

Preschool Classes

Space is limited to 10 students per class.

Splish, Splash into Spring! Ages 3-5

Learn about color, line, shape, and texture using clay, collage, and paint. Projects include paintings and sculpture of fish, frogs, rabbits, and turtles. Read such tales as *The Rainbow Fish* by Marcus Pfister and *Splash* by Ann Jonas. All New Projects!

Instructor: Sheila Cape

Dates: March 20, April 3, 10, 17, May 1, 8 (6 Tuesdays)

Time: 1-2 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$40 members/\$50 non-members

Alphabets & Animals: Ages 3-5

Explore the sounds, words, and art through the alphabet in this visual art exploration. Media include clay, paint, oil pastel, and collage. We'll take a look at *Alphabets Are Amazing Animals* by Anushka Ravishankar and Christiane Pieper.

Instructor: S. Renee Prasil

Dates: March 21, April 4, 11, 18, May 2, 9 (6 Wednesdays)

Time: 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$40 members/\$50 non-members

BIG & small: Mixed Media, Ages 3-5

Create sculptures, drawings, and paintings that express huge and tiny spaces. Subject matter includes animals, flowers, bugs, and landscapes as seen in the tale *George Shrinks* by William Joyce.

Instructor: Sheila Cape

Dates: March 22, April 5, 12, 19, May 3, 10 (6 Thursdays)

Time: 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$40 members/\$50 non-members

Explore & Create: SPRING! Ages 3-5

Budding artists learn about color, line, shape, and texture using clay, collage, and paint. Create artful paintings and drawings of butterflies, ladybugs, flowers, birds and more. Be inspired by *It's Spring* by Linda Glaser and *Waiting for Wings* by Lois Ehlert.

Instructor: S. Renee Prasil

Dates: April 13, 20, May 4, 11, 18 (5 Fridays)

Time: 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$35 members/\$45 non-members

After School Classes for Children

Space is limited to 12 students per class unless noted. Museum gallery visits included for inspiration.

Whimsy Art in 3-D! Grades K-4

Create 3-D whimsical artwork of contraptions, kinetic art, do-hickeys and thing-a-ma-bobs. This fun class will teach students' basic mechanical principles, safe use of tools, and above all inventiveness. Media include paper, clay, paint, wire, wood and more.

Instructor: Sheila Cape

Dates: March 20, April 3, 10, 17, May 1, 8 (6 Tuesdays)

Time: 3:30-5 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$55 members/\$65 non-members

Mixed Media: Ages 10-14

Experiment with various art media to explore the possibilities of full expression in mixed media, drawing and painting as well as collage. Learn about color, composition and principles of painting and drawing along with learning how to see with an artist's eye. Media include marker, pastel, acrylic on canvas, watercolor, and more.

Instructor: S. Renee Prasil

Dates: March 20, April 3, 10, 17, May 1, 8 (6 Tuesdays)

Time: 3:30-5 p.m.

Place: Colonial Bank Classroom

Fees: \$55 members/\$65 non-members

Drawing & Painting: Grades K-4

Students explore drawing and painting tools as they learn about line, shape, form, composition and perspective through a variety of techniques. Media include graphite, pastel, watercolor, and tempera.

Instructor: Sheila Cape

Dates: March 21, April 4, 11, 18, May 2, 9 (6 Wednesdays)

Time: 3:30-5 p.m.

Place: Colonial Bank Classroom

Fees: \$55 members/\$65 non-members

Clay Creations: Grades K-4

Create a variety of clay vessels and sculptures. We'll glaze our pieces, too!

Instructor: S. Renee Prasil

Dates: March 22, April 5, 12, 19, May 3, 10 (6 Thursdays)

Time: 4-5:30 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$60 members/\$70 non-members (includes clay, glazes & firing)

Ceramics: Ages 10-14

Learn handbuilding techniques—coil and slab construction, and glazing methods. Wheel throwing techniques introduced. **All levels.** Space is limited to 8 students. All New Projects!

Instructor: Lisa Roth

Dates: March 22, April 5, 12, 19, May 3, 10 (6 Thursdays)

Time: 4-5:30 p.m.

Place: Colonial Bank Classroom

Fees: \$60 members/\$70 non-members

(includes clay, glazes & firing)

Museum Academy Schedule

Art for Homeschooled Students

Art in 3-D

This art program introduces sculpture media (air-dry clay, papier-mâché, wire, wood and other materials), techniques, and subject matter into the homeschool curriculum. **All levels.** Space is limited to 15 students per class.

Class I: Ages 5-8

Instructor: Anna Sue Courtney

Dates: March 22, April 5, 12, 19, May 3, 10 (6 Thursdays)

Time: 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.

Place: Colonial Bank Classroom

Fees: \$50 per student

Class II: Ages 9-13

Instructor: Anna Sue Courtney

Dates: March 20, April 3, 10, 17, May 1, 8 (6 Tuesdays)

Time: 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.

Place: Colonial Bank Classroom

Fees: \$50 per student

Students will have the opportunity to visit the Stender Family Interactive Galleries **ART LAB** and **A Walk Through Time** during the art classes. — **ART LAB** provides hands-on activities which instruct on the basic elements of art. **A Walk Through Time** takes students on a journey through major events in art history and includes replicas of famous works of art.

Saturday Classes for Children

Space is limited to 12 students per class unless noted. Museum gallery visits included for inspiration.

Studio Art Adventures: Shamrock Mobile a la' Matisse! Grades K-5

Inspired by Henri Matisse's Cut-Outs, create your very own shamrock mobile to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

Instructor: Kristy Jane From-Brown

Date: March 17 (Saturday)

Time: 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$15 members/\$25 non-members

Studio Art Adventures: Awesome Assemblages! Ages 6 & Up

After touring the *Encounters: Sloane Bibb* exhibition, create your own mixed media masterpiece using paint, marker, found objects, tooling foil, nuts and bolts, and other materials for embellishment.

Instructor: Sheila Cape

Date: April 14 (Saturday)

Time: 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$15 members/\$25 non-members

Studio Art Adventures: ArtRAGEOUS Masterpieces! Grades K-5

Explore the use of color and line to create an expressive masterpiece with acrylics on canvas to give to Mom for Mother's Day. Lots of FUN!

Instructor: S. Renee Prasil

Date: May 5 (Saturday)

Time: 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$15 members/\$25 non-members

Saturday Class for Parent & Child

Create a Ceramic Easter Bunny! Ages 5 & Up

Decorate your own ceramic Easter Bunny holding a basket for the upcoming holiday. Space is limited to 16 parent/child participants.

Instructor: S. Renee Prasil

Date: March 31 (Saturday)

Time: 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$25 members/\$35 non-members per parent/child group

\$15 members/\$25 non-members per student

High School & Adult Classes

*Supply list will accompany class confirmation.

Creative Jewelry Making

Learn basic techniques for combining wire, chain and beads to create earrings, necklaces and bracelets with glass beads. Discover stringing, wire wrapping, making ear wires and design styles. Create professional quality jewelry to give as gifts or keep for yourself! Materials included. **All levels.** Space is limited to 10 students.

Instructor: S. Renee Prasil

Date: March 17 (Saturday)

Time: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. (hour lunch break/bring a sack lunch)

Place: Colonial Bank Classroom

Fees: \$55 members/\$65 non-members

Exploration in Drawing

Learn about line, shape, form, color, space, perspective, proportion, and value to create still lifes and landscapes. Media include graphite and charcoal. Materials included. **All levels.** Space is limited to 12 students.

Instructor: S. Renee Prasil

Dates: March 20, April 3, 10, 17, May 1, 8 (6 Tuesdays)

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Place: Colonial Bank Classroom

Fees: \$75 members/\$85 non-members

Seeing the Landscape Through a Painter's Eye

Discover creative ways to portray natural and manmade environments using traditional oil painting techniques. Learn about composition, design, color and value choices, light patterns and atmospheric perspective for a sense of distance in the landscape. Explore color mixing and the palette. Capture the essence of the photograph used as reference. **All levels.** Space is limited to 10 students.

Instructor: Conor O'Brien

Dates: March 20, April 3, 10, 17, May 1, 8 (6 Tuesdays)

Time: 6-8 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$75 members/\$85 non-members*

Acrylic & Oil Painting Techniques

Learn more about color, composition and finding your own style by translating a personal photo or photographs into paintings. Each student gets personal attention from the instructor helping them with drawing, painting and turning their photographs into works of art. Choose either acrylic or oil. **All levels.** Space is limited to 10 students.

Instructor: Gayle Power

Dates: March 21, April 4, 11, 18, May 2, 9 (6 Wednesdays)

Time: 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom

Fees: \$75 members/\$85 non-members*

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High School & Adult Classes (continued)

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Stained Glass Sun Catchers

Learn about glass-cutting, pattern-making, copper-foiling, soldering, and construction. Discover the beauty of stained glass in this one-day workshop. Create spring-inspired sun catchers. Materials included. **All levels.** Space is limited to 8 students.

Instructor: Melinda Ortner
Date: March 31 (Saturday)
Time: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. (one hour lunch break/bring a sack lunch)
Place: Colonial Bank Classroom
Fees: \$55 members/\$65 non-members

Old Masters Painting Techniques

Do you wonder about the work of artists such as Rembrandt, Vermeer, and Rubens? Learn about the oil painting techniques used by the old masters in canvas preparation; creating the sketch on the canvas; defining values by under painting first in a monotone umber wash, and then in a grisaille layer of grey tones from black to white. Final paintings will include full colors over the grisaille layer with particular attention to detail. **All levels.** Space is limited to 10 students.

Instructor: Robert Bean
Dates: April 5, 12, 19, May 3, 10, 17 (6 Thursdays)
Time: 6-8 p.m.
Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom
Fees: \$75 members/\$85 non-members*

Ceramics: Altering Wheel Thrown Forms

A class for wheel-throwers who want to work outside of the circle, this class will teach methods of manipulating and altering wet or leather hard clay. Demonstrations will cover a variety of functional forms. Materials included. **Prior wheel throwing experience is helpful.** Space is limited to 8 students.

Instructor: Greg Datcher
Dates: April 5, 12, 19, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 (8 Thursdays)
Time: 6-8:30 p.m.
Place: Colonial Bank Classroom
Fees: \$170 members/\$180 non-members (includes clay, firing, & glazes)

Watercolor

Learn various watercolor techniques — such as wet-in-wet and wet-on-dry — and explore ways to create abstract or realistic imagery. Subject matter includes elements of landscape and close-up still life. **For beginners and experienced students.** Space is limited to 10 students.

Instructor: Linda Ruhl
Dates: April 13, 20, May 4, 11, 18 (5 Fridays)
Time: 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Place: Colonial Bank Classroom
Fees: \$75 members/\$85 non-members*

Art to Wear: Felting a Flower from Wool Fibers

April showers, bring spring flowers! Learn the unique techniques of wet and needle felting. You will be provided with a colorful scarf for you to pin your created flower onto to take home. Materials included. **All levels.** Space is limited to 12 students.

Instructor: Jackie Miller
Date: April 14 (Saturday)
Time: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. (one hour lunch break/bring a sack lunch)
Place: Colonial Bank Classroom
Fees: \$55 members/\$65 non-members

Stained Glass Jewelry Box

Students design and create a stained glass jewelry box. In the class, glass will be cut, fitted, copper-foiled, soldered and finished to create a 4"x4" top-hinged box. Materials included. **All levels.** Space is limited to 6 students.

Instructor: Becca Mauldin
Dates: May 5, 12, 19 (3 Saturdays)
Time: 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Place: Colonial Bank Classroom
Fees: \$90 members/\$100 non-members

Pastels: Paint a Pet Portrait

Learn to paint your favorite animal from photos. Explore simple and easy tips and tricks for creating a successful portrait. Students will start by selecting their own reference photos, transferring the image and executing the pet portrait. Materials included. **All levels.** Space is limited to 10 students.

Instructor: Linda Ruhl
Dates: May 12, 19 (2 Saturdays)
Time: 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
Place: Chrysler Corporation Classroom
Fees: \$55 members/\$65 non-members

Family Art Activity Day Programs

Enjoy learning about art together!

Families and children are invited to participate in a range of programs especially designed with younger visitors in mind. Drop-In Family Art Activity Programs offer fun, interactive art making activities for families with children ages 3 and up.

Visit our website at www.hsvmuseum.org/programs/family-art-activity-day/ to view a current program schedule.

How to Register

The easiest way to sign up is to visit the Museum's website at www.hsvmuseum.org or call 256.535.4350 ext. 222 Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and use your credit card. You also can stop by the Museum during business hours and register in person, or fill out the form and mail it along with your payment to the Huntsville Museum of Art, 300 Church Street South, Huntsville, AL 35801. You can also print out a registration form from the Museum's website at www.hsvmuseum.org and mail it along with your payment.

Please note: All fees must be paid in full before a student is fully registered. A \$10 fee will be charged for canceling registration; the balance will be refunded. **However, there will be no refund for cancellations within one week of the first class.** Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis! The Museum reserves the right to cancel classes which do not meet minimum enrollment requirements. This minimum enrollment is determined on an individual class basis. In case of cancellation by the Museum, the advance payment will be refunded to you.

One of the benefits of membership in the Museum is a discount on art classes and workshops. For more information, contact the **Membership Office** at 256.535.4350 ext. 203 or 205 or visit our website.



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Scholarships available for students (ages 3-18) interested in pursuing art who are in need of financial assistance. Download the **Visual Arts Scholarship** application at www.hsvmuseum.org/museum-academy/ or call 256.535.4350 ext. 222 for details.

Waiting Lists: If you wish to register for a class that is full, your name will be placed on a waiting list on a first-come, first-served basis. Should space become available, you will be notified.

Photo Release: Please note the Huntsville Museum of Art may take photographs of Museum programs and events for use in publicity materials. Please notify the photographer if you prefer not to have your and/or your child's picture taken during the class.

Registration Form

Museum Member? Yes No

Name _____ Age/Grade _____
(for children's classes only)

Parent/Guardian's Name _____

Class _____

Class _____

Home Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Home # _____ Work # _____ Cell # _____

E-mail Address _____

Total Class Fees \$ _____ Check enclosed payable to the Huntsville Museum of Art or Charge to: VISA MASTERCARD DISCOVER CARD

Card # _____ Exp. Date _____

A confirmation letter will be sent upon receipt of class registration fee payment.

Mail Registration Form and Payment to:
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MUSEUM Academy

Schedule of Classes for Children, Teens & Adults

Our spring schedule includes classes for preschoolers through adults. The Academy's programs are held in two classrooms, Chrysler Corporation Classroom and Colonial Bank Classroom, on the Plaza Level in the Museum, overlooking Big Spring International Park.

All materials are provided for the children's classes. Pre-registration is required.
Register Online at www.hsvmuseum.org
or call 256.535.4350 ext. 222.
See instructors' biographies on our website.