SUMMER ART ACADEMY
AGES 7-14

4 DAILY CLASSES
8:30am–4:15pm
YAM Members: $300
Not-Yet-Members: $335
Sibling Price for YAM Members Only: $275
Opening day begins with orientation from 8:00 - 8:30 for children and families.
Summer Art Academy 2022 will follow CDC and Rocky Mountain College for COVID precautions. Students will be notified of guidelines prior to camp.

HOW TO REGISTER
Register Online at www.artmuseum.org/educate/childrens-camps/
or contact us for registration form
email education@artmuseum.org
or call (406) 256-6804 x238
Pay via credit card or check.

Summer Art Academy is in its 22nd season! At this camp, young artists study under professional artists in concentrated areas, which they choose. Class sizes are limited. Art supplies are included in the cost of tuition. Students bring their own snacks and lunches. Summer Art Academy is located on the campus of Rocky Mountain College.

Marilu Metherell, Camp Director

For more information
Contact: Carrie Goe Nettleton
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Ceramics: Galactic Glazing Randi O’Brien
Get galactic! Experiment and explore dynamic glazing combinations on a variety of bowl shape forms. The goal of this class is to “let it drip” and “wax resist.” Students will have access to over 100 glaze combinations to make dynamic glazed surfaces. Students will create functional bowl forms, that are dishwasher, microwave, oven, and food safe. Each day we will focus on skill building, curiosity, and the aesthetic development. Through demonstrations, discussions, and personalized attention, students will create well-crafted, thoughtful pottery, and galactic glazed surface.

Creative Painting Techniques Courtney Dickerson
This is a class designed to make a mess and explore different and unique ways of creating abstract paintings. Techniques include paint pouring, palette knife paintings, “rain painting”, squirt or balloon painting (weather permitting), and watercolor spray painting.

How to Make a Puppet, No Strings Attached! Jayme Green
We all know a puppet or two: Kermit, Lambchop, Pinocchio, Yoda… and now you have the chance to make one of your own! This class combines live instruction with opportunities to explore creation and imagination at-home as we dive into the basic methods of puppet creation. We will focus on construction, plus tips on how to make them work and creating a character.

Advanced Puppetry: Learn even more techniques for creating puppets and take your characters to the next level! We will dive into the world of sewing and foam construction and how those enhance the creation of our puppet friends. This class is for those who’ve taken the No Strings Attached puppetry class OR is an experienced student motivated to learn finer puppet making techniques.

Songwriting, Recording, and Releasing Music Shane de Leon
Do lyrics, melodies, or short sonic ideas roll through your brain and occupy your thoughts? Let’s discuss ways to expand those ideas and make them a song or piece of music. We’ll also look at options for releasing your creation into the world, and make an album cover, poster, and press for your songs.

Watercolor Painting Tori Wardrip
During Watercolor class, students will learn a variety of ways to work with watercolor using both experimental and traditional methods. Abstract technique paintings, landscapes, alcohol ink blends, and more will be created throughout the week. Come explore the beauty and magic of watercolor!

Yoga YungBen Yelvington
Build strength, flexibility and focus with yoga. This playful and artful class will help you get to know your body and mind in a new way. Create a space for inspiration for your art. You will get your own yoga mat to personalize and build your practice. YungBen will help you create a place to pause and examine your world and your mind when you have a challenge to overcome. YungBen is a skilled yoga instructor, aerialist, acrobat, martial artist, and barefoot runner.

Digital Photography Challenge Mara Pierce
Calling all shutterbugs! Do you love snapping pictures with your smart phone or digital camera, but wish you had more tools to bring your artistic vision to life? Join us and beef up your photography skills. Amaze your friends and family with vivid, colorful photos that you take and edit yourself. Tackle a new photographic challenge each day — working on your own, or teaming up with a buddy. Learn basic and extra-ordinary photo composition, selecting subjects, and playing with color and lighting. Plus, you will have even more fun changing and improving your pictures in our Digital Photo Editing Lab. Bring your own digital camera or smart phone, and don’t forget your artist’s eye!

Wearable Indigenous Art Lucy Real Bird
Come learn the different Indigenous approaches to creating wearable art! Each day we’ll build on a different skill or continue the skills we learned the day before. Different items that can be made are necklaces, chokers, and bracelets. Learn traditional to contemporary skills in creating wearable art.

Drum Making and Drumming Kendyl Robertson
Build and personalize your own drum, learn to read rhythmic notation and play basic beats, create your own rhythmic grooves, and expand your knowledge of music in this Drum Making and Drumming Class! Join an interactive drum circle that introduces rhythm as a powerful tool for self-expression.

Miniature Collage Renee Audette
Students will complete a series of small collages on canvas utilizing cut paper from magazines and books. Participants will also have the opportunity to incorporate painted imagery into their creations to make mixed media collage art. Using a button badge maker, students in the class will create 3 inch collage pieces that can be worn.

Animal Sculpture Renee Audette
Students will create small scale animal sculptures using air dry clay. The process will teach working with the solid form, building hollow forms and building on an armature. Students will also learn basic color blending techniques to finish their pieces using acrylic paint. Students encouraged to bring reference material (2-D and/ or 3-D examples) of what they would like to create.

Printmaking Megan Fetters
In this class, students will explore the creative realm of printmaking. They will explore many different techniques including woodcut, etching, monotype, digital print, and transfer. Students will manipulate different media to create their own prints while creating art based on emotion, color, pop art and the idea of making multiples.