Summer Art Camps 2023
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JUNE 12 - AUGUST 18, 2023
EVANSTON ART CENTER

OUR MISSION
The Evanston Art Center is dedicated to fostering the appreciation and expression of the arts among diverse audiences. The Art Center offers extensive and innovative instruction in broad areas of artistic endeavor through classes, exhibitions, interactive arts activities, and community outreach initiatives.

IMPORTANT DATES
10 Week Term:
June 12 – August 18, 2023
Classes without minimum enrollment are canceled 3 days before the first class. All registered for class will be notified of the cancellation and receive a full refund. EAC is closed on the following days: Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year’s Eve, New Year’s Day, Memorial Day, July 4, and Labor Day.

CLASS DISCOUNTS
Refer a friend (first-time student) and receive a 20% discount off the price of one class. EAC’s Director of IT and Administration must be alerted when you are introducing a student to an EAC class at the time of registration to receive the discount. Read more on Registration Information and Policies on our website.

FINANCIAL AID/SCHOLARSHIPS AND PAYMENT PLANS
EAC is dedicated to making visual art accessible to everyone. Need-based scholarships are available and can be applied to classes and workshops. Visit our website or front desk for financial aid applications. Please complete the application and return with your class registration. Payment plans are also available. For more information, please call 847-475-5300.

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WELCOME TO THE
EAC SUMMER CAMPS

The Evanston Art Center values creative exploration and cultivation because there’s no wrong way to create art! Through different pedagogical approaches, the EAC embraces critical thinking, creative problem-solving, experimentation, and fun! We focus on sharing new techniques and skills to jump-start beginners and enhance existing interests. The EAC is an inclusive space that values multiple perspectives and interpretations both in the classrooms and the galleries. Come explore, experiment, and create this summer at the Evanston Art Center!

WHAT TO BRING
- Reusable, labeled water bottle
- Nut-free snacks
- Epi-pens or other emergency allergy medications, with instructions for your child. (Make sure a team member knows where this is, as well!)
- Sunscreen or other sun protection
- All students must be toilet trained
- Dress for mess
- No need to bring any art supplies! They’re included in the camp tuition.

SAVE! BECOME A MEMBER TODAY!
Become a member of Evanston Art Center! Save on tuition and support EAC’s programs and operations.

We suggest this option if you’re registering more than one child or for more than one week of camp:
- EAC Youth Annual Membership: $40
- Family Annual Membership: $60

LUNCH AND OUTDOOR BREAKS PLANNED
For all-day camps, students bring their own nut-free lunch. If you’d like to register your child for a morning and an afternoon session, a 30-minute supervised lunch break is included at no extra charge. Campers will visit nearby McCulloch Park for a break during the day, weather permitting. They will be supervised by our great camp team members!
STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES ARE WELCOME!

The EAC welcomes all students with disabilities to join our camps and classes! The EAC is wheelchair-accessible with power-assist doors, an accessible restroom, and an elevator. If your child requires any accommodation to fully participate in the camp, please contact the EAC’s Director of Education with as much advance notice as possible. To ensure a wonderful camp experience, please provide as much information about your child as you feel comfortable.

EMERGENCY CONTACT FORM REQUIRED

All guardians must complete an emergency contact form before their student begins camp. This form includes emergency phone numbers and any medical or emergency information. This form will be sent to all caregivers the Friday before the camp session starts and can be emailed back to the EAC at forms@evanstonartcenter.org. It can also be found on our website or at the front desk. Please submit this form before the first day of camp to expedite the check-in process.

FINANCIAL AID & SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE!

Financial aid, scholarships, and payment plans are available based on financial need. For more information or an application, call (847) 475-5300, check our website or visit the EAC’s front desk. Please plan to apply at least two weeks prior to the camp for which you wish to register.

PARKING

The parking lot adjacent to the Art Center is available on a first-come, first-served basis with vehicles exhibiting a parking permit. Permits are available from the EAC front desk. Street parking is also available. Please do not park in our neighbors’ parking lots.

QUESTIONS? CONTACT US!

Our Director of Education is happy to assist and discuss any camp recommendations for your child. For questions or concerns please contact Ellie Hazlett at ehaalezett@evanstonartcenter.org or 847-475-5300.
THEMATIC GUIDE FOR CAMPS

AGES 4-5 & 6-8

Each week campers will explore various art projects following new and exciting themes! Although the weekly themes are the same for both age groups, the projects will vary and adapt to each age level. For campers joining us for the full day, projects will be modified during the afternoon session so they can continue to learn, play, and experiment! Note: A 30-minute lunch break is included at no additional cost for full-day campers.

CAMP CURRICULUM AGES 4-5

Each camp fosters material exploration, visual literacy, as well as, behavioral and emotional development. Camps will emphasize skill-building through learning, identifying, and creating shapes while exploring colors, forms, lines, and texture. Through each themed camp, students will develop their visual literacy by experimenting with various art forms including drawing, painting, collage/mixed media, sculpture, and printmaking.

CAMP CURRICULUM AGES 6-8

Through various projects, these camps emphasize skill-building through arts and visual literacy, text and writing, as well as, behavioral and emotional development. Following the thematic guide for each week, projects will include a wide variety of mediums and will experiment with various subject matters, such as landscapes, portraits or figures, observational artwork, printmaking, color mixing, and more!

Sculpture & 3D Construction

Week 1: June 12 – 16
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
S4911A Ages 4-5
S4931A Ages 6-8
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
S4911B Ages 6-8

Space Odyssey

Week 2: June 19 – 23
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
S4912A Ages 4-5
S4932A Ages 6-8
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
S4932B Ages 6-8

All Things Magic

Week 3: June 26 – 30
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
S4913A Ages 4-5
S4933A Ages 6-8
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
S4933B Ages 6-8

Build it, mold it, shape it, create it! This camp will focus on 3D forms and sculptures. Campers will explore assemblage, ceramics, kinetic sculpture, and more. They will learn how to look at 3D forms from all angles by exploring a variety of materials like recycled goods, clay, paper, and more!

EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Boldly go where no camp has gone before! This week will focus on space exploration! Create vibrant nebulae, explore stars, planets, and galaxies on an art rocketship to the final frontier. Projects will use a variety of mixed media materials and focus on experimentation to infinity and beyond!

EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Welcome to the wizarding world of the Evanston Art Center! Campers will summon their inner witch or wizard to create magical worlds and works of art. Through experimentation of materials, they will cast their creative spells over paintings and sculptures! Materials will include acrylic paints, pastels, sequins, clay, and much more!

EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
A Bug’s Life  
**Week 4: July 5 – July 7 (3 Days)**  
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM  
S4914A Ages 4-5  
S4934A Ages 6-8  
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM  
S4934B Ages 6-8

**Adventure Land**  
**Week 5: July 10 – July 14**  
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM  
S4915A Ages 4-5  
S4935A Ages 6-8  
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM  
S4935B Ages 6-8

**Let It Grow!**  
**Week 6: July 17 – 21**  
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM  
S4916A Ages 4-5  
S4936A Ages 6-8  
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM  
S4936B Ages 6-8

**Paws, Scales, and Tails**  
**Week 7: July 24 – 28**  
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM  
S4917A Ages 4-5  
S4937A Ages 6-8  
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM  
S4937B Ages 6-8

**Painting Explorations**  
**Week 8: July 31 – August 4**  
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM  
S4918A Ages 4-5  
S4938A Ages 6-8  
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM  
S4938B Ages 6-8

**Mixed Media Mythical Creatures**  
**Week 9: August 7 – 11**  
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM  
S4919A Ages 4-5  
S4939A Ages 6-8  
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM  
S4919B Ages 4-5  
S4939B Ages 6-8

**Tropical Explorations**  
**Week 10: August 14 – 18**  
Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM  
S4920A Ages 4-5  
S4940A Ages 6-8  
Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM  
S4920B Ages 4-5  
S4940B Ages 6-8

The EAC will be a buzz with artistic entomologists! Through art, campers will explore and create projects inspired by different insects. They will look at different types of bugs, their habitats, and their jobs within the environment to create works of art. Projects will experiment with a variety of materials for 2D and 3D art while simultaneously building new artistic skills. No real bugs will be used in this camp!  
**EAC Member $205/Non-member $235**

Discover castles in the skies, butterfly boats, and time traveling animals! Kids are the grand inventors in Adventure Land! Students will use their imaginations to create unique worlds through painting, drawing, and 3D forms. This camp will use surrealistic paintings and children’s book illustrations as inspiration to spark their next big adventure!  
**EAC Member $340/Non-member $370**

From little seeds to full grown trees! This camp will focus on gardens, plants, and nature. Campers will experiment with natural materials, nature prints, landscape paintings, and more. They will explore and create as they become master gardeners! Note: Weather permitting, some classes may be outside.  
**EAC Member $340/Non-member $370**

Lions and tigers and bears, oh my! Campers will learn about animals around the world. They will create works of art featuring their scaley, feathery, and fluffy friends! By using materials such as air dry clay, watercolors, acrylic paint, pastels, felt, and feathers, campers will learn about and explore textures while they study their favorite animals!  
**EAC Member $340/Non-member $370**

Attention: Looking for the next Frida Kahlo or Picasso! Take a deep dive into the world of paint! Campers will focus on acrylic and watercolor techniques. Drawing inspiration from their imagination, real life, and art historical references, campers will learn to build their painting skills! We may see one of these masterpieces up for auction one day!  
**EAC Member $340/Non-member $370**

Imaginations will run wild! Campers will create their own fantasy realm featuring their own imaginary creatures. Using watercolors, acrylic paints, recycled materials, and ceramics, campers will make their creatures come to life. Unicorns, mermaids, and dragons will rule the EAC this week!  
**EAC Member $340/Non-member $370**

From the tree canopy to the forest floor, campers will explore the wonders of the tropical biome through art! With thousands of plant and animal species as inspiration, projects will build on foundational art skills through an exploration of materials and color. In this mixed media camp, campers will create brightly colored paintings and 3D forms from this tropical exploration!  
**EAC Member $340/Non-member $370**

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AGES 9-11  STUDIO ART CAMP

CAMP CURRICULUM
Visual arts camps focus on exploration and skill-building. Techniques including proportion, composition, elements of art (line, form, shape, value), principles of design (pattern, contrast, balance), and color theory will be taught through a variety of projects. Students are encouraged to think critically, experiment, and problem-solve through various mediums and art projects.

WEEK 1
Beginning Acrylic Painting Ages 9-11
Week 1: June 12 – 16
S4951A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
This camp will focus on the fundamentals of acrylic painting! Students will explore different representational art such as landscapes and still-lives while building their painting skills. Although concentrating on observational rendering skills, students will also have opportunities to create imaginative and exploratory works as well.

WEEK 2
Cartooning Ages 9-11
Week 2: June 19 – 23
S4952A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Learn to express ideas through cartooning! Through drawing techniques, expressions, composition, and storylines students will create their own cartoon worlds. In this camp, students will develop their own characters and depict them in original narratives. They are encouraged to experiment with different cartooning styles and mediums!

WEEK 3
Filmmaker’s Camp Ages 9-11
Week 1: June 12 – 16
S4951B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Lights, camera, ACTION! Together, students will create a short film. Learn how to develop a plot, write script and create props to set the scene. Students will be introduced to a variety of filming techniques. Join us on the last day of camp for the World Premier of this week’s films. Students will use video cameras and MacBooks in this class provided by the EAC.

Beginning Sewing Ages 9-11
Week 2: June 13 – 17
S4952B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Students will learn the basics of handsewing and how to use a sewing machine! Through basic skill building, handstitching, and imagination students will explore the endless possibilities of sewing. Project will range from a simple tote bag to their own stuffed animal creation!

Stop Motion Animation Ages 9-11
Week 3: June 26 – 30
S4953A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Learn how to make a stop-motion film! Students will develop a basic understanding of photography and how to use it for stop-motion animation techniques to create their own animation. This camp will explore how to create a storyboard, develop characters, and devise a plot. Young filmmakers will set the scene with multiple artistic mediums such as clay, cardboard, pipe cleaners, and more. Films will be premiered to friends and family on the last day of camp.

Experimenting in Mixed Media
Ages 9-11
Week 3: June 26 – 30
S4953B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Experiment with 2D and 3D media, such as bookbinding, painting, assemblage, weaving, sculpture, and more! Ideal for students who like to try new things and to express themselves creatively by surveying different mediums.
WEEK 4
Innovative Drawing Ages 9–11
Week 4: July 5 – 7 (3 DAYS)
S4954A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $205/Non-member $235
Students of all skill levels will explore traditional and non-traditional drawing techniques and materials. This week-long camp celebrates the experience of discovery and creation of art, not the outcome. Take inspiration from nature, books, famous artists, and each camper’s imagination.

Creative Handbuilding Ceramics
Ages 9–11
Week 4: July 5 – 7 (3 DAYS)
S4954B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $205/Non-member $235
Explore the possibilities of working in clay! Students will use different hand-building techniques, such as pinch, slab, and coil. They will design a pinch pot for succulents, design and build a box that tells a story, or create some gifts for friends and family. The possibilities are endless! Ceramics projects will be ready for pick up approximately 2 weeks after camp. Caregivers will be contacted via email when projects are ready.

WEEK 6
Architecture + Minecraft Ages 9–11
Week 6: July 17 – 21
S4956A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
What if Minecraft builds came to life? In this camp, students will learn about architecture through Minecraft and then build their creations. Students will learn basic architecture principles in order to make beginner-leveled Minecraft-inspired projects. The possibilities are endless!

Abstract Studio Ages 9–11
Week 6: July 17 – 21
S4956B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
This camp will explore the transformation from representation to abstract art. By looking at various abstract artists like Kandinsky and Hilma af Klint, campers will learn and discover a multitude of styles and forms of artistic expression. Students will experiment with abstract painting techniques and a variety of painting mediums. Come with open minds and a desire to explore abstraction!

Get inspired!
Read more about our camps by scanning the QR code on the front page!

WEEK 5
Fiber Arts Studio Ages 9–11
Week 5: July 10 – 14
S4955A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Expand artistic practices with fiber arts! This camp will look at contemporary artists who are incorporating fiber arts into their practice—often in combination with other media like painting and drawing. Students will be introduced to a number of fiber art techniques, such as embroidery, fabric piecing, rope twisting. Create dynamic mixed media artwork and open up new directions and ideas. No experience necessary!

Exploring Colored Pencils & Pastels Ages 9–11
Week 5: July 10 – 14
S4955B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Break out of boring! Add a pop of color to drawings by using colored pencils and pastels. This camp will focus on building observational skills and experiment with drawing mediums. Students will draw from life and reference images. Weather permitting, some classes may be outside.

WEEK 7
Beginning Acrylic Painting Ages 9–11
Week 7: July 24 – 28
S4957A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
This camp will focus on the fundamentals of acrylic painting! Students will explore different representational art such as landscapes and still-lives while building their painting skills. Although concentrating on observational rendering skills, students will also have opportunities to create imaginative and exploratory works as well.

Intro to Printmaking Ages 9–11
Week 7: July 24 – 28
S4957B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Students will be introduced to the fun and creative art form of printmaking! Traditional and contemporary printmaking techniques like relief printmaking, monotypes, and gelli prints will be explored. Students will experiment with various tools and equipment and dabble with collage.
WEEK 8
Watercolor Animals Ages 9–11
Week 8: July 31 – August 4
S4958A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Learn how to draw and paint animals in a variety of styles. This camp will explore different watercolor techniques and experiment with various materials that combine with watercolor, like markers and colored pencils. Students can make their creatures cute, creepy, or realistic. It’s all up to their own interpretation!

Papermaking & Bookmaking
Ages 9–11
Week 8: July 31 – August 4
S4958B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Save that wrapping paper and don’t throw out that junk mail! This camp will use “waste paper” to recycle into beautiful handmade papers. Students will also explore the art of bookmaking. They will experiment with different bookmaking techniques to create their own books. Students should prepare for fun and a little mess!

WEEK 9
Beginning Drawing Studio Ages 9–11
Week 9: August 7 – 11
S4959A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Campers will begin to learn drawing fundamentals such as line, perspective, proportion, and composition. They explore different materials and techniques as they draw from observation and imagination. This camp is great for beginners or campers looking to develop their technique!

Multimedia Exploration Ages 9–11
Week 9: August 7 – 11
S4959B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
This camp explores and experiments with different tactile materials! Explore a variety of contemporary abstract and textile artists, while working with materials such as paint, yarn, and clay. Students will be able to create their own abstract and textile pieces through guidance but should be comfortable working intuitively.

WEEK 10
Storybook Illustration Ages 9–11
Week 10: August 14 – 18
S4960A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Bring stories to life! Students will explore a various illustration styles and techniques. They will develop a story concept and create hand-draw unique original characters, landscapes, and bookcovers by exploring the world of contemporary illustration. Students will experiment with materials such as watercolor, ink, colored pencils, and more!

Collage & Assemblage Discovery
Ages 9–11
Week 10: August 14 – 18
S4960B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Tear, cut and paste! Inspired by modern artists Joseph Cornell and Louise Nevelson students create mixed-media collage and assembled projects with traditional and non–traditional materials such as found objects, wood scraps, wire, cardboard, glued material, construction paper, magazines, and paints. Techniques and practices will include photomontage, assemblage, text collage, and mixed-media painting. Students are encouraged to experiment with multiple materials and media.
AGES 12–14  STUDIO ART CAMP

CAMP CURRICULUM
Visual arts camps focus on exploration and skill-building. Techniques including proportion, composition, elements of art (line, form, shape, value), principles of design (pattern, contrast, balance), and color theory will be taught through a variety of projects. Students are encouraged to think critically, experiment, and problem-solve through various mediums and art projects.

WEEK 1

Filmmaker’s Camp Ages 12–14
Week 1: June 12 – 16
S4971A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Lights, camera, ACTION! Together, students will create a short film. Learn how to develop a plot, write script and create props to set the scene. Students will be introduced to a variety of filming techniques. Join us on the last day of camp for the World Premiere of this week’s films. Students will use video cameras and MacBooks in this class provided by the EAC.

Fashion Illustration Ages 12–14
Week 1: June 12 – 16
S4971B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Calling all designers! In this camp young fashion designers learn how to draw fashion figures and illustrate their own fashion designs. Using markers, colored pencils, and watercolors, students will design and illustrate a clothing collection. Aspiring fashion designers will learn about selecting a design theme, colors and fabrics. The final project will be a lookbook of finished designs.

WEEK 2

Week 2: June 19 – 23

Fashion Design & Construction
Ages 12–14
S4972A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Young designers will explore basic sewing skills and fun skill variations. They will design and produce one garment of their choice using these skills. Design, patternmaking, garment construction, and sewing skills will be introduced during this course. Students will learn hand sewing and sewing machine basics.

Papermaking & Printmaking Ages 12–14
Week 2: June 19 – 23
S4972B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Save that wrapping paper and don’t throw out that junk mail! This camp will use “waste paper” to recycle into beautiful handmade papers. As their handmade paper dries, students will also discover a variety of contemporary printmaking techniques like relief printmaking and monotypes. Students should prepare for fun and a little mess!

WEEK 3

Bookbinding & Art Journaling
Ages 12–14
Week 3: June 26 – 30
S4973A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
This hands-on camp introduces the basic skills and tools to create hand-crafted books. Students will learn about folding, sewing and gluing. Explore different types of stitches and structures to create sample books and learn how to adapt them for artists’ books with their own drawings and prints or to create sketchbooks.

Ceramics Handbuilding Ages 12–14
Week 3: June 26 – 30
S4973B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370
Explore the possibilities of working in clay! Students will use different hand-building techniques, such as pinch, slab, and coil. Students will work on various projects throughout the week. The possibilities are endless once you learn the basics! Ceramics projects will be ready for pick up approximately 2 weeks after camp. Caregivers will be contacted via email when projects are ready.
WEEK 4
Story & Comic Illustrations Ages 12-14
Week 4: July 5 – 7 (3 DAYS)
S4974A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $205/Non-member $235

Jump into the wonderful and dynamic world of illustration and comic books! Learn all the techniques professional illustrators and cartoonists use to create the graphic novels. Explore inking, character design, panel layout, and cover design.

Stop Motion Animation Ages 12-14
Week 4: July 5 – 7 (3 DAYS)
S4974B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $205/Non-member $235

Learn how to make a stop-motion film! Students will develop a basic understanding of photography and how to use it for stop-motion animation techniques to create their own animation. This camp will explore how to create a storyboard, develop characters, and devise a plot. Young filmmakers will set the scene with multiple artistic mediums such as clay, cardboard, pipe cleaners, and more. Films will be premiered to friends and family on the last day of camp.

WEEK 5
Multimedia Sculpture Ages 12-14
Week 5: July 10 – 14
S4975A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

While working with materials such as wood, wire, paint, cardboard, or clay, campers will be able to create their own abstract or structural pieces! Students will be given guidance but should be comfortable working intuitively. All levels welcome!

Animal Illustrations Ages 12-14
Week 5: July 10 – 14
S4975B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Learn fundamental drawing techniques and skills, with a special focus on animals! This camp will discuss and study different illustrative styles using materials like watercolors, markers, colored pencils, and more! Students will learn about form, value, color, and texture while creating realistic animal drawings.

WEEK 6
Beginning/Intermediate Painting Ages 12-14
Week 6: July 17 – 21
S4976A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

This camp will focus on skill building of painting techniques! Students will explore different mediums and styles of painting while building their painting skills. Although concentrating on observational rendering skills, students will also have opportunities to create imaginative and exploratory works as well. Perfect for all skill levels.

Fiber Arts Studio Ages 12-14
Week 6: July 17 – 21
S4976B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Expand artistic practices with fiber arts! This camp will look at contemporary artists who are incorporating fiber arts—often in combination with other media like painting and drawing. Students will be introduced to a number of fiber art techniques, such as embroidery, fabric piecing, felting, and more, in order to create dynamic mixed media artwork and open up new directions and ideas. No experience necessary!

WEEK 7
Bookbinding & Art Journaling Ages 12-14
Week 7: July 24 – 28
S4977A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

This hands-on camp introduces the basic skills and tools to create hand-crafted books. Students will learn about folding, sewing and gluing. Explore different types of stitches and structures to create sample books and learn how to adapt them for artists’ books with their own drawings and prints or to create sketchbooks.

Intro to Digital Photography Ages 12-14
Week 7: July 24 – 28
S4977B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Learn to the basics of a DSLR camera! Students will experiment with automatic and manual settings. They will understand how to properly adjust the camera’s exposure, shutter speed, and aperture to achieve different results and become a more confident photographer! Students will also learn basic photo editing using Adobe Photoshop. At the end of camp student’s will print their favorite images. Note: The EAC will provide cameras for use during camp but students are welcome to bring their own DSLR camera. Students should bring their own flashdrives.

ASK ABOUT FINANCIAL AID!

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WEEK 8
Figure & Portrait Drawing Ages 12–14
Week 8: July 31 – August 4
S4978A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $355/Non-member $385

This camp is for students who want to improve their figure drawing and portraiture skills. Through guided instructions, students will focus on proportions and simplifying shapes to create realistic renderings. This camp will delve into gesture drawing, line quality, and shading. All levels welcome! Note: A live clothed model will be used for some sessions.

Filmaker’s Camp Ages 12–14
Week 8: July 31 – August 4
S4978B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Lights, camera, ACTION! Together, students will create a short film. Learn how to develop a plot, write script and create props to set the scene. Students will be introduced to a variety of filming techniques. Join us on the last day of camp for the World Premier of this week’s films. Students will use video cameras and MacBooks in this class provided by the EAC.

WEEK 9
Experimentation with Collage Ages 12–14
Week 9: August 7 – 11
S4979A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Tear, cut and paste! Explore the expressive medium of collage. This camp will focus on different types and approaches to collage. Techniques and practices covered include photomontage, text collage, mixed-media painting, and more! Students are encouraged to experiment with multiple materials and media.

Illustration Studio Ages 12–14
Week 9: August 7 – 11
S4979B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Bring your illustrations to life! Create and hand-draw unique original characters, fantasy monsters, and sci-fi landscapes by exploring the world of contemporary illustration. Students will experiment with materials such as watercolor, ink, colored pencils, and more!

WEEK 10
Drawing from Life Ages 12–14
Week 10: August 14 – 18
S4980A Morning Session: 9 AM – 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Intro to Digital Photography
Ages 12–14
Week 10: August 14 – 18
S4980B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Students will practice hand eye coordination while mastering still life, natural landscapes, and portraiture! All skill levels are welcome as campers develop fundamental drawing skills. This camp will work with charcoal, pencils, pen and ink, and oil pastel. Note: Students will work outside at least one day weather permitting.

Learn the basics of a DSLR camera! Students will experiment with automatic and manual settings. They will understand how to properly adjust the camera’s exposure, shutter speed, and aperture to achieve different results and become a more confident photographer! Students will also learn basic photo editing using Adobe Photoshop. At the end of camp student’s will print their favorite images. Note: The EAC will provide cameras for use during camp but students are welcome to bring their own DSLR camera. Students should bring their own flashdrives.
High School: Painting & Drawing
Plein Air Intensive
Week 2: June 19 – 23
$4982A  Full Day: 9 AM – 3 PM
EAC Member $625/Non-member $655

During this 1-week intensive, students will have the opportunity to visit a variety of locations where they will spend the day making art en plein air. Each day students will meet at different sites around Evanston or the Northshore. Monday, students will study landscapes and “seascapes” at Lighthouse Beach. On Tuesday, students will meet at Northwestern University to discuss and draw architecture. The class will meet at the Bahai Temple, on Wednesday. Thursday, students will meet at the Arrington Lagoon and the Evanston Historical Society. The camp will culminate on Friday at the Chicago Botanic Gardens to create nature and botanical watercolors. Students will use materials such as scratchboard, pastel pencils, pen & ink, as well as watercolors. Note: Students should bring a lunch and water bottle for each day.

High School: Comic and Graphic Novel Illustrations
Week 2: June 19 – 23
$4982B  Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Jump into the wonderful and dynamic world of comic books, graphic novels, manga, and zines! Students will learn and explore how to create their own comic book from start to finish through storytelling, character design, speech bubbles, cover design, and more! This class will explore a variety of different comic styles, genres, and materials.

High School: Intro to Digital Photography
Week 3: June 20 – 24
$4983B  Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Learn to the basics of digital photography! Students will experiment with automatic and manual settings on a DSLR camera. They will understand how to properly adjust the camera’s exposure, shutter speed, and aperture to achieve different results and become a more confident photographer! Students will also learn basic photo editing using Adobe Photoshop. At the end of camp student’s will print their favorite images. Note: The EAC will provide cameras for use during camp but students are welcome to bring their own DSLR camera. Students should bring their own flashdrives.

High School: Figure Drawing
Week 4: July 5 – 7 (3 DAYS)
$4984B  Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
EAC Member $205/Non-member $235

This class aims to teach the fundamentals of figure drawing! Through teaching the importance of sketching, students will learn the basic techniques and proportions to draw the human figure. Students will explore drawing with pencil, charcoal, and other mediums.

High School: Painting & Drawing
Plein Air Intensive
Week 5: July 10 – 14
$4985AB  Full Day: 9 AM – 3 PM
EAC Member $625/Non-member $655

During this 1-week intensive, students will have the opportunity to visit a variety of locations where they will spend the day making art en plein air. Each day students will meet at different sites around Evanston or the Northshore. Monday, students will study landscapes and “seascapes” at Lighthouse Beach. On Tuesday, students will meet at Northwestern University to discuss and draw architecture. The class will meet at the Bahai Temple, on Wednesday. Thursday, students will meet at the Arrington Lagoon and the Evanston Historical Society. The camp will culminate on Friday at the Chicago Botanic Gardens to create nature and botanical watercolors. Students will use materials such as scratchboard, pastel pencils, pen & ink, as well as watercolors. Note: Students should bring a lunch and water bottle for each day.
HIGH SCHOOL CAMPS CONTINUED...

High School: 3D Printing
Week 5: July 10 – 14
$4985B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

This class will dive into the basics of 3D printing! Students will learn the basics of 3D modeling in the software TinkerCAD, a free access software. This class will explore the design methodology and the potential of the technique itself. Experiment on different materials and use the 3D printer to turn the ideas into reality.

High School: Drawing Intensive
Week 6: July 17 – 21
$4986A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Perfect for high school students looking to strengthen their drawing skills. This class is for advanced students looking to improve their drawing skills through still-life and observational drawing. Students will enhance their ability and confidence through experimentation with a wide variety of techniques and various drawing tools, such as charcoal, pastels and pencils. All materials are included, students may bring their preferred materials if they choose.

High School: Painting Intensive
Week 6: July 17 – 21
$4986B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

This class is great of students interested in furthering their artistic abilities in painting, especially advanced students serious about pursuing art in college and need to build a portfolio. Designed to enhance their ability and confidence using wet media like watercolor, ink, and acrylic students will create a variety of work. Students will paint from still-life and observation but experimentation is encouraged! All materials are included, students may bring their preferred materials if they choose.

High School: Ceramic Handbuilding
Week 7: July 24 – 28
$4987B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Clay is an exciting and flexible medium! This class will focus on ceramic handbuilding skills. Pinching, coils and slabs will be the techniques demonstrated to experiment with and to build objects. Students will work on various projects throughout the week. Ceramics projects will be ready for pick up approximately 2 weeks after camp. Caregivers will be contacted via email when projects are ready.

High School: Intro to Darkroom Photography
Week 8: July 31 – August 4
$4988A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

This class will teach the basics of darkroom photography! Students will experiment with a variety of photographic processes, learn how to manually shoot with a 35mm film camera, process film, make black and white prints. They will explore basic camera techniques and editing skills. Note: Cameras are provided for camper use. Students may also bring their own.

High School: College Portfolio
Week 8: July 31 – August 4
$4988B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
EAC Member $340/Non-member $370

Perfect for advanced students who need to build a portfolio for college or are considering pursuing art after high school. Designed to enhance their ability and confidence to render objects and the figure through dry and wet media. Learn how to build concepts to create a cohesive body of work and understand more about how to think like an artist.

High School: Filmmaking Intensive
Week 9: August 7 – 11
$4989AB Full Day: 9 AM – 3 PM
EAC Member $625/Non-member $655

Learn the basics to the art of filmmaking! Students will work together to create their own short film. In this class students will discuss writing, cinematography, editing, and special effects! Students will collaborate to create a final short project from start to finish. Films will be premiered on the last day of class at the EAC for friends and families.
REGISTRATION INFORMATION AND POLICIES

REGISTER TODAY!
Registration is now open for summer camp! We offer three options to register your child:

• **Online** – www.evanstonartcenter.org. Search for the course number.

• **In-person** – visit us at EAC, and register at our front desk: The Evanston Art Center accepts registration during its regular business hours:
  - Monday – Thursday: 9 am – 10 pm
  - Friday: 9 am – 5 pm
  - Saturday & Sunday: 9 am – 4 pm

• **Over the phone** – call 847-475-5300.

PERMISSION TO PHOTOGRAPH
The Evanston Art Center retains the right to photograph any class, work, student or event and reproduce the images at its discretion without incurring obligations. To opt-out please contact Director of Education in advance of the first day of camp.

REFUND & CANCELLATION POLICY
EAC staff must be notified when dropping a class. Note that not attending does not constitute an official withdrawal. The refund policy is as follows:

- **Tuition refunded minus $50 processing fee**: if you drop a class costing $100 or more and notify EAC registrar at least one week prior to the scheduled class start date.
- **Tuition refunded minus $25 processing fee**: if you drop a class costing under $100 and notify EAC registrar at least one week prior to the scheduled class start date.
- **Tuition refunded minus processing fee equal to 50% of class fee if notified EAC registrar less than one week prior to the scheduled class start date and up to the next working day after the first class has met**.
- **No refunds are given for classes dropped beyond the next business day after the first class has met.**
- **Classes without minimum enrollment will be cancelled 3 days before the first class and you will be notified. Full tuition will be refunded within three weeks.**
- **EAC does not offer prorated camps.**

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OBSERVED HOLIDAYS
Classes will not be held on major holidays or during extreme weather events. Classes falling on these days will be made up at the end of the term and will be coordinated between faculty members and each class. Only the administration may cancel classes in the case of inclement weather. **There will be no camp Monday, July 3 and Tuesday, July 4, 2023.** Tuition prices are adjusted accordingly.

LIABILITY WAIVER
By registering for a camp, you agree to the following: I understand and accept the registration and refund policy of the Evanston Art Center and know that EAC membership fees are non-refundable and there are no exceptions to EAC policies. I recognize EAC’s right to refuse to retain any student in any class at any time without incurring obligations. I hereby accept and assume all risk for any harm, injury or damages that may befall me, foreseen or unforeseen, as a result of my participation in workshops and classes at EAC. I authorize EAC to seek medical assistance on my or my child’s behalf if necessary.

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*The first session is defined as the first day of class or workshop meets (not the first class or workshop attended).

**To avoid paying the processing fee, students may elect to receive a full tuition credit for classes or workshops dropped seven days or more before the first session. Tuition credit will expire one year from the date the class or workshop is dropped and must be used in full for EAC class and/or workshop tuition. After the credit is redeemed, no further refund options will be available. Tuition credits are not redeemable for cash under any circumstances. Credits may be transferred to another individual only with written notice.*
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