

EVANSTON ART CENTER



SUMMER CAMPS 2025
JUNE 9TH - AUGUST 15TH, 2025

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WELCOME TO THE EVANSTON ART CENTER 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.

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
- Dress for mess
- No need to bring any art supplies! They're included in the camp tuition.



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.

LUNCH

For all-day camps, students should bring a 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.

PLANNED OUTDOOR BREAKS

Campers will visit nearby McCulloch Park for a break during the day, weather permitting. They will be supervised by our great camp team members!

IMPORTANT DATES

10 Week Term:

June 9 - August 15, 2025

(No Class 4th of July: Friday, July 4, 2025)

Classes without minimum enrollment are canceled 3 days before the first class. All registered for the 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, Independence Day, 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 it with your class registration. Payment plans are also available. For more information, please call 847-475-5300.

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 ehazlett@evanstonartcenter.org or 847-475-5300.

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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

VISUAL ARTS CAMP: AGES 4-5

Each camp nurtures the exploration of materials, promotes visual literacy, and supports the development of behavioral and emotional skills. Our camps prioritize skill development by teaching students to recognize and explore creating with various colors, forms, lines, and textures. Thematic camps offer young campers the opportunity to enhance their visual literacy by experimenting with various art forms, such as drawing, painting, sculpture, and more.

MIXED-MEDIA ARTS CAMP: AGES 6-8

These camps focus on enhancing visual literacy, promoting artistic expression, and fostering behavioral and emotional growth with various art projects. Guided by weekly themes, students will have the opportunity to explore diverse artistic mediums and subjects including landscapes, portraits, observational art, printmaking, color blending, and more.

Rainforest Explorers Week 1: June 9 - 13

Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

S4911A Ages 4-5

S4931A Ages 6-8

Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

S4931B Ages 6-8

From vibrant green canopies to the forest floor, embark on a colorful adventure through the rainforest! Campers will discover a variety of plant and animal species to create rainforest-inspired art projects. Projects will help campers develop essential art skills by exploring various materials and colors. In this mixed media camp, campers will create vivid paintings and 3D creations showcasing the colors and creatures of the jungle!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Mythical Creations Week 2: June 16 - 20

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

Let your imagination lead the way! Campers will immerse themselves in a magical realm filled with fantastical and mythical creatures. Campers will use watercolors, acrylic paints, recycled materials, and more to create colorful art projects. Discover magic, myths, and more in this enchanting week of creativity!

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Explore, experiment, and create this summer at the Evanston Art Center!

Art Through the Ages Week 3: June 23 - 27

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

Journey through the ages of art! Campers will explore the fascinating history of artistic expression, from ancient civilizations to contemporary styles. Campers will create masterpieces inspired by different art movements using a variety of materials including watercolor, acrylic paint, and recycled materials. Dive into the creativity of the past and present in this week filled with creativity and fun!

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Eco Art Studio Week 6: July 14 - 18

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

Unleash your inner ecologist! This camp focuses on creating nature-themed art projects designed to foster a deeper appreciation for the world around us. Campers will experiment with natural materials to create nature prints, recycled sculptures, landscape paintings, and more. Note: Weather permitting, some classes may be held outside at McCulloch Park.

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Painting Adventure Week 9: August 4 - 8

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

Calling all aspiring Kahlos and Picassos! Dive into the vibrant world of painting during this week of camp! Campers will draw inspiration from famous artists to learn various watercolor and acrylic painting techniques. As campers develop their painting skills, who knows? One day, we might see one of these young masterpieces featured for auction!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Melodies & Masterpieces Week 4: June 30 - July 3 (4 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

Explore the worlds of visual and auditory expression! This week focuses on the exciting connection between sound and art. Campers will learn about famous painters influenced by music including Henri Matisse, Piet Mondrian, and others. From sound-inspired sculptures to instrumental collages, students will create art projects inspired by music and engage in a multisensory experience!

EAC Member \$285/Non-member \$315

Art Around the World Week 7: July 21 - 25

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

Embark on a vibrant journey around the world! This camp introduces young artists to different cultures through art and helps them gain an appreciation for global art traditions. Campers will explore various art materials including acrylic, watercolor, and recycled materials to create culturally inspired artwork.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Paws, Scales, & Tails Week 10: August 11 - 15

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

Feathers, fur, scales, and more! This week is dedicated to inspiring creativity and celebrating the colorful world of animals. Campers will sketch, paint, and craft animal-inspired projects, including animal collages, habitat crafts, zentangle animals, and more. Bring the wonders of the animal kingdom to life on this artsy adventure!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Cosmic Explorers Week 5: July 7 - 11

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

Blast off on a colorful adventure to outer space! This week's theme is focused on the wonders of space exploration. Campers will journey through stars, planets, and galaxies on an artistic rocket ship bound for the final frontier. Projects will involve a variety of mixed media materials such as oil pastels, acrylic paint, and watercolors to encourage campers to experiment to infinity and beyond!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Under the Sea Week 8: July 28 - August 1

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

Dive in for a week of underwater adventures! Campers will use various materials to create some of their favorite sea animals and underwater worlds. Whether exploring fish and crustaceans or capturing the beauty of coral and seashells, this week is sure to create a splash!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385



STUDIO ART CAMPS

AGES 9-11

CAMP CURRICULUM

STUDIO ART CAMP: AGES 9-11

Visual art camps focus on fostering exploration and building skills. Students will learn techniques including proportion, composition, elements of art, design principles, and color theory through engaging projects. Students are encouraged to engage in critical thinking, experimentation, and problem-solving as they explore various artistic mediums.



WEEK 1

Painting Explorations Ages 9-11

Week 1: June 9 - 13

S4951A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Unleash your creativity and learn the fundamentals of painting! Students will explore various techniques and styles of painting, from acrylics to watercolors, while expanding their knowledge of color theory and composition. Participants will develop their artistic skills and create their unique masterpieces with guided instruction and hands-on practice.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Recycled Sculptures Ages 9-11

Week 1: June 9 - 13

S4951B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

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EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 2

Ceramic Handbuilding Ages 9-11

Week 2: June 16 - 20

S4952A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Explore the exciting and versatile medium of clay! This camp will introduce students to foundational ceramic hand-building skills. Students will explore and experiment with methods like pinching, coiling, and creating slabs to craft a variety of objects. Throughout the week, students will work on diverse projects. Completed works will be available for pick up approximately 2 weeks after the camp concludes. Caregivers will receive email notifications when projects are ready for pick-up.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Photo Collage Ages 9-11

Week 2: June 16 - 20

S4952B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Do you love photography and collage? This camp is perfect for students eager to explore their creativity by blending these two mediums. Students will practice using digital cameras, learn the fundamentals of photography, and transform their images into mixed-media photo collages.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 3

Beginning Drawing Ages 9-11

Week 3: June 23 - 27

S4953A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

This camp is designed for students interested in developing essential drawing skills. Students will explore line, perspective, proportion, and composition to create a variety of drawing projects. This camp is perfect for beginners looking to build a strong foundation in drawing techniques!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Intro to Filmmaking Ages 9-11

Week 3: June 23 - 27

S4953B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Lights, camera, ACTION! Students will learn how to develop a plot, create props to set the scene and collaborate with others to create a short film. Students will be introduced to a variety of filming and editing techniques. Join us on the last day of camp for the World Premiere of this week's films. Note: Students will use cameras and MacBooks provided by the EAC. Students are welcome to bring in personal cameras.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385



WEEK 5

Mythical Creatures & Worlds Ages 9-11

Week 5: July 7 - 11

S4955A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Let your creativity soar! This camp invites students to drive into the world of mythical creatures and create their own fantastical worlds. Using a mix of artistic mediums including watercolors, acrylic paint, and recycled materials, students will bring their mythical imagination to life.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Comics & Cartooning Ages 9-11

Week 5: July 7 - 11

S4955B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Discover the art of comics and cartooning! Using drawing techniques, expressions, composition, and storytelling, students will create their own imaginative cartoon realms. Throughout this camp, participants will bring their unique characters to life and create original narratives. Students are encouraged to explore various cartooning styles and mediums in this creative and experimental atmosphere.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 4

Bookbinding & Collage Ages 9-11

Week 4: June 30 - July 3 (4 Days)

S4954A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

This hands-on camp is ideal for students interested in learning basic bookbinding and collage techniques! Students will use a variety of paper materials to create unique, colorful collages. Students will have the opportunity to integrate their collages into handcrafted books.

EAC Member \$285/Non-member \$315

Mixed Media Explorations Ages 9-11

Week 4: June 30 - July 3 (4 Days)

S4954B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Join us for a vibrant and colorful artistic journey! Students will spark their creativity by exploring a diverse range of artistic materials and techniques. From mixing colors with paints to experimenting with collages and more, students have the opportunity to express their creativity through various mediums.

EAC Member \$285/Non-member \$315

WEEK 6

Watercolor Studio Ages 9-11

Week 6: July 14 - 18

S4956A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Dive into the world of watercolor! Students will learn the basics of watercolor painting and experiment with a variety of techniques including washes, layering, and color blending to create stunning artworks. From watercolor landscapes to animal portraits, this camp is perfect for students interested in letting their creativity shine through the world of watercolor!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Intro to Printmaking Ages 9-11

Week 6: July 14 - 18

S4956B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Discover the exciting and imaginative world of printmaking! Students will explore both traditional and contemporary printmaking techniques, including relief printmaking, monotypes, and gelli prints. This camp serves as an excellent introduction to students looking to experiment with different printmaking tools and equipment and explore artistic techniques.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 7

Abstract Painting Studio Ages 9-11

Week 7: July 21 - 25

S4957A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Explore the realm of abstract art! Drawing inspiration from iconic artists like Wassily Kandinsky and Hilma af Klint, students will explore color, form, and texture to create unique and expressive abstract paintings. Students will experiment with abstract painting techniques and various mediums including acrylic, watercolor, and more.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Beginning Sewing Ages 9-11

Week 7: July 21 - 25

S4957B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Embark on an exciting journey into the art of sewing! From mastering basic needle threading to learning to use sewing machines, this class is designed to teach students the fundamentals of sewing. Students will unleash their creativity by crafting a variety of projects, bringing their imaginative designs to life.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 8

Inky Illustrations Ages 9-11

Week 8: July 28 - August 1

S4958A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Bring your illustrations to life! Dive into the world of contemporary illustration as you create hand-drawn unique original characters, fantasy monsters, and sci-fi landscapes by exploring the world of contemporary illustration. Students will experiment with materials including watercolor, ink, and micron pens, to develop their unique artistic style and vision!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

3D Printing Ages 9-11

Week 8: July 28 - August 1

S4958B Afternoon Session: 12:30 - 3:30 PM

Embark on a journey into the exciting world of 3D printing! Using TinkerCAD software, students will learn essential skills in 3D modeling. They will experiment with various materials to turn their ideas into reality with a 3D printer. This week will introduce students to design methodologies and unlock the full potential of this innovative technique.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385



WEEK 9

Science Art Fusion Ages 9-11

Week 9: August 4 - 8

S4959A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Embark on a creative journey in our Science Art Fusion camp! This immersive experience brings together the worlds of art and science, allowing students to explore their creativity with various materials, including watercolor, acrylic, and recycled items. From botanical prints to volcano paintings, participants will craft scientifically inspired artwork. Note: Students will not use chemicals or conduct physical science experiments.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Inventor's Design Ages 9-11

Week 9: August 4 - 8

S4959B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Calling all young inventors! This week is dedicated to exploring the exciting worlds of art and invention. From futuristic gadgets to whimsical contraptions, students will learn to think outside the box to design their inventions. Students will then use their designs to craft prototypes of their inventions using craft materials including cardboard, wire, and more. Families and friends are invited to join us on the last day of camp for a Shark Tank-inspired presentation of their inventions.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 10

Exploring Nature & Landscapes Ages 9-11

Week 10: August 11 - 15

S4960A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Immerse yourself in the beauty of the great outdoors! Students will learn to capture the essence of nature through various artistic mediums, including painting, drawing, and collage. Students will gain inspiration from landscapes, plants, and wildlife while developing their skills in observation and creativity. Note: Weather permitting, some classes may be held outside at McCulloch Park.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Stop Motion Animation Ages 9-11

Week 10: August 11 - 15

S4960B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Lights, cameras, animate! This camp is perfect for aspiring animators eager to explore the world of stop-motion animation. Students will learn essential photography techniques to bring their animated creations to life, while also developing skills in plot development and character design. Using a variety of materials like clay, cardboard, and pipe cleaners, participants will craft unique stories. On the final day of camp, families and friends are invited to enjoy a premiere showcasing the students' animated projects!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

STUDIO ART CAMPS

AGES 12-14

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STUDIO ART CAMP: AGES 12-14

Visual art camps focus on fostering exploration and building skills. Students will learn techniques including proportion, composition, elements of art, design principles, and color theory through engaging projects. Students are encouraged to engage in critical thinking, experimentation, and problem-solving as they explore various artistic mediums.



WEEK 1

Intro to Digital Photography Ages 12-14

Week 1: June 9 - 13

S4971A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Learn the fundamentals of DSLR photography in this hands-on camp! Students will explore both automatic and manual settings, building confidence as they discover how to adjust exposure, shutter speed, and aperture for varied effects. Basic photo editing techniques using Adobe Photoshop will also be covered. At the end of the camp, students will print their favorite images to showcase their work. Note: Students will use cameras and MacBooks provided by the EAC. Students are welcome to bring in personal cameras.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Inky Illustrations Ages 12-14

Week 1: June 9 - 13

S4971B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Explore the exciting world of illustration! In this camp, students will explore contemporary illustration by creating hand-drawn original characters, fantasy creatures, and sci-fi landscapes. Participants will experiment with various styles and mediums, including watercolor and ink, to develop their artistic skills and personal style. Join us for a creative adventure that brings imagination to life!

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 2

Beginning Painting Ages 12-14

Week 2: June 16 - 20

S4972A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

This camp will emphasize the fundamentals of acrylic painting! Students will explore various forms of representational art, including landscapes and still lifes while developing their painting skills. While this camp concentrates on observational rendering skills, students will also have the opportunity to create imaginative and experimental pieces, allowing for both structured learning and creative explorations.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Recycled Sculptures Ages 12-14

Week 2: June 16 - 20

S4972B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Construct, sculpt, and mold your creativity! This camp is dedicated to the exciting world of 3D art and sculpture. Students will work with a variety of materials including recycled items, clay, and paper to craft unique recycled sculptures. Throughout the week, students will be encouraged to experiment with different materials and deepen their understanding of 3D forms.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 3

Filmmaker's Camp Ages 12-14

Week 3: June 23 - 27

S4973A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Lights, camera, ACTION! Students will collaborate to explore the art of storytelling and filmmaking. Students will learn various filming and editing techniques and develop essential skills in crafting plots, writing scripts, and creating props. Join us on the last day of camp for the World Premiere of this week's films. Note: Students will use cameras and MacBooks provided by the EAC. Students are welcome to bring in personal cameras.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Printmaking & Collage Ages 12-14

Week 3: June 23 - 27

S4973B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Discover the exciting world of printmaking and collage! This camp introduces students to foundational printmaking techniques and collage composition. From designing unique prints to creating captivating collages, students will use their creativity to craft colorful and vibrant art projects.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385



WEEK 4

Stop Motion Animation Ages 12-14

Week 4: June 30 - July 3 (4 Days)

S4974A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Lights, cameras, animate! This camp is for aspiring animators who are ready to dive into the world of stop-motion animations. Students will learn fundamental photography techniques to produce their animated creations. This week, students will learn skills for plot development and character design. Students will utilize a variety of materials including clay, cardboard, pipe cleaners, and more. Final projects will be premiered to friends and family on the last day of camp.

EAC Member \$285/Non-member \$315

Exploring Nature & Landscapes Ages 12-14

Week 4: June 30 - July 3 (4 Days)

S4974B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Connect with the beauty of the outdoors! Students will use a variety of mediums, including painting, drawing, and collage, to capture the beauty of nature. Students will gain inspiration from landscapes, plants, and wildlife while developing their skills in observation and creativity. Note: Weather permitting, some classes may be held outside at McCulloch Park.

EAC Member \$285/Non-member \$315

WEEK 5

Ceramic Handbuilding Ages 12-14

Week 5: July 7 - 11

S4975A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Discover the art of ceramic hand-building! In this camp, students will explore various techniques, including pinch, slab, and coil methods. Throughout the week, participants will create a range of projects while gaining essential skills in ceramic hand-building. Completed works will be available for pick-up approximately two weeks after the camp ends, and caregivers will receive email notifications when projects are ready.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

3D Printing Ages 12-14

Week 5: July 7 - 11

S4975B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Explore the exciting world of 3D printing! Students will develop essential skills in 3D modeling using TinkerCAD, learning design methodologies that unlock the potential of this cutting-edge technology. This class encourages experimentation with different materials as students bring their ideas to life using the 3D printer.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 6

Fashion Illustration Ages 12-14

Week 6: July 14 - 18

S4976A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Attention all future designers! This week is dedicated to aspiring fashion designers eager to explore the art of drawing fashion figures and bringing their design concepts to life. Using markers, colored pencils, watercolors, and more, students will tap into their creativity to develop and illustrate a one-of-a-kind clothing collection. Participants will learn how to select design themes, choose colors, and pick fabrics. The final project will be a lookbook of completed designs.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Fiber Forms & Sculptures Ages 12-14

Week 6: July 14 - 18

S4976B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Explore the world of three-dimensional art! This week focuses on the versatility of fibers and a variety of sculpting techniques. In addition to using traditional sculpture materials including clay, cardboard, and wire, students will discover how to manipulate fabric, yarn, and other fibers to craft 3D forms.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 7

Fashion Construction Ages 12-14

Week 7: July 21 - 25

S4977A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Calling all aspiring fashion designers! Students will build fundamental sewing skills, and learn how to design and create a garment of their choice. This week will cover the basics of pattern making, garment construction, and both hand sewing and sewing machine fundamentals, providing a solid introduction to the world of fashion design.

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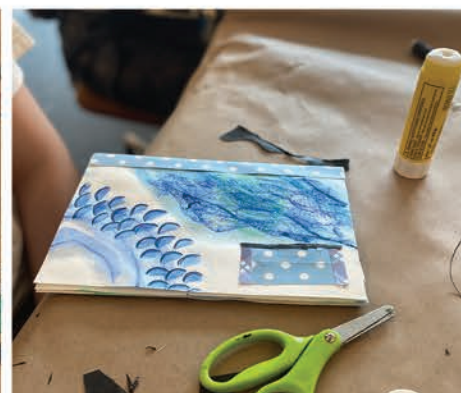
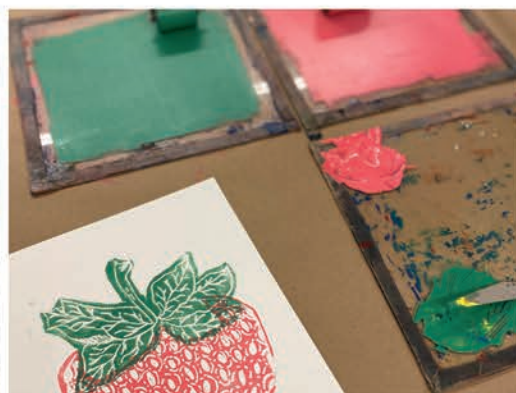
Bookbinding & Art Journaling Ages 12-14

Week 7: July 21 - 25

S4977B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

This hands-on camp introduces the essential skills and tools for creating handcrafted books. Students will learn techniques including folding, sewing, and gluing, and explore various stitches and structures to produce sample books. Students will discover how to adapt these methods for artists' books featuring their own drawings and prints to create personalized sketchbooks.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385



WEEK 9

Inspired Masterpieces Ages 12-14

Week 9: August 4 - 8

S4979A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Attention all young Picassos in the making! Dive into the techniques, styles, and inspirations of famous artists throughout history. This class aims to ignite curiosity through engaging lessons inspired by renowned figures. Students will create artwork using methods from Van Gogh, Picasso, Kahlo, and other iconic artists.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Figure & Portrait Drawing Ages 12-14

Week 9: August 4 - 8

S4979B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Learn the art of figure and portrait drawing! This camp is designed for students interested in learning gesture drawing, line quality, and shading techniques. With guided instruction, students will concentrate on proportions and simplifying shapes to achieve realistic renderings. All skill levels are welcome! Note: A live clothed model may be used in some sessions.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 8

Photo Collage & Zines Ages 12-14

Week 8: July 28 - August 1

S4978A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Do you love photography, collage, and creating zines? This camp is ideal for students looking to unleash their creativity by blending these two mediums. Participants will practice with digital cameras, learn the fundamentals of photography, and transform their captured images into unique mixed-media photo collages and zines.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

Drawing from Life Ages 12-14

Week 8: July 28 - August 1

S4978B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Sharpen your observational skills in this Drawing from Life studio! Students will improve their hand-eye coordination and refine their drawing abilities by exploring still life, natural landscapes, and portraiture. All skill levels are welcome to join and learn essential drawing techniques using charcoal, pen and ink, oil pastel, and more. Note: Weather permitting, some classes may be held outside at McCulloch Park.

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WEEK 10

Watercolor Studio Ages 12-14

Week 10: August 11 - 15

S4980A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

Dive into the realm of watercolor! Students will learn the basics of watercolor painting and experiment with various techniques including color blending, wax resist, and creating texture to create stunning artworks. From watercolor portraits to landscapes, this camp is perfect for students interested in letting their creativity shine through the world of watercolor!

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Illustration & Character Design Ages 12-14

Week 10: August 11 - 15

S4980B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Dive into the world of illustration! Create unique, hand-drawn characters, fantasy creatures, and sci-fi landscapes while exploring contemporary illustration. This camp will cover a variety of styles and mediums, including watercolor, ink, and more.

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HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP



WEEK 1

High School: Portrait Drawing Intensive Week 1: June 9 - 13

S4981A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM
Master the art of drawing the human face! Students will delve into gesture drawing, shading techniques, and line quality to create realistic portraits. This class is ideal for students seeking a thorough exploration of the techniques necessary to produce expressive and lifelike portraits.

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High School: Visual Storytelling & Filmmaking Intensive Week 1: June 9 - 13

S4981B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
Learn the art of visual storytelling and filmmaking! Students will work together to create a unique short film. During this week, students will learn filmmaking fundamentals including writing, cinematography, editing, and special effects. On the last day of class, friends and family are welcome to join us at the EAC for a grand premiere of these short films.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 2

High School: Comics & Graphic Novels Week 2: June 16 - 20

S4982A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM
Dive into the exciting world of comic books, graphic novels, manga, and zines with this dynamic class! Students will embark on a comprehensive journey, learning how to create their own comics and graphic novels. From storytelling and character design to typography and cover art, this class will explore a wide range of traditional and non-traditional comic styles and genres.

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High School: Painting Intensive Week 2: June 16 - 20

S4982B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
This week is perfect for beginner to intermediate students looking to enhance their painting skills, as well as advanced students interested in pursuing art at the college level. This course is designed to build proficiency and confidence in working with wet media, including acrylic and watercolor paints. All materials will be provided, but students are encouraged to bring their preferred supplies.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 3

High School: College Portfolio Week 3: June 23 - 27

S4983A Morning Session: 9 AM - 12 PM

This week is tailored for advanced students seeking to develop a portfolio for college or considering a career in art after high school. Participants will gain confidence in rendering objects and the human form using both dry and wet media. It's an excellent opportunity for students to build a cohesive body of work while gaining insights into fostering an artistic mindset.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

High School: Figure & Anatomy Drawing Intensive Week 3: June 23 - 27

S4983B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Discover the fundamentals of figure and anatomy drawing! This class is designed to teach students the basics of figure drawing, helping them acquire essential techniques for rendering the human form. The comprehensive course emphasizes anatomical studies, accurate proportions, and capturing the expressions of the human figure. Note: A live clothed model may be used in some sessions.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 4

High School: Ink & Watercolor Intensive Week 4: June 30 - July 3 (4 Days)

S4984B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Enhance your watercolor skills in this engaging and inspiring environment! Designed for all skill levels, this course will guide you through essential techniques, color mixing, and brushwork. Through hands-on exercises and creative projects, you'll develop a unique style while exploring various subjects from landscapes to abstract art.

EAC Member \$285/Non-member \$315

WEEK 5

High School: Photography & Photoshop Intensive Week 5: July 7 - 11

S4985B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Attention all aspiring photographers! This camp will cover the fundamentals of photography and Photoshop. Students will explore a range of camera techniques while gaining essential skills in Photoshop. Note: Students will use cameras and MacBooks provided by the EAC. Students are welcome to bring in personal cameras.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385





WEEK 6

High School: Painting & Drawing Plein Air Intensive Week 6: July 14 - 18

S4986AB All Day: 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM

Embark on a week-long artistic exploration! Each day brings a new adventure as students immerse themselves in the beauty of various Evanston and Northshore locations including Northwestern University, Bahai Temple, and Chicago Botanic Gardens. Note: A detailed schedule will be sent to students before the start of the course. Students are advised to bring a lunch and water bottle each day.

EAC Member \$650/Non-member \$680

WEEK 7

High School: Ceramic Handbuilding Week 7: July 21 - 25

S4987B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Dive into the versatile medium of clay! Students will learn hand-building techniques such as pinching, coiling, and slab construction, as well as various underglazing methods to create vibrant pieces. This class offers a comprehensive understanding of ceramic hand-building. Note: Completed projects will be available for pickup approximately 2 weeks after the camp concludes, and caregivers will receive an email notification once the projects are ready.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385

WEEK 8

High School: Painting Intensive Week 8: July 28 - August 1

S4988B Afternoon Session: 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM

This week is perfect for beginner to intermediate students looking to enhance their painting skills, as well as advanced students interested in pursuing art at the college level. This course is designed to build proficiency and confidence in working with wet media, including acrylic and watercolor paints. All materials will be provided, but students are encouraged to bring their preferred supplies.

EAC Member \$355/Non-member \$385



POLICIES

REGISTER TODAY!

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

2. **Call over the phone** – 847-475-5300.

Saturday & Sunday: 9 am – 4 pm

3. **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

REFUND SCHEDULE

	DROPPED 7 OR MORE DAYS BEFORE THE FIRST SESSION*	DROPPED BETWEEN 6 DAYS BEFORE THE FIRST SESSION AND THE FIRST WORKING DAY AFTER FIRST SESSION*	DROPPED AFTER THE FIRST WORKING DAY AFTER THE FIRST SESSION*
ADULT AND YFA CLASSES AND CAMPS	Tuition refunded minus \$50 processing fee**	Tuition is refunded minus a processing fee equal to 50% of the tuition	No refund or credit
WORKSHOPS COSTING \$100 OR MORE	Tuition refunded minus \$50 processing fee**	No refund or credit	No refund or credit
WORKSHOPS UNDER \$100	Tuition refunded minus \$50 processing fee**	No refund or credit	No refund or credit

*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.

CANCELLATIONS: Classes are canceled when enrollment minimums are not reached. EAC encourages students to register early. Classes that do not meet enrollment minimums are canceled three days before the first class, and students are notified by telephone. Full tuition will be refunded within three weeks. The Art Center reserves the right to change instructors, class structure, or to discontinue any class without incurring obligations. If a student is unable to attend a class period for any reason, the Art Center is not responsible for providing any make-up. Not attending class does not constitute an official drop or withdrawal from courses or cancellation of tuition or fees.

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.

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 the Director of Education in advance of the first day of camp.

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.

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: \$45
- Family Annual Membership: \$75

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