Fall 2025 Classes Through December



Fall is the time to get creative and express yourself in a CMA School of Art Class or Workshop. We have something available for all ages and all levels of expertise, from beginner to advanced, across more than 35 NEW classes and workshops through December.

From exploring Impressionism with Oil Painting, capturing light with Stained Glass ... relaxing with Yoga in the galleries, Digital Photography, Ceramics & more — classes are scheduled days and evenings, weekdays and weekends. There's a class to fit every schedule, budget, and interest! .

MEMBERS SAVE 20% on all classes ... Join CMA, then book your class! Visit CantonArt.org/membership



SCHOOL OF ART



CERAMICS

EXPERIMENTAL CLAY TEXTURES | 11AM-1 PM 6-CLASS SERIES: SATURDAYS, SEPTEMBER 6. 13, 20, 27 AND OCTOBER 4 & 11

Learn how to create texture in this beginner-friendly clay workshop. All materials provided, all skill levels are welcome.

Instructor: Toni Billick, Ages 16+, 6 seats available Member \$125 | \$150

LIMITED SPACE!

CLAY FUNDAMENTALS | 1:30 AM-3:30 PM 10 WEDNESDAYS SEPTEMBER 10 - NOVEMBER 12

Learn the fundamentals of working with clay from start to finish through instructor-led demonstrations and basic glazing techniques.

Instructor: Susan Mentrak Ages 16+, 8 seats available Member \$218 | \$262

LIMITED SPACE!

ADVANCED RAKU PART I | 10:30 AM-1:30 PM **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4**

ADVANCED RAKU PART II | 10 AM-4:30 PM SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Designed for advanced students to expand their knowledge and skills in raku firing, this is an intensive, two-day experience focused on advanced glazing and firing techniques.

Instructor: Sarah DeBaun Ages 21+, 8 seats available Member \$187 | \$234

EMOTIONAL SUPPORT ANIMAL CERAMIC WORKSHOP SERIES | 1:30-4:30P | 5 SUNDAYS: OCTOBER 12, 19, 26 AND NOVEMBER 2 & 9

In this hands-on ceramic workshop, students will design and sculpt their comfort creature. Once fired, it can go home with you! All skill levels are welcome, all materials provided.

Instructor: Toni Billick Ages 13+, 10 seats available Member \$108 | \$130

NOTE: CMA offers the largest selection of ceramics classes in the area for all levels of expertise. Our 10-week classes fill quickly, and these classes are eblasted FIRST for registration. For class details and availability, contact Education Director Amanda Crowe - amanda @cantonart.org

PAINTING & DRAWING

CLASSICAL OIL PAINTING: IMPRESSIONIST REALISM LANDSCAPES | 12:30 - 2:30 PM 6 THURSDAYS SEPTEMBER 4 - OCTOBER 9

Learn the Impressionist Realism painting style and create your own composition. All painting tools and mediums provided. This class is designed for the Intermediate student.

Instructor: Lin Luciano Fiore Ages 18+, 10 seats available Member \$175 | \$210

DRAWING ESSENTIALS | 11 AM - 1 PM 6 FRIDAYS SEPTEMBER 12 - OCTOBER 17

This class provides a foundational approach to art, utilizing still life drawing to hone your observational skills and expressive linework.

Instructor: Catherine Taylor Ages 16+, 6 seats available Member \$75 | \$90



WATERCOLOR INSPIRATION | 2 - 4 PM 6 SUNDAYS SEPTEMBER 14 - OCTOBER 19

Paint from light to dark, create representational shapes, play with edges and wet on wet techniques. All materials provided, all skill levels are welcome.

Instructor: Faith Emerson Ages 16+, 10 seats available Member \$80 | \$96

MAGICAL MINI EXPLORATION PAINTINGS 12 - 2:30P | WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 22

Express your inner child! Explore the versatile medium of "Unicorn Spit," a non-toxic, water-based paint stain. Take home 3 mini paintings with easels. Fun for all ages and stages!

Instructor: Angeletta Stroup Ages 16+, 10 seats available

Member \$49 | \$59

PHOTOGRAPHY

DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY | 6-8 PM 6 THURSDAYS SEPT 11 - OCTOBER 16

Join local professional photographer Mal McCrea for a course designed to help you move beyond automatic settings and capture images that reflect your personal vision. Bring a digital camera with a manual mode and a card reader. All experience levels welcome.

Instructor: Mal McCrea, CMA Library Ages 16+, 10 seats available Member \$118 | \$142

MIXED MEDIA WORKSHOPS

SPIRIT ANIMAL MIXED MEDIA WORKSHOP 2-4:30 PM | SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 6

Join us to create a unique artwork inspired by your spirit animal. This class teaches collage techniques and basic drawing. Materials provided, all skill levels welcome.

Instructor: Toni Billick Ages 13+, 10 seats available Member \$40 | \$48

INTUITIVE HEART COLLAGE | 12-2:30PM WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 10

Tap into your creativity through intuition. Using cut imagery and scrap materials, create a layered collage as a visual self discovery. All materials provided, all skill levels welcome.

Instructor: Angeletta Stroup Ages 16+. 10 seats available. Member \$19 | \$23

RECLAIMED NATURE MOBILE | 5:30 PM-7 PM THURSDAY OCTOBER 9

Explore reclaimed natural materials as you transform found objects into a kinetic mobile designed to create soothing sounds. All skill levels welcome, all materials provided.

Instructor: Catherine Taylor Ages 15+, 6 seats available Member \$23 | \$28



FIBER ART CLASSES

NEEDLE AND THREAD BASICS | 1-2:30 PM 4 FRIDAYS SEPTEMBER 12 - OCTOBER 3

Find inner-peace in hand-sewn embroidery and crossstitch. With just a needle, thread, and canvas, bring your beautiful designs to life. All materials provided, all skill levels are welcome.

Instructor: Pat Waltz
Ages 13+, 6 seats available
Member \$50 | \$60

NO-SEW QUILT HANGING SCULPTURE 5:30 PM-7 PM | THURSDAY DECEMBER 4

Discover the art of crafting a vibrant, no-sew textile wall hanging using foam board and quilt fabric scraps. Perfect for artists of all levels, All skill levels welcome, all materials provided.

Instructor: Catherine Taylor Ages 15+, 6 seats available Member \$23 | \$28

JEWELRY CLASSES

SHADOW BOX PENDANT | 6-8 PM 6 WEDNESDAYS SEPTEMBER 17 - OCTOBER 22

Create a layered shadow box pendant using sterling silver and a wide variety of metalsmithing techniques. All materials provided, all skill levels are welcome.

Instructor: Alexander Draven Ages 18+, 12 seats available Member \$135 | \$162

KILN FIRED GLASS JEWELRY PENDANT 5 PM-7:30 PM | TUESDAY NOVEMBER 4

Learn the fundamentals of glass fusing and various forming techniques to create a unique

glass pendant. You will create one large pendant or two medium size pieces. Work will be fired and ready to pick up in 1-2 weeks. All skill levels welcome, all materials provided.

Instructor: Amy Pepperney Ages 15+, 12 seats available Member \$29 | \$35

NOTE: Class costs include all supplies unless otherwise noted.

Classes Fill Up Fast!
Explore All Classes & Register at CantonArt.org/learn



GLASS CLASSES *

CLASSIC GLASS FUSING | 6:00-8 PM 6 TUESDAYS SEPTEMBER 2 - OCTOBER 7

Learn the fundamentals of glass fusing. Cut, design and fuse glass in a kiln using an original design or ideas supplied by the instructor.

Instructor: Amy Pepperney Ages 15+, 12 seats available Member \$209 | \$251

STAINED GLASS SUNFLOWER | 1:30-4:30 PM SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7

Learn the basics of stained glass using copper foil, assembly, and soldering techniques to create a sunflower votive or windowsill setter.

Instructor: Laurie Turner Ages 16+, 8 seats available Member \$28 | \$34

STAINED GLASS AUTUMN SUNCATCHER 1:30-4:30 PM | SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 14

Learn the basics of stained glass using copper foil, assembly, and soldering techniques to create a suncatcher to reflect the colors of fall for an outdoor patio or kitchen window.

Instructor: Laurie Turner Ages 16+, 8 seats available Member \$31 | \$37

GLASS FUSED LANDSCAPE | 1:30-4:30 PM SUNDAY OCTOBER 26

Learn special techniques to create a landscape made of glass suitable to display on a shelf or hang in a window. Landscape sizes average 4 x 6". Work will be fired and ready to pick up in 1-2 weeks.

Instructor: Amy Pepperney Ages 15+, 12 seats available Member \$28 | \$34

STAINED GLASS WINTRY NIGHT LIGHTS 1:30-4:30 PM | SUNDAY NOVEMBER 9

Learn the basics of stained glass using copper foil, assembly, and soldering techniques to create a dreamy wintry night light in the shape of a snowman or angel.

Instructor: Laurie Turner Ages 16+, 8 seats available Member \$41 | \$49

GLASS FUSED HOLIDAY CANDLEHOLDER OR ORNAMENT | 5:30 PM-7:30 PM | TUESDAY DECEMBER 9

Create a sparkly holiday candleholder to light up your night OR make an ornament to decorate your tree. No glass cutting is required. Work will be fired and ready to pick up in 1-2 weeks.

Instructor: Amy Pepperney Ages 15+, 12 seats available Member \$28 | \$34

* All materials provided, all skill levels are welcome

CREATIVE RESILIENCE CLASSES

YOGA AT THE MUSEUM | 6-7 PM | TUESDAYS SEPTEMBER 16, OCTOBER 21, NOVEMBER 18, DECEMBER 16

Yoga in select Museum spaces is led by Michael Curtis, owner of The Yoga Place and Yoga Central Ohio. Instruction includes basic yoga poses that emphasize personal energy space and the space occupied by art and ideas. Participants provide their own yoga mats. All experience levels are welcome.

Instructor: Michael Curtis, E-RYT-500 Ages 16+, 15 seats available/class Member \$12 | \$14



WORDS IN THE OPEN AIR | CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP | 5:30-8 PM THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 25

Join local hometown poet, Diane Kendig, for a Creative Writing Workshop inspired by plein air painting. Writers and artists will transfor vivid imagery, sensory details, and emotion into personal narratives. For all levels. All materials provided. Space is limited.

Presenter: Diane Kendig
Ages 16+, 20 seats available

Member \$15 | \$18

TODDLERS, KIDS & MORE

BABY ART EXPLORERS | 10:30-11:30 AM WEDNESDAYS SEPTEMBER 17, 24; OCTOBER 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; NOVEMBER 5, 12, 19; **DECEMBER 3, 10, 17**

Join us for a gentle and engaging program designed for caregivers and their babies (ages 0-12 months). Each class encourages sensory development through playful interactions with color, texture, light and sound, socialization games for baby friends and caregivers. Strollers, carriers, and diaper bags are welcome. All materials provided.

Instructor: Amanda Crowe, ages birth-12 months with an adult caregiver, 8 seats available Member \$10 | \$12

TODDLER STUDIO | 11AM-12 PM | TUESDAYS SEPTEMBER 9, 16, 23, 30; OCTOBER 7, 14, 21, 28; NOVEMBER 4, 11, 18; DECEMBER 2, 9, 16

Early art-making experiences help develop selfexpression, problem-solving, and social skills. Multisensory play with colors and shapes, texture, balance, and scale is at the core of this child-directed exploration. Please dress for unexpected paint splatters. All materials provided.

Instructor: Haylee Wagner

Ages 2-4 with an adult caregiver, 10 seats available

Member \$16 | \$19

HOMESCHOOL ART | 1-2:30 PM | TUESDAYS SEPTEMBER 9, 16, 23, 30 AND OCTOBER 7 & 14

Each session enhances critical thinking, artistic engagement, and art comprehension through diverse topics.

Instructor: Haylee Wagner Ages 6+, 10 seats available Member \$60 | \$75

MY FIRST ART CLASS | 10:30-11:30 AM **6 SATURDAYS SEPTEMBER 13 - OCTOBER 18**

This parent-child art class fosters confidence and self-esteem through drawing, painting, and sculpture. All materials provided.

Instructor: Lindsev Wenck

Ages 4-6 with an adult caregiver, 10 seats

available

Member \$60 | \$72

2D STUDIO MEDIA * | 12-1 PM | 6 SATURDAYS **SEPTEMBER 13 - OCTOBER 18**

Paper, collage, paint, string, glue...this class helps students develop an appreciation for using materials that appear flat but can be transformed into 2D creations.

Instructor: Lindsey Wenck Ages 6-10, 10 seats available

Member \$60 | \$72

CREATIVE CLAY * | 1:30-3:30 PM 6 SUNDAYS SEPTEMBER 14 - OCTOBER 19

Working with clay allows young students to develop creativity and resilience, as they learn from mistakes and transform ideas into reality. Students will learn the basic foundation skills.

Instructor: Haylee Wagner Ages 6-10, 10 seats available

Member \$75 | \$90



3D STUDIO MEDIA * | 2-3:00 PM **6 SATURDAYS SEPTEMBER 13 - OCTOBER 18**

This class explores the exciting process of building sculptures from discarded or overlooked objects. Develop your creative problem-solving skills and breathe new life into forgotten objects.

Instructor: Lindsey Wenck Ages 6-10, 10 seats available Member \$60 | \$72

STORY INTO ART | 3:30-4:30 PM **6 SATURDAYS SEPTEMBER 13 - OCTOBER 18**

This series combines the best picture book artists, storytelling in the Museum's galleries, and artmaking in the studio into one, fun adventure. All materials provided.

Instructor: Lindsey Wenck Ages 3-5, 10 seats available Member \$16 | \$19

Member \$23 | \$28

GLASS FUSED MONSTERS * | 5:30-7 PM

Students will learn the fundamentals of glass fusing

while creating their silly, scary or friendly monster.

Students are provided with protective eyewear. No

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 8

glass cutting is required.

Instructor: Amy Pepperney

Ages 8+, 6 seats available

AFTER-SCHOOL ART: CREATIVE WOOD BURNING* 4:30-6 PM TUESDAY OCTOBER 21 Learn the art of pyrography! Beginner to intermediate students learn to use a heated tool to

burn designs onto a functional wooden work of art. Line weight, surface texture, various wood grains and finishes will be explored. Students are provided protective eyewear and heat-safe gloves.

Instructor: Haylee Wagner Ages 13+, 6 seats available

Member \$25 | \$30

* All skill levels are welcome, all materials provided.

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