

Introducing Creative Arts Camp for Kids:

A Neighborhood Summer Art Camp with Ms. Solms

Join Janney Teacher, Ms. Solms, for a week (or more) of artistic exploration and creativity. With four themed weeks to choose from, your budding artist will surely find a focus that will spark their interest.

Over the four weeks we will learn about the style and technique of various artists. Campers will practice with watercolor, acrylic, pencil sketching, oil pastels, collage, and other materials. Woven throughout our sessions will be threads of collaboration and an appreciation for imperfection and experimentation. Campers will learn how to embrace the creative process while building friendships based on a mutual love of making art.

Ages:

Camp is best suited to children ages 5-10. Instructor will consider exceptions to suggested ages.

Cost:

Camp runs from 9-3pm, Monday thru Friday. The cost for the week is \$500.

Location: Camp is located at Confetti in Tenleytown DC - 4545 42nd St NW #109 Washington DC 20016

A Typical Day:

9:00am-9:30am: Welcome and Introduction to the Day's Creative Goals

9:30am-11am: Morning Work Session

11am-12:00pm: Lunch & Outdoors

12:00pm-1:30pm: Afternoon Work Session

1:30pm-2:30pm: Creative Choice (Clay, Beads & More)

2:30pm-3:00pm: Clean-up, Closing & Dismissal

Weekly Focus Areas

July 10

Art Inspired by Artists!

This week is designed for children interested in exploring the works of professional artists and using them as inspiration for their own creations. Ms. Solms will guide campers through the process of studying and interpreting the works of various professional artists, such as O’Keeffe, Kusama, Van Gogh, Picasso, and Mondrian - learning how to use their techniques and styles in their own artwork. Campers will have the opportunity to work with a variety of mediums, such as paint, oil pastels, collage and colored pencils and will learn about the different techniques and styles used by the professional artists they are studying. Throughout the week, campers will work on several projects, such as recreating famous works and using the techniques and styles of professional artists to create their own original artwork. With a focus on art history, skill-building, and self-expression, this camp is the perfect way to inspire young artists and help them develop their talents.

July 17

All About Illustrations!

This camp is designed for children interested in creating their own stories and illustrations. Ms. Solms will guide campers through the process of creating their own illustrations to bring their stories to life.

Throughout the camp, campers will work on creating their own illustrated stories and co-authoring stories with a friend. Drawing inspiration from authors such as Eric Carle, Mo Willems and Faith Ringgold, students will write and illustrate their own books. They will also be encouraged to explore their own creativity and develop their own style.

With a focus on children’s literature, storytelling and self-expression, this camp is the perfect way to inspire young artists and writers. Students will finish the week with a portfolio showcasing their work. Note: Campers will be offered the opportunity to dictate stories rather than write. Writing is not a requirement for this camp.

July 24: Paints Galore!

This week is designed for children who are passionate about painting and want to improve their skills. Ms. Solms will guide campers through the fundamentals of painting, including color theory, composition, and brushwork. Campers will have the opportunity to experiment with different painting techniques and mediums, including acrylic and watercolor.

Throughout the week, campers will work on several painting projects, such as landscape, still life, and abstract paintings. They will also be encouraged to explore their own creativity and develop their own style.

In addition to learning new painting techniques, campers will also learn about different artists and their styles, and will have the opportunity to study works by professional painters. With a focus on creativity, skill-building, and self-expression, this camp is the perfect way to inspire young artists and help them develop their talents. Students will finish the week with a portfolio showcasing their work.

July 31

Collage and Mixed Media

This week is designed for children who are interested in exploring new art forms and experimenting with different materials. Our instructor will guide campers through a variety of fun and challenging collage and mixed media projects, including creating mixed media paintings, collage and more.

Campers will learn about the different techniques used in collage and mixed media art and will have the opportunity to express their own unique vision and style. With a focus on creativity, self-expression, and collaboration, this camp is the perfect way to inspire young artists and help them develop their skills.

To register, visit:

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