

# In-School Art Experiences

September – December 2024

Let us bring art to you! Our artist instructors will bring these programs – all supplies included – right into your classroom to offer an array of artistic experiences to your students. All workshops are 1.5 hours in duration, and all activities are tailored to the ages of your group.

# Workshops:

# New Who Am I? Imaginative Drawing

Grades K-8 – Sarah Kang

In this engaging and creative self-portrait workshop, students will explore the art of capturing their own likeness through drawing. Upon booking, educators can choose from the following options:



• **My Future Self**: Students will imagine and draw how they see themselves in the future, encouraging reflection on their dreams and aspirations

• In My Dreams: Students create a self-portrait inspired by their dreams, blending reality and imagination

• **Picasso Style Self-Portrait**: Inspired by the bold and abstract style of Picasso, students will experiment with colour, shape, and form to create a self-portrait that challenges traditional representation

Each theme encourages students to explore their identity and express themselves through art, resulting in a self-portrait that is as unique as they are.

**Supports:** Creative Thinking, Positive Personal Identity, Fine Motor Skills, Focus and Attention

## \$164 flat rate\*

Availability: Weekdays, 10:30 am – 3:00 pm Maximum Class Size: 30 students (+ 5 adult chaperones)

## Watercolour Magic

Grades K-8 – Sarah Kang

Your students will discover foundational watercolour techniques like colour mixing, washes, and wet & dry brushstrokes while creating their own finished painting – choose your focus upon booking! **Themes:** 

- Vases & Flowers
- Animals in the Wild

- Under the Sea
- Imaginary Creatures

Supports: Creative Thinking, Positive Personal Identity, Fine Motor Skills, Focus and Attention \$230 flat rate\*

Availability: Weekdays, 10:30 am – 3:00 pm Maximum Class Size: 30 students (+ 5 adult chaperones)



#### **Express Yourself!**

#### Grades 3-12 – Suze Mercado

Join professional Art Therapist Suze Mercado for a journey into creative self-expression! Through drawing, painting, and collage, your students can convey their thoughts and emotions in a visually captivating way, nurturing their emotional intelligence. This open-ended workshop fosters self-discovery as students explore their own ideas and preferences, boosting confidence and instilling a sense of pride in their creations. Sessions begin with collage materials to spark creativity and end with a sharing circle, where everyone can showcase their unique creations in a safe and supportive environment.

#### \$164 flat rate\*

Availability: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, & Fridays 10:30 am -

2:30 pm Maximum Class Size: 30 students + 5 adult chaperones



#### Indigenous Storytelling & Drama

Grades K-5 – Gayle Hunter

Six Nations elder Gayle Hunter will visit your class and lead a 1.5-hour session, bringing rich traditions to life in the classroom. Through the magic of drama, kids get a chance to actively embody different characters in these traditional stories, learning important lessons through dialogue and discussion, and connecting with Indigenous culture in a meaningful way. It's an immersive experience weaving together education, creativity, and respect for the diverse traditions that shape our community. Join us for an engaging exploration of heritage and storytelling! Teachers

can choose between the following stories and lessons:

#### For Grades K-3:

<u>Shi'gaag – Skunk</u> Why Skunk has a Scent: Villagers confront Skunk who has been playing tricks on them

#### <u>Amik – Beaver</u>

Why Beaver has Sharp Teeth: The importance of helping each other

# <u>E'si'bun – Raccoon</u>

Why Raccoon has a Mask: Why it's wrong to take things that don't belong to you

Ma'ii'gun and Animoosh – Wolf

<u>& Dog</u> The Race: How to believe in yourself and do your best

#### Waboose – Rabbit

How Rabbit got Long Ears: The importance of listening to rules about safety

#### For Grades 4-5:

<u>Ganaw – Frog</u> Frog's pond is polluted and he needs help saving everyone from getting sick: How to be brave and ask for help from others <u>Gaak – Raven</u>

Raven, who forgot to eat, has a hard time doing his work: The importance of taking care of yourself so you can take care of others <u>Hoon – Salmon</u> Salmon has natural medicine to share with everyone who got sick from the polluted pond: How to overcome shyness and communicate

## \$131 flat rate\*

Availability: Tuesdays to Fridays, 10:30am-2:00pm Maximum Class Size: 30 students

\* Prices listed are for public schools and non-profit organizations. Not in your budget right now? We have subsidies available! Reach out for more information.

# **Day Camps:**

Book a private day camp for your group, at PoMoArts or on location at your facility! Our instructors will work with support from your staff and volunteers to bring an amazing, arty experience to your students, for either a half-day or a full day! Please note that these camps must be requested a minimum of 8 weeks in advance.

## **Sketching & Drawing**

Grades K-8

Explore the fun world of drawing! We'll use pencils, crayons, markers, and more to learn new techniques and create amazing sketches. **Maximum Class Size:** 12 students

## Painting

Grades K-8

Play with colours and creativity! You'll try out painting, drawing, and more, sparking your imagination in a fun and supportive environment.

Maximum Class Size: 12 students

## Mixed Media & Collage

Grades K-8

Try out something new! With a wide range of markers, pastels, collage materials, and more, use different colours, shapes, and textures to bring your imagination to life in front of you. **Maximum Class Size:** 12 students

## Ceramics

Grades 2-8

\*This program is only available at PoMoArts Get into ceramics with hand-building techniques like slab, coiling, and pinch pots, and create objects to treasure! Glaze and firing included.

Maximum Class Size: 10 students

Email us at <u>info@pomoarts.ca</u> to book your school's art experience! Please note that we require a minimum of 3 weeks' notice to book all school programs.

Looking for something else? Get in touch! We'd love to work with you to create workshops, after-school classes, camps, and more.

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