

SMARTS "EVERYWHERE TOGETHER"

SUMMER 2021 WORKSHOPS

Enrollment opens Thursday, May 20 @ 1 pm

www.SmartsArtSchool.org

All students who have completed SMARTS applications will receive a text and email to enroll.



Go "Everywhere Together" with SMARTS this summer for three weeks of workshops Mondays-Thursdays in June. Take a *family* workshop and create wonderful memories together with the art you make, or a *field* workshop and Zoom from anywhere - your backyard, Millcreek Park, the baseball fields - and receive virtual, on-site coaching for drawing, photography, and more! Or, come to SMARTS for in-person offerings and learn in our beautiful downtown Youngstown facility. Exciting new offerings include scarf dancing, Impressionism acrylic painting, puppet theater, escape room writing, and Lego sculptures! *(Students may enroll in an unlimited number of Virtual SMARTS workshops but only 1 in-person workshop for summer, due to limited seats for health and safety.)*



In-person workshops at SMARTS are highlighted blue.

All other workshops will take place live online via Zoom through Virtual SMARTS.

SMARTS, Students Motivated by the Arts

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SMARTS Visual Art

Week 1: June 14-17

Virtual SMARTS Family Refurbish Art, Grades 2-12 @ 10:35-11:50 am *with Marites Eldred*

Have a restoration or DIY project you'd like to tackle? Grab a handy family member and prepare to turn an old bicycle, clock, shelf, shoe, or another item into a piece of art!

Supplies: to be determined first class based on family project
Capacity: 12 families

Virtual SMARTS Master Builders Lego Art, Grades 3-7 @ 12:45-2:00 pm *with Robert Kerr*

Create sculpture art from Legos using the elements of art to challenge your choices of color, line, shape, and more. View the Lego House Masterpiece Gallery in Denmark for inspiration and let's get building!

Supplies: Legos
Capacity: 15 students

SMARTS Arts Creative Forces, Grades K-2 @ 12:50-1:50 pm

with Kara Terlecki

Let your creativity be a force of nature! Learn the elements of art and experiment with multiple mediums like watercolor and charcoal as you discover how forces of nature like wind and water occur on planet earth.

Capacity: 10 students

Virtual SMARTS City Shapes and Skylines, Grades 3-6 @ 2:10-3:10 pm

with Kara Terlecki

Bring your drawing or painting of a city to life as you break down the shapes you see within its buildings and structures. As you learn the fundamentals of geometry, your skyline and city plans will grow just like your math skills!

Supplies: pencils, erasers, watercolor paper, sharpies and watercolor paint
Capacity: 15 students

Week 2: June 21-24

Virtual SMARTS Storybook Drawing, Grades 3-6 @ 11:45 am - 12:45 pm *with Marites Eldred*

Learn to draw characters, objects, and scenery stylistically for a picture book of your imagination!

Supplies: pencil and paper or sketchbook
Capacity: 15 students

Virtual SMARTS Field Drawing, Grades 6-12 @ 12:55-1:55 pm

with Marites Eldred

Take your sketches abroad! Zoom from a place you'd like to draw each class, learning to capture the shapes, lighting, and mood that surround you that day.

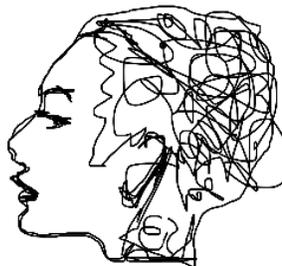
Supplies: pencil and paper or sketchbook and a device with a hotspot or mobile data if able to Zoom away from home
Capacity: 15 students

Virtual SMARTS Family Drawing Fun, Grades K-12 @ 2:00-3:00 pm

with Marites Eldred

It's picture-perfect! Play drawing games together with a family member where you'll make silly portraits finish each other's artwork.

Supplies: pencil and paper or sketchbook
Capacity: 15 families



Week 3: June 28-July 1

SMARTS Impressionism Acrylic Painting, Grades 6-12 @ 12:00-1:15 pm

with Kristine Postell

Learn how to paint like an Impressionist using acrylics! Study the work of Monet and Renoir and then create a still life painting using free, loose brush strokes like the masters!

Capacity: 5

Virtual SMARTS Family Field Photography, Grades 2-12 @ 12:15-1:30 pm

with Vince Shivers

Choose a destination to photograph with a family member! Zoom from anywhere and receive on-site virtual photography coaching to capture what you see.

Supplies: DSLR, point and shoot, tablet, or smartphone camera, and device with a hotspot or mobile data if able to Zoom away from home
Capacity: 12 families



SMARTS Music

Week 1: June 14-17

Virtual SMARTS Family Songwriting Fun, Grades 4-12 @ 12:00-12:50 pm

with *Simon Kenneally*

Have you learned to play an instrument at SMARTS? Now is your chance to write a song! Grab a family member and play music games to create songs together. You might even pen your first hit single! Best of all, you're sure to share some smiles and make great memories. (Joining family members need not know how to play an instrument, they only need to know how to laugh.)

Capacity: 10 families

SMARTS Strings Songwriting, Grades 4-12 @ 2:05-3:30 pm

with *Simon Kenneally and Brendan McEvoy*

Have you learned how to play the guitar, ukulele, or violin? Join this first ever SMARTS orchestra to create an original song together!

Capacity: 15 students

Week 2: June 21-24

SMARTS Sing-a-Long Youngstown, Grades K-2 @ 11:25-12:25 pm

with *Amanda Beagle*

From the creators of the Klondike Bar to the big band era that stormed Idora Park, learn about Youngstown history through its music. Together, we will write our own jingle as a class to celebrate Youngstown.

Capacity: 10 students

Virtual SMARTS Soundtracks, Grades 3-6 @ 12:00-1:00 pm

with *Simon Kenneally*

Every song is written from someone's perspective. Learn how to write songs from multiple vantage points using I/you/he/she/it to create yours or someone else's soundtrack theme song!

Capacity: 15 students

SMARTS Musical Numbers, Grades K-2 @ 1:10-2:10 pm

with *Simon Kenneally*

Discover what music, clocks, and money all have in common in this class where you will create rhythms as you learn to tell time and add dimes and quarters!

Capacity: 10 students

Week 3: June 28-July 1

SMARTS Piano Songwriting for Broadway Musicals

with *Haley Beverburg*

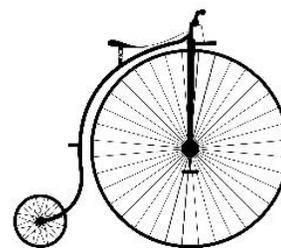
You've been hired to write the music for a new Broadway show. Read the script and work together as a class to create songs for key parts of the musical.

Students should have taken at least one year of SMARTS Adventures in Piano or SMARTS Piano Lab.

Capacity: 4 students each

Grades 3-5 @ 11:20 am - 12:50 pm

Grades 6-12 @ 1:30-3:00 pm



SMARTS Dance

Week 1: June 14-17

SMARTS Word Dance, Grades 1-4 @ 11:45 am - 12:35 pm

with *Dagmar Stahl*

Discover the meanings of new words in storybooks and play dance games to use them in your own stories!

Capacity: 10 students

SMARTS Dance Choreography of Photosynthesis, Grades 5-8 @ 2:15-3:05 pm

with *Dagmar Stahl*

Create a narrative with dance to illustrate how plants turn light into food! Learn how dance choreography uses storytelling through movement to educate and inspire others on a range of scientific topics.

Capacity: 10 students

Week 2: June 21-24



Week 3: June 28-July 1

Virtual SMARTS Family Creative Scarf Dancing, Grades K-3 @ 12:45-1:45 pm

with *Kat Sanfrey*

Learn how to dance with a prop as an extension of your body and a family dance partner as we use fun and brightly colored scarves to create a dance to a song! Please Zoom from the largest space you have available, or outside.

Supplies: one 2-foot lightweight silk or chiffon dance scarf of any color for each family member

Capacity: 15 families

SMARTS Theater

Week 1: June 14-17

SMARTS Social Justice Poetic Theater, Grades 8-12 @ 11:20 am - 12:20 pm

with Addie Lamonge

Discover the power of words in this workshop where you will learn to read as an actor, emphasizing the most powerful words in a poem that inspires change in the world.

Capacity: 7 students

Virtual SMARTS Puppet Theater, Grades 3-6 @ 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

with Amanda Beagle

Turn your Zoom screen into a stage for puppets you made yourself! Design their Zoom world with a virtual background and write a story for them to perform.

Supplies: popsicle sticks, old socks, brown or white paper lunch bags, glue, markers or crayons, construction paper or white paper, scissors

Optional: felt, googly eyes, feathers, pom poms, pipe cleaner or any other arts supplies at home

Capacity: 12 students

Week 2: June 21-24

SMARTS Action Fractions, Grades 3-5 @ 12:40-1:40 pm

with Amanda Beagle

Learn to read a script like an actor! Play math and theater games to build your skills with fractions and turn word problems into scenes. Math was never *half* as fun as this!

Capacity: 10 students



Week 3: June 28-July 1

SMARTS Theatrical Ecosystems, Grades 4-7 @ 1:00-2:00 pm

with Stephanie Chavara

Lights, camera, action! Learn how to create a story for an audience using characters from science class! Explore the roles that the nitrogen cycle, biodiversity, and ecosystems play in our world as we learn about the many unique roles theater artists play in a stage production. Capacity: 10 students

Virtual SMARTS Cloudy with a Chance of Theater, Grades K-2 @ 2:05-3:05 pm

with Stephanie Chavara

Based on the children's book *Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs*, discover how weather changes in our atmosphere affect us on earth and put your acting skills to the test! By becoming clouds and role-playing as meteorologists, students will deepen their understanding of the cause-and-effect patterns happening right over our heads.

Capacity: 15 students

SMARTS Creative Writing

Week 1: June 14-17

Virtual SMARTS Showing VS Telling, Grades 3-6 @ 2:15-3:15 pm

with Kara Zone

Paint pictures with your words to create imagery in this class where we learn the skill of illustrating, or "showing," in our writing with descriptive details.

Capacity: 12 students

Week 2: June 21-24

Virtual SMARTS Family Writing Fun, Grades K-12 @ 1:00-2:00 pm

with Kara Zone

Don't put words in my mouth! Play writing games together with a family member that challenge you to twist each other's stories finish each other's sentences.

Capacity: 15 families

Week 3: June 28-July 1

Virtual SMARTS Escape Room Writing, Grades 7-12 @ 10:50-11:50 am

with Lindsay Goossens

Make a story from history come to life as you create clues and riddles to guide your participants through a virtual escape room made by you and your classmates!

Capacity: 15 students

