'tako dako'.

£50, TUTOR: KIRSTEN LYLE

INSPIRED BY INDIA

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 8-14 YEARS

Are you ready for a journey? Board the plane and join us for a creative journey to India. Here we will discover the traditional arts of India. We will be inspired by ancient art, nature and the world we see on our trip. Expect lots of colour, which we will capture using acrylics, inks and pastels. It will feel like you've had a holiday and you'll return with gorgeous colourful creative pieces.

£50, TUTOR: SALINA JANE

UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

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£20, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

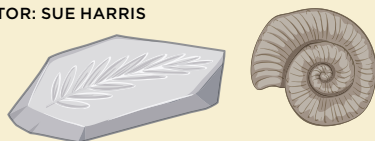
Wednesday 4 August

TREASURE HUNT

ART, 1.30PM – 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

Mary Anning is a hero of fossil discovery. We will feel the textures of fossils and pebbles and try to create this in our drawings using chalks, wax, graphite, oil pastels and paint. We'll make some treasures and fossils, and create our own archaeological hunt to take home.

£20, TUTOR: SUE HARRIS



DOCUMENT THE WORLD WITH YOUR SMART PHONE

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 9-14 YEARS

Do you have thousands of photos and videos on your phone that you never do anything with? Wondering how you can stand out from the crowd and be unique? Want to up your selfie game? Come along to this one-day workshop where you will learn all about using the best angles, the right lighting, and all the professional tips and tricks to shoot better Smart Phone photography and videography. Learn how to shoot great pictures and make perfect videos every time under the guidance of our expert, and then develop your skills in editing them to get the best out of your images.

£50, TUTOR: PAUL MCGHIE

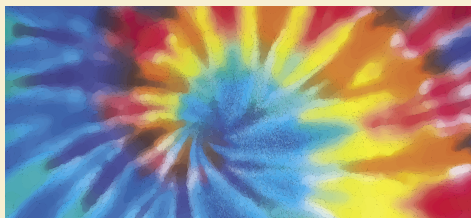
Thursday 5 August

MINIATURE MODEL MAKING

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

Spend a day creating a miniature world to be inhabited by your own miniature figures. We will design, make and model our own creative worlds by exploring various techniques and processes. It may be you create a building, a landscape, a scene and make people, animals or creatures. The work will be led by your creative vision, with support, advice and guidance throughout the day.

£50, TUTOR: VERITY WONG



TIE-DYE AND FABRIC DYE WORKSHOP

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 8-14 YEARS

We will teach you the process of using natural and synthetic dyes to stain fabric and different ways of tying material to create patterns. You'll learn about colour mixing and complimentary colours.

Using this knowledge you'll make colourful creations on t-shirts, socks and bags!

£50, TUTOR: NATASHA MOK

MINDFULNESS FOR TEENS

TASTER SESSION, 2PM – 3.30PM, 12-18 YEARS

A deep dive into meditation and mindfulness practices – how to incorporate mindfulness into everyday life, combat anxiety and stress factors, and introducing Non-Violent Communication to improve relationships.

In the taster we will touch on the following subjects; healthy social media use, boundaries, body image perceptions, combatting the inner critic, and how to build self-esteem and support confidence.

£30, TUTOR CAT FLANNERY

Friday 6 August

SOUND EFFECT ART

MUSIC, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 5-11 YEARS

Join our sound effect specialist to create your own sound effects and learn all about sound effect art! You can choose your favourite scenes from a selection of videos and then recreate the sound effects for those scenes. You will get the chance to record and sound engineer. Bring any instruments you play, and we may incorporate them. By the end of the course, your fantastic sound effects will be uploaded for you to keep!

£50, TUTOR: ANNALISE MORLEY

CERAMICS – HANDBUILDING WITH CLAY

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 8-11 YEARS

Explore the potential of clay in this 1 day workshop where various hand building techniques will be taught. Whether you want to make a functional piece to use around the house, or a sculpture to display, this course offers the chance to plan and develop your own piece.

At the end of the day students can choose a work that they would like to be fired and glazed to be transformed into ceramic.

£50 – THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL £5 CHARGE TO COVER THE COST OF KILN FIRING. TUTOR: VERITY WONG



MAKE YOUR OWN BOARDGAME!

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 8-14 YEARS

Hosted by Betty Adamou, global and award-winning expert and author of Serious Games and Gamification, this workshop brings together multiple disciplines to ensure a fun and engaging workshop, while thinking about solving real-world problems. Each workshop starts with a conundrum: How can we use a game to educate or train the players to understand more about different topics such as Climate change, COVID-19, sustainability in fashion, the importance of exercise, mental health and wellness? Or another problem that you want solved. With the Board Game workshop, suddenly even the most difficult problems become easy to understand and design a solution for!

£50, TUTOR: BETTY ADAMOU

MINDFUL KIDS

TASTER SESSION, 10AM – 11.30PM, 7-11 YEARS

This is a fun, interactive, playful class with a focus on how to incorporate mindfulness into everyday life, combat anxiety and stress factors, and improve emotional literacy – particularly pertinent in current times.

£30, TUTOR: CAT FLANNERY

Saturday 7 August

FAMILY CERAMICS

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM

Explore the potential of clay in this one-day workshop where various hand building techniques will be taught. Whether you want to make a functional piece to use around the house, or a sculpture to display, this course offers the chance to plan and develop your own piece.

This workshop isn't just something to do for the kids but for the adults attending to get creative as well!! Our experienced Potter Verity will help guide children and adults of all ages through the workshop and everyone will have a masterpiece to take away with them!

At the end of the day, students can choose 2 pieces that they would like to be fired and glazed to be transformed into ceramic.

£50 PER CHILD, UP TO TWO ADULTS GO FREE! THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL £5 CHARGE TO COVER THE COST OF KILN FIRING. TUTOR: VERITY WONG

Week 4

Monday 9 August

UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

MUSIC, 1.30PM - 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

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£20, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

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£50, TUTOR: ELLIOTT MORRIS AND MAREK TYMKO

A TRIP TO THE SEASIDE, TOWN OR COUNTRY WITH JOHN PIPER

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

You will create collages using magazines, words and coloured paper that are based on your favourite real or imaginary holiday destination, this could be the seaside or countryside or a special place that you know. We'll look at the work of John Piper who used collage significantly in his painting and drawing.



John Piper, *Seaford Head*, 1933

After this, you'll enlarge a section of your collage through drawing and painting to create an abstract image. We'll design a cover for a Creative Adventures visual journal using abstract and photomontage collage and paint. Then, use your collages and drawings as inspiration to design and decorate a T-Shirt to wear on your adventure!

£50, TUTOR: NICOLA CORRIGAN

Tuesday 10 August

INTRO TO FLUTE

MUSIC, 10AM - 11AM, 6-9 YRS

OR 11.30AM - 12.30PM, 6-9 YRS

In this one-day introduction to Flute you will learn all about the instrument and our experienced tutor will guide you through aspects of rhythm, note reading and using the head joint of the flute to ground you in the basics of the instrument. Within the class you will learn 3 notes and a piece of music. This class gives you the opportunity to try out the flute to see if you would like to take your learning with the instrument further and offers a basis from which you would be able to progress on to our term time Play! Flute programme.

If you have your own instrument, feel free to bring it along but, if not, you can use one of ours for the class.

£11, TUTOR: SARAH DESBRUSLAIS



UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

MUSIC, 1.30PM - 3.30PM, 5-7 YEARS

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£20, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

STOP MOTION ANIMATION

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

A creative adventure in Stop Motion Animation.

Playing with toys is one of the most creative ways children develop their abilities to tell stories and have adventures in their own imaginations. Why not stick these toys in front of the camera and turn the story into an awesome stop-motion short film!

Pupils will develop a story and together, with their toys, build a set and bring this story (and their toys) to life through stop-motion animation.

£50, TUTOR: PAUL MCGHIE

CREATIVE STORIES, KURT SCHWITTERS AND HANNAH HOCH

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

In this workshop we'll work from still life prompts found in nature including shells, foliage and flowers to create multimedia artworks in collage, pencil and paint. These will form the basis from which we will design a summer poster using photomontage and lettering inspired by the work of Hannah Hoch and Kurt Schwitters.

Bring along an old notebook, last year's diary or a novel to upcycle, we will craft it into a new book to illustrate a summer story. We will go on to use our artwork as a source of inspiration to design and decorate a beautiful shoulder bag to use on your summer adventure!

£50, TUTOR: NICOLA CORRIGAN



STORYTELLING: THE MOUSEHOLE CAT

DRAMA, 10.30AM - 3.30PM, 4-7 YRS

Join us on this day long adventure exploring through imagination, games and drama the book 'The Mousehole Cat' by Antonia Barber and Nicola Bayley. A fantastic way to develop confidence, communication and storytelling skills through play, drama and movement.

£50, TUTOR: PHOEBE HYDER

Wednesday 11 August

IMPROVISATION AND COMEDY

DRAMA, 9.30AM - 3.30PM, 8-14 YEARS

This workshop will focus on all the different elements of improvisation. This will be a safe place to be silly and creative, working through many different improvisation games and techniques that will help build your confidence in acting as well as public speaking. We will use different stimulus to create and devise pieces in the afternoon session using the techniques discovered through various games in the morning session. Think 'Whose Line Is It Anyway' meets 'Showstopper'!

£50, TUTOR: ADAM BOARDMAN

MAGIC SPELLS AND FLYING CARPETS

ART, 1.30PM - 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

Inspired by the V&A's 'Epic Iran' Exhibition, we will look at repeating patterns and explore pattern making using pens, bright colours and different printing techniques to make a magical flying carpet. We will draw and make our own magic spell pictures! Abracadabra! Hocus pocus! Alakazam!

£20, TUTOR: SUE HARRIS

Thursday 12 August

INTRO TO FLUTE

MUSIC, 10AM - 11AM OR 11.30AM - 12.30PM, 6-9 YRS

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If you have your own instrument, feel free to bring it along but, if not, you can use one of ours for the class.

£11, TUTOR: SARAH DESBRUSLAIS



WONDERFUL WEAVING!

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 8-14 YEARS

Learn the basics of weaving using strips of paper, fabric and yarn. We will start off on a small scale to learn the technique and transfer it to a larger scale incorporating natural sticks to weave between. We'll create colourful fabric pieces that you can hang on your wall, and woven paper bowls as well as other 3D pieces!

£50, TUTOR: NATASHA MOK

HOLIDAY ADVENTURES WITH MATISSE AND PICASSO

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

We'll create abstract artworks inspired by the work of Matisse and Picasso through the processes of collage, painting and drawing and based on a colourful and imaginative still life. Using colour, shape and texture in found and drawn images we'll create an upcycled box, using 2D and 3D materials.

You'll enlarge a section from your paintings and collages to create a new image, and then work from this to create a finished painting. Finally, create an all over textile image based upon your drawings and collages, and decorate a small bag using fabric pens!

£50, TUTOR: NICOLA CORRIGAN

Friday 13 August

BEAT MAKING & SONGWRITING

MUSIC, 9.30AM - 3.30PM, 8-14 YEARS

Together we will experiment with different instruments and styles all from one computer, creating new contemporary digital music using Afrobeats, Dancehall, Trap and Hip Hop as inspiration. We will work with loops and samples, and record our own voices to add effects including autotune and pitch shift, to collectively construct an original track. Bring any instruments you play, and we may incorporate them. Our goal is to complete one finished track and upload it to YouTube to amaze your friends and family. No prior musical knowledge needed, just come and find out how creative you can be!

£50, TUTOR: ANNALISE MORLEY

CREATIVE PORTRAITS AND IMAGINARY WORLDS

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

Inspired by the work of David Hockney and Edward Hopper, in this workshop you will draw a self-portrait, create an abstract piece based on your drawings, experiment with collage and mixed media, and create and name an imaginary place using photomontage, paint and drawn images.

Following on from this we will write a short one page illustrated story or poem about your imaginary world or location. Finally, we will produce a finished painted canvas using ideas from your drawings, collages and paintings.

£50, TUTOR: NICOLA CORRIGAN

SUMMER PORTFOLIO WORKSHOP

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 11-16 YEARS

Join our one-day portfolio workshop and get advice and ideas on how to create a portfolio to be proud of. Whether you are starting out and need inspiration or would like tips on how to enhance your portfolio art projects, come and work alongside other young artists at our studio for a day long session dedicated to your art. This course is the perfect accompaniment to school or can stand alone.

£50, TUTOR: KIRSTEN LYLE

Week 5

Monday 16 – Friday 20 August

MUSICAL THEATRE

DRAMA, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 8-14 YEARS

Come and join two West End actors for a 5-day musical theatre workshop learning songs and scenes from top West End & Broadway shows. You will work together with Adam and Connor, who are both currently in *Les Misérables*, to improve your vocal and singing technique, learn new improvisation and acting techniques and put on your own short compilation musical to perform at the end of the 5 days.

5-DAY COURSE – £210. TUTORS: ADAM BOARDMAN & CONNOR JONES

Monday 16 August

UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

MUSIC, 1.30PM – 3.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

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£20, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

Tuesday 17 August

CREATE YOUR OWN ZINE!

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 8-14 YEARS

People have been making Zines since 1775! This is your opportunity to join many artists in making your own fabulous Zine! Find out about this history of the Zine and be inspired by the creators who made them. We will cut, paste and draw, using our own stories and personal narratives to create something quite unique. Everyone will leave with a copy of the Zine we produce as a group.

£50, TUTOR: SALINA JANE

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MUSIC, 1.30PM – 3.30PM, 5-7 YEARS

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£20, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

Wednesday 18 August

FUN WITH YARN

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 8-14 YEARS

In this one-day introduction to yarn crafts, you'll learn a number of basic knitting and crochet skills as well as come away with some beautiful handmade projects. Learn how to cast on and the knit stitch, start off on the path to crochet, discover the art of the Pom Pom and play with buttons and ribbons. You'll learn how to make a Pom Pom scarf, as well as a small brooch and a small knit purse!

£50 – THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL £5 CHARGE TO COVER THE COST OF MATERIALS INCLUDING WOOL. TUTOR: SALINA JANE

Thursday 19 & Friday 20 August

BEAT MAKING/PRODUCTION & SONGWRITING

MUSIC, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 12-16 YEARS

Over this two-day workshop together we will experiment with different instruments and styles all from one computer, creating new contemporary digital music using Afrobeats, Dancehall, Trap and Hip Hop as inspiration. We will work with loops and samples, and record our own voices to add effects including autotune and pitch shift, to collectively construct an original track. Bring any instruments you play, and we may incorporate them. Our goal is to complete one finished track and upload it to YouTube to amaze your friends and family. No prior musical knowledge needed, just come and find out how creative you can be!

£90, TUTOR: ANNALISE MORLEY

Bring a packed lunch for day long courses – please no nuts!

If you haven't found anything that you would like to sign up to then why not contact us to arrange your own, bespoke, Art tuition. Available via Zoom for groups of 2-4 students, one of our tutors will deliver an art session based on your needs. Classes are charged at £20 per hour, per child. For more information, and to book your personalised class, please email info@conservatoire.org.uk.

Thursday 19 August

MAKE YOUR OWN SHADOW PUPPETS!

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 6-9 YEARS

Make your own shadow puppets! Shadow puppetry is an ancient form of storytelling and entertainment. In this class we will be inspired by shadow play from across the world. We will make our own moving shadow puppet characters and scenery and take them on a creative adventure. We will create our own unique narratives. Tell stories and let your imagination be inspired by this ancient art!

£50, TUTOR: SALINA JANE

Friday 20 August

OCEAN SCULPTURES

ART, 9.15AM - 3.30PM, 7-12 YEARS

Ancient sea faring civilizations have left us with stories of sea monsters and magical creatures of the deep. In this one-day sculpture course children will design and construct and model their own amazing oceanic sculptures. We'll look at the dazzling glass sea creatures of Leopold and Rudolf Blaschka as well as figures from classical mythology to inspire our own creatures from the deep.

£50, TUTOR: KIRSTEN LYLE

Monday 23 - Friday 27 August

PLAY! SUMMER SCHOOL FOR YOUNG MUSICIANS

MUSIC, 9.30AM - 3.30PM, 6-10 YEARS

Spend a fun week with a team of enthusiastic professional musicians, developing your playing ability and confidence, having fun and making friends! Activities include musical games, rhythm exercises, supervised practice and playing as an orchestra and in chamber groups. There will be a mini concert performance on the final day. Whether you are a graduate or current student of our popular Play! programme or are interested in joining, this summer school is perfect for you!

5-DAY COURSE - £210. TUTOR: GIULIA SEMERANO, MANUEL ARRELANO BOVER & JADE BULTITUDE



Weekly Courses

**Wednesday 21 July, 28 July,
4 August & 11 August**

LITTLE ART VENTURE CLUB

ART, 10AM - 10.45AM, 0-2 YRS, £36

ART, 11AM - 12 NOON, 2-4 YRS, £40

The Little Art-Venture club will introduce your child to art making alongside a parent/carer in a safe and fun environment. Your child will learn new skills on a week-by-week basis and gain more confidence in the vocabulary they use to describe what they see and feel.

TUTORS: SUE HARRIS

**Thursday and Friday,
12, 13, 19 & 20 August**

THEATRE DEVISING

DRAMA, 10AM - 1PM, 10-15 YEARS

Ever wanted to create your own theatre? These four workshops will give you the tools to devise your own work. Through physical theatre, improvisation and guided independent creative development sessions in small groups from an industry professional, you will be hitting the touring circuit with your latest performance in no time!

£120, TUTOR: STEPHANIE OSZTREICHER

Something for Adults

Monday 19 July

HOW TO DRAW: AN INTRODUCTION

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM

This course will cover: different drawing materials and their qualities; using charcoal and rubber; drawing with pencil, line and measuring techniques; hatching with a pencil and other ways to shade and create tone.

Drawing is a welcome and rewarding escape for us all – a creative outlet and means of expression. By the end of this day course you will feel confident about joining a class next term as well as practicing at home. Suitable for all levels, including beginners.

£50, TUTOR: VICTORIA RANCE

Tuesday 20 & Wednesday 21 July

SENSORY DRAWING SELF PORTRAIT WORKSHOP

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM

This self-portrait class explores drawing through touch and sensation as well as the visual senses. We will work using mirrors, trying a range of different drawing techniques, as well as collage. The course will encompass using the tactile elements of collage to feed back into the drawing process. In this two day course we will tune into our senses to explore a range of drawing techniques based on touch and feeling.

£90, TUTOR: GABRIELLE LOCKWOOD ESTRIN

**Thursdays & Fridays,
22, 23, 29 & 30 July**

SUMMER ATELIER CONSERVATOIRE

ART, 10AM – 3.30PM

Like the term time Atelier Conservatoire, this course is based on the traditional European system of artists coming together as a group to work in a serious studio environment on personal projects, with the support and guidance of a tutor. Participants need to be self-motivated and have an idea of what they would like to do. Many make painting projects based around photographs as source material as well as their own research and drawings. Others work from observation – the still life or interior – as well as imaginatively on abstract compositions.



The course runs in the spacious Studio 1 for two consecutive days over two weeks. It is an opportunity to continue developing projects already begun in the Atelier Conservatoire, or to begin something new and see it as an intense self-contained period of work. Some experience of painting and drawing is essential.

4 SESSIONS – £150. TUTOR: DAVID WEBB

**Wednesday 28, Thursday 29
and Friday 30 July**

ART FOR WELL-BEING

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM

Over this three day course you'll learn about traditional art forms; some working with clay and some abstract expression. Make and create all with the idea of relaxation and well-being at the forefront of our mind, from mindfulness in art to immersing yourself into creation.

3-SESSIONS £120. TUTOR: SALINA JANE

Monday 2, 9, 16 and 23 August

PAINTING SUMMER SCHOOL

ART, 10AM – 4PM

Working through a host of traditional skills, this course will move from drawing through to painting over a four week period. Starting each session with an in-depth slide share discussion of technical instruction and relevant examples from art history, this course will equip students with the basics of working from direct observation, photographic material as well as the imagination.

4 SESSIONS – £150. TUTOR: SIMON WILLEMS

Thursday 5 August

MINDFULNESS FOR NEW MUMS

TASTER SESSION, 10AM – 11.30PM

A supportive, nourishing, welcoming meditation and mindfulness session for new mums. In this one off taster session Cat will guide you through easy, simple ways to incorporate mindfulness into everyday life with your baby. (You're welcome to bring your baby to the class.)

£30, TUTOR: CAT FLANNERY