

ARTFUL DIMENSIONS CLASS OFFERINGS

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CLAY

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WHEEL and HAND: 4:30 - 6:30pm, Tues, Wed. or Thurs.

TILE: 4:30 - 6pm or 6:30 - 8pm, Tues., Wed. or Thurs.

All classes five consecutive weeks

10-14 yrs..... **\$170**

Adult..... **\$190**

BEGINNING THROWING ON THE POTTERY WHEEL

Learn the complete throwing process. Students will create, trim, and glaze several bowl shapes.

HAND BUILDING IN CLAY

Learn to create your own coil vase or candle holder and a treasure box.

BEGINNING TILE MAKING

Bring an idea to design, create, and glaze your own 4x4" tile.

PERSONAL PORTRAIT

Bring an idea for a piece that expresses YOU. I will make a mask of your face which you will incorporate in your piece.

GLASS

COLLEEN MCELFRISH

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STAINED GLASS, FUSED GLASS TECHNIQUES

Colleen teaches regular classes at her studio near the Stafford County Courthouse. Call or email her to arrange for pricing and classes.

NEEDLEFELTING

BARBARA POSEY

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NEEDLEFELTING

One-hr class, one/two students..... **\$50/45**

Two-hr class, one/two students..... **\$70/60**

Four-hr workshop/student (min 3 students)..... **\$50**

Six-hr workshop/student (incl. 1-hr lunch break)..... **\$70**

Number of sessions depends on complexity of project chosen Ages: **13** to adult. Max workshop **6** students. All materials provided.

NEEDLEFELTED CRITTER

Six-hour workshop or individual classes to complete an animal figure. You can choose your own idea or use one the existing class examples, such as an elephant, a sheep, a mini-bear, etc.

NEEDLEFELTED FIGURE (ART DOLL)

Six-hour workshop or individual classes to complete a human-based figure. This could be a troll, an elf, a dwarf, a gnome, an orc, etc.

NEEDLEFELTED WALL ART

Six-hour workshop or individual classes to compete a needlefelted “painting” — a landscape, portrait, or abstract work to frame.

NEEDLEFELTED SMALL PIN

Two-hour class or workshop to create a brooch using needlefelting techniques with bead embellishment.

WET-FELTED COLLAGE

Two-hour class or workshop to complete a wet felted collage. A good introduction to working with fiber!

PRIVATE LESSONS

One-on-one instruction in needlefelting basics, creating various pieces to be determined with individual students. Can meet weekly or twice-weekly, in one- or two-hour sessions.

WORKSHOP ON REQUEST

Four- to six-hour workshop for groups of 3 to 6, to complete one project such as a sheep, elephant, cat, or mouse — or a project requested by workshop group.

MOSAICS

CATHY AMBROSE SMITH

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CLASSES FOR K-8, PRIVATE LESSONS, OR PARTIES

Contact Cathy to arrange classes for students K-8, private lessons for all ages, or special occasion parties for children or adults!

INTRODUCTION TO MOSAIC ART.....\$125

Take a beginner's two-day workshop to learn the basics of mosaics, including substrates, use of mosaic tools, adhesives and grouting for interior mosaics. You will be introduced to different types of glass, tiles, and other materials, and guided through the process to create a one-of-a-kind custom 10" x 10" framed wall mirror for interior display. Tools provided. Light snacks/coffee provided. Students will receive a handout folder including step-by-step project sheets and more.

Ages: **14** to adult • No previous art/mosaic experience needed.

Two-day workshop, **10am - 4pm** and **2pm - 5pm**.

WORKING WITH NATURAL ELEMENTS.....\$100

Mosaics using natural elements such as shells, pebbles, beach glass, etc., and thin-set mortar adhesive. Create a textured, 3-d, whimsical flair piece of art work with elements found in nature and from the sea. Create your own unique 12" x 12" mosaic wall hanging using a variety of goodies. Students may bring their own collection of stones, shells, glass. Experimenting with composing a mosaic from natural found items will teach you something about mixed media and how to add an artistic, creative look to your unique work of art! Handouts provided.

Ages: **14** through adult • One-day workshop, **10am - 5pm**.

MOSAIC ART STEPPING STONE.....\$125

Learn how to create a beautiful square stepping stone for your home or garden in a two-day workshop. You will learn the foundation of creating outdoor mosaics and be introduced to the correct adhesives, substrates, tiles and grouting for outdoor mosaic art. Enjoy creating your own unique stepping stone, adding color to your garden that you will enjoy for years! Handouts provided.

Ages: **14** to adult • Two-day workshop, **10am - 4pm** and **2pm - 5pm**.

PIQUE ASSIETTE: BROKEN CHINA.....\$125

Pique Assiette, French for "stolen plate," is a fun two-day workshop, using old or broken plates, a chipped heirloom piece, cups and other china shards, covering a prepared wooden functional piece of art with broken china. You will learn how to cut plates, centers, cups, etc. Learn the Pique Assiette style of mosaics to decorate a variety of wooden substrates such as boxes, trays, shelves, display items or a wall hanging, etc. for an indoor decorative or functional piece of art. Enjoy recycling for the present while connecting with the past, giving a new life to broken china and creating a beautiful piece of art! Handouts provided.

Ages: **14** through adult

Two-day workshop, **10am - 4pm** and **2pm - 5pm**.

FUNKY MOSAICS FROM FOUND OBJECTS.....\$100

Come join a one-day workshop for a fun-filled time, learning the "push method" of mosaics using found objects and thinset mortar adhesive. Learn to create a 12" x 12" whimsical, textured, 3-d piece of art with found objects along with some traditional mosaics tiles. Students will leave with a one-of-a-kind piece of art suitable for wall or table display. Students may bring their own treasures which will be reviewed by the instructor for appropriateness to be used in mosaic art.

Ages: 14 through adult

One-day workshop, 10am - 5pm.

POLYMER CLAY

MELISSA TERLIZZI

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POLYMER CLAY KALEIDOSCOPE BEADS CLASS..... \$30

In the first session, you will learn to make a kaleidoscope cane, and use it to create beads any size and shape. In the second session, you will finish and string your beads. You will have enough beads to make one or 2 bracelets. No experience with polymer clay is necessary. The technique is simple, but the resulting patterns are anything but — you will be hooked! ***When scheduling, please provide color preferences, and I will do my best to accommodate them.***

Ages **12** up, Beginners

Two sessions

Class time **90** minutes for 1st session; **2nd** session, **1** hour

All materials and supplies provided

MULTIMEDIA

ELIZABETH WOODFORD

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GELATIN MONO-PRINTS ON PAPER & FABRIC..... \$60

Learn to create mono prints using gelatin as a printing surface onto paper and textiles. This amazing technique allows you to create unique prints for many different projects. ***Supply list on registration.***

Ages: **12** to adult, **3**-hour class • Max class size: **6**

Plates and printing tools provided • Students are to bring some fabric pieces and papers for printing

BEADED/CORD BRACELET..... \$80

Learn how to create your own decorative fiber coding and then combine it with beads to stitch a wonderfully organic and original cloth-based cuff bracelet. No beading experience necessary! Students provide own beads.

Ages: **14** to adult, Two **3-hr** sessions

BEADED GODDESS BROOCH..... \$55

Learn the basics of bead embroidery in a small project. Bring any special charms or broken jewelry bits to add to your personal project. All supplies provided.

Ages: **14** to adult, Two **3-hr** sessions

BEAD EMBROIDERED ZIPPER CUFF.....\$60

No beading experience necessary. You will learn the basics of beading on fabric and create a stiff cuff bracelet embellished with your own beads and found objects. You will create a signature piece of unique art to wear. ***Supply fee \$20.***

Ages: **14** to adult, Two **3-hour** sessions

JOURNALS FROM JUNK..... \$130

Use discarded books, papers from the recycle pile and papers we create using paint, paste and collage techniques to create a “NEW” special journal to be used for whatever you choose. Instructor will provide a selection of discarded books to dismember and a class pile of found papers will be created for all to share. We will produce sturdy, unique journals that speak of your individual style.

Ages: **10** to adult, Three **3-hour** sessions

FELTED FLOWERS..... \$40

Learn the basics of wet felting with wool and silk fibers. You will create 2- 3 felted flowers that can become pins or décor for clothing. Supplies provided by instructor. This is a great class for mother / daughter pairs or any child who enjoys working with a significant adult!!

2½ hr class (see class sample available at Artful Dimensions)

WET FELTING BASICS..... \$90

You will learn all of the basics of wet felting with wool. We will explore many design possibilities and the use of all sorts of fibers. You will create a collage piece large enough to become a pillow or hanging art piece. (See class sample available at Artful Dimensions)

One 4-hr class
Supplies provided by instructor.
Open to students age 10 (working with an adult) to adult

Weaving

Diane Kowalski

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BEGINNING WEAVING\$225

In this beginning weaving class you will learn basic weaving techniques, how to plan a project and calculate yarn requirements. You will learn the parts of a loom, how to read a draft and do a basic drawdown. You should be able to complete one sampler (or mug rugs) and a project of your choice. If time and interest permit you will have the opportunity to use a computer based design program. Students will be able to use one of my looms for the class, yarn will be provided for the sampler.

Ages: 16 and up

Six 3-hr classes

UNDERSTANDING DRAFTS AND HOW TO DRAW A DRAWDOWN\$36.00

In this class we will review the parts of a draft (threading, lift plan, or tie up and treadling, and drawdowns). We will use pencil and graph paper to work out several different drawdowns and then try our hand at designing on the computer using PCW Fiberworks. Profile drafts will be explained and a drawdown of a block weave will be made.

One 3-hr class (maximum 4 students)