**Winter 2021: Open Studios**

**Winter Session 1:** 6-Week Term: Monday, January 4-Sunday, February 14

**Access to the EAC Open Studios**

To support the EAC artist community while prioritizing everyone’s wellbeing, the EAC will offer Open Studios with several safety precautions in place.

***The EAC will have a comprehensive COVID-19 policies and procedures document*** *(closely following* [*Restore Illinois guidelines*](about:blank)*)****. Some aspects of the plan are included below:***

**The EAC pledges to do the following each day:**

* Significantly limit capacity of all studios by more than half the usual capacity.
* Limit the number of visitors in our building based on our square footage.
* Provide additional cleaning of all common areas and high touch surfaces, especially restrooms and door handles.
* Take daily temperatures of staff, and encourage staff to stay home if feeling unwell.
  + If a staff member has a temperature of 100.4°F or above, they will not be permitted to remain on site, [per Restore Illinois guidelines.](about:blank)
* Require all who enter the EAC wear a face mask (covering one’s nose and mouth) for the duration of their visit.
* Provide disinfecting wipes for all students to wipe down areas and surfaces they’ve touched inside the studio.

**All students participating in Open Studio must:**

* Arrive and depart at their scheduled arrival and departure times – no exceptions**.** We suggest stopping work 15 minutes prior to scheduled end time to allow enough time for wiping down all surfaces/tools.
* Wear a face mask at all times, which comfortably covers both the nose and mouth.
* Take their temperature upon entry using provided gloves, and share results with an EAC staff member.
  + Anyone with a temperature of 100.4°F or above will not be permitted to remain on site, [per Restore Illinois guidelines.](about:blank)
* Maintain a 6’ distance from others.
* Stay home if feeling unwell.
  + The EAC will waive its refund policy if students must skip a visit due to potential COVID-19 infection. Ask a staff member for more information.
* Wash hands with soap for at least 20 seconds before, during and after their visit to open studios.
* Bring own tools wherever possible. Avoid using community tools wherever possible.
* Use provided disinfecting wipes to disinfect handles, tools, and any surfaces touched in the studio.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Director of Education, Christena Gunther, [CGunther@EvanstonArtCenter.org](about:blank) or 715-212-9140.

**How to Reserve Your Scheduled 3-Hour Weekly Time Slot**

Students interested in registering for Open Studio will reserve a scheduled 3-hour time on a particular day, which will be their assigned time for the entire 6-week term. To support the EAC’s efforts of social distancing and reducing our capacity, please note the following:

* Only students who have previously taken an in-person class in the EAC’s department are eligible for that department’s Open Studios.
* The EAC will waive its refund policy if a student must miss Open Studio due to illness, but not due to other conflicts (e.g., planned vacation, appointment). **No make-up times on a different day and time are possible.**
* Students cannot trade time slots with other students.
* Students may register for multiple time slots.
* If there are openings, it may be possible to prorate term if you wish to register after the first week of open studios.
* Time slot options may be removed due to low or no enrollment. **Registration at least 5 days before the start of the Open Studio time slot is recommended.**
* EAC credit cannot be applied for this Open Studio offering, but can be applied for online classes or future in-person classes.

**Ceramics Open Studio (Unmonitored)**

*Time slot options may be removed due to low or no enrollment. Registration at least 5 days before the start of the Open Studio time slot is recommended.*

**Monday**

12:45-3:45pm ***OS0510***

4-7pm ***OS0511***

7:15-9:45pm (2.5-hour session) ***OS0512***

**Tuesday**

12:45-3:45pm ***OS0513***

4-7pm ***OS0514***

**Thursday**

12:45-3:45pm ***OS0515***

**Friday**

12:45-3:45pm ***OS0516***

**Saturday**

9:15am-12:15pm ***OS0517***

12:30-3:30pm ***OS0518***

**Sunday**

9:15-12:15pm ***OS0519***

**Ceramics Open Studio:**

6-Week Term, 3 Hour Session: EAC Member $165 / EAC Non-Member $195

6-Week Term, 2.5 Hour Session: EAC Member $140 / EAC Non-Member $160

**Capacity: Ceramics Studio Capacity:** 5 students (+ 1 student for scheduled glazing)

**Figure Sculpture Capacity:** 4 students (available for Ceramics Students on Thursday-Sunday)

* Ceramics Open Studio will also include Figure Sculpture Studio on Friday-Sunday; 4 wheels will be available.

**Price includes:**

* Unmonitored access to the Ceramics Studio and equipment
* Total of 18 hours of weekly scheduled 3-hour time slot (15 hours for 2.5-hour time slot)
* 1 free bag of clay
* Access to glazes
* Firing fees
* COVID-19 cleaning fee

**Figure Sculpture Open Studio (Unmonitored)**

*Time slots may be removed due to low or no enrollment. Registration at least 5 days before the start of the Open Studio time slot is recommended.*

**Monday** *Capacity: 2 students*

12:45-3:45pm ***OS2510***

4-7pm ***OS2511***

**Tuesday** *Capacity: 2 students*

9:30am-12:30pm ***OS2512***

12:45-3:45pm ***OS2513***

4-7 pm ***OS2514***

**Wednesday** *Capacity: 2 students*

9:30am-12:30pm ***OS2514***

12:45-3:45pm ***OS2515***

**Thursday** *Capacity: 2 students*

12:45-3:45pm ***OS2516***

**Friday** *Capacity: 1 student*

9:30am-12:30pm ***OS2517***

12:45-3:45pm ***OS2518***

**Saturday & Sunday** *Capacity: 1 student*

12:30-3:30pm ***OS2519, OS2520***

**Figure Sculpture Open Studio (Unmonitored)**

6-Week Term: EAC Member $150 / EAC Non-Member $170

**Price includes:**

* Unmonitored access of the Figure Sculpture Studio
* Total of 18 hours of weekly scheduled 3-hour time slot
* COVID-19 cleaning fee
* Clay
* Students pay the usual fees for fired pieces

**Jewelry Open Studio (Monitored)**

**Monday** 12:30-3:30 ***OS3510***  
**Tuesday** 1-4 ***OS3511***

**Capacity:** 3 students + monitor

**Jewelry Open Studio (Monitored)**

6-Week Term: EAC Member $180 / EAC Non-Member $200

**Price includes:**

* Monitored access to the Jewelry Studio and equipment
* Total of 18 hours of weekly scheduled 3-hour time slot.
* COVID-19 cleaning fee.
* Students pay for metal as usual.

**Jewelry AOS - Advanced Open Studio (Unmonitored)**  
**Thursday** 9:30am-12:30pm ***OS3512;*** 1-4pm ***OS3513***; 6:30-9:30pm ***OS3514***  
**Friday** 1-4pm ***OS3515***  
**Saturday** 9:15-12:15pm ***OS3516***; 12:30-3:30pm ***OS3517***  
**Sunday** 9:15-12:15pm ***OS3518***; 12:30-3:30pm ***OS3519***

**Capacity:** 4 students

**Jewelry AOS - Advanced Open Studio (Unmonitored)**

6-Week Term: EAC Member $160 / EAC Non-Member $180

**Price includes:**

* Unmonitored access to the Jewelry Studio and equipment – available for approved AOS students only.
* Total of 18 hours of weekly scheduled 3-hour time slot.
* COVID-19 cleaning fee.
* Students pay for metal as usual.

**Printmaking Open Studio (Monitored)**

*Time slots may be removed due to low or no enrollment. Registration at least 5 days before the start of the Open Studio time slot is recommended.*

**Monday**

6:30-9:30pm ***OS1510***

**Tuesday**

3:15-6:15pm ***OS1511***

**Wednesday**

3:15-6:15pm ***OS1512***

**Thursday**

9:30am-12:30pm ***OS1513***

**Capacity:** 3 students (+1 Monitor)

**Printmaking Open Studio (Monitored)**

6-Week Term: EAC Member $160 / EAC Non-Member $180

**Price includes:**

* Monitored access to the Printmaking Studio
* Total of 18 hours of weekly scheduled 3-hour time slot
* COVID-19 cleaning fee
* Students pay the usual fees for paper

**Woodworking Open Studio (Unmonitored)**

*Time slots may be removed due to low or no enrollment. Registration at least 5 days before the start of the Open Studio time slot is recommended.*

**Monday**

12:15-3:15pm ***OS7710***

6:45-9:45pm ***OS7711***

**Tuesday**

12:15-3:15pm ***OS7712***

6:45-9:45pm ***OS7713***

**Wednesday**

12:15-3:15pm ***OS7714***

6:45-9:45pm ***OS7715***

**Thursday**

12:15-3:15pm ***OS7716***

6:45-9:45pm ***OS7717***

**Friday**

12:15-3:15pm ***OS7718***

**Saturday**

9:30am-12:30pm ***OS7719***

12:45-3:45pm ***OS7720***

**Sunday**

9:15am-12:15pm ***OS7721***

12:30-3:30pm ***OS7722***

**Capacity:** 1 student

**Woodworking Open Studio (Unmonitored)**

6-Week Term: EAC Member $165 / EAC Non-Member $185

**Price includes:**

* Unmonitored access to the Woodworking Studio (available to previously certified students only) and equipment
* Total of 18 hours of weekly scheduled 3-hour time slot
* COVID-19 cleaning fee
* As usual, students provide their own wood