Class Catalog: Spring 2025 at Old Town Artisan Studios

Please review the individual flyers below for full details and dates.

YOUTH (4-week sessions)

Youth Digital Dynamic Anatomy (Ages 12 to 18): Mondays @ 3:30pm - 5:00pm\$135
Youth Digital Character Creation (Ages 12 to 18): Tuesdays @ 3:30pm - 5:00pmFREE
Youth Digital Comic Book Creation -Sessions 1 & 3 (Ages 12 to 18): Thursdays @ 3:30pm - 5:00pm\$135
Youth Digital World Building Basics - Session 2 & 4 (Ages 12 to 18): Thursdays @ 3:30pm - 5:00pm\$135
Youth Intro to Ceramics (Ages 7 to 15): Tuesdays @ 3:30pm - 5:00pm \$150
Youth Pottery Wheel (Ages 10 to 15): Wednesdays @ 3:30pm - 5:00pm\$150

Before you register for a class, please review all studio policies and procedures found on our <u>website</u>. For questions, please call us at (760) 777-1444.



Youth - Digital Art Dynamic Anatomy





Discover the art of the human form with Dynamic Anatomy, specially designed for students 12–18. Through four comprehensive classes, students will build a solid foundation in figure drawing for cartoons, comics, animation, and manga. They will explore essential techniques such as shapes, proportions, and gesture drawing. Students will delve into muscular anatomy and how to exaggerate proportions to reach their desired outcome in a variety of styles. As they progress, students will learn to capture motion with dynamic action poses, understand the nuances of drapery and apply advanced techniques like foreshortening and shading to add depth to their characters. The final class culminates in a portfolio review, showcasing their newfound skills and artistic growth!

Class size is limited to 8. Instructor: Andy Taylor MONDAYS 3:30pm – 5:00pm

Session 1: December 30, January 6, 13 & 20 Session 2: January 27, February 3, 10 & 24* * (No Class February 17) Session 3: March 3, 10, 17 & 24 Session 4: March 31, April 7, 14 & 21

\$135 for 4 week session - includes all materials

Cancellations must be done at least 2 weeks prior to the first day of class in order to receive a full refund.





Youth – Digital Art Character Creation



Our newest class and FREE for all! Character Creation is an immersive methods and materials class that introduces students to the world of digital art. Through a combination of theory and hands-on practice, aspiring artists will learn how to bring their original characters to life. The course covers the entire creative process, from initial concept sketches to final print-ready artwork. By the end of this course, students will have a portfolio piece of original character artwork ready for publication. Whether they aspire to create comic book heroes, fantasy creatures, sci-fi protagonists, or the next animated hit, this course introduces students to the skills needed to succeed in the competitive world of professional illustration.

Class size is limited to 8.

Instructor: Andy Taylor

TUESDAYS 3:30pm – 5:00pm

Session 1: December 31, January 7, 14 & 21 Session 2: January 28, February 4, 11 & 18 Session 3: February 25, March 4, 11 & 18 Session 4: March 25, April 1, 8 & 15

Plans changed? If you register for this class and need to cancel, please contact us so another student may take your seat. Thank you!



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FREE for 4-week session!

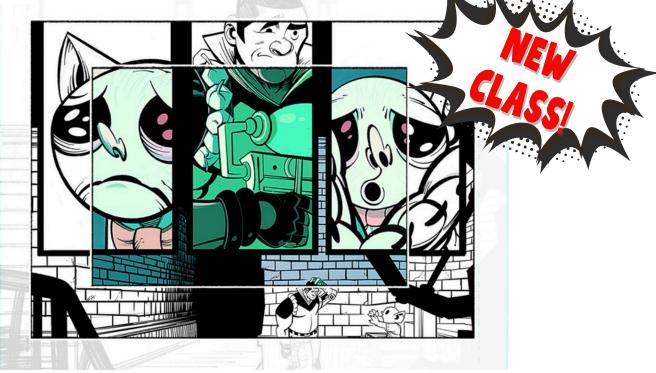
Ages 12 to 18

Students MUST register to reserve their seat.

Thanks to generous funding from community partners, OTAS is able to offer this class for FREE! Even though it is free, we ask that those who register **please attend all 4 classes.**



Youth – Digital Art Ages 12 to 18 Comic Book Creation



Welcome to the world of comic book creation with our four-week course designed for young artists! This class will guide students through every step of the comic book process. Beginning with writing a page of script using professional methods and formatting, students will learn to pencil, ink, and color their own comic book page. Through hands-on activities and expert instruction, students will develop their artistic skills and bring their ideas to life. Complete with vibrant characters, dynamic pacing and engaging narratives. This class not only fosters creativity and storytelling but also provides a solid foundation in comic book artistry. Join us and let your imagination soar!

Class size is limited to 8. Instructor: Andy Taylor

THURSDAYS 3:30pm - 5:00pm

Session 1: January 2, 9, 16 & 23 Session 3: February 27, March 6, 13 & 20

\$135 for 4 week session - includes all materials

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Youth – Digital Art World Building Basics

Ages 12 to 18



Embark on a journey through the realms of digital art with our World Building class designed for aspiring young artists. Over four immersive classes, students will be introduced to perspective with architectural drawing while exploring the intricacies of creating believable worlds for their illustrations. By the end of the course, students will have created a background image of their own design, blending imaginative concepts with technical drawing skills. This hands-on experience will not only enhance their artistic abilities but also stimulate creative thinking, empowering them to bring their fantastical worlds to life.

Class size is limited to 8. Instructor: Andy Taylor

TUESDAYS 3:30pm - 5:00pm

Session 2: January 30, February 6, 13 & 20 Session 4: March 27, April 3, 10 & 17

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Youth Introduction to Ceramics

Ages 7 to 15

Intro to Ceramics is an introductory handbuilding class in which you learn all about techniques and tools. Students will be creating, by hand, functional ceramic pieces from start to finish with the guidance of an instructor. Learning to build with tools in the studio other than the wheel is key to understanding the art of clay. Students will get to explore the various capabilities of the slab roller, extruder, and numerous hand tools, all of which provide an excellent foundation for other ceramic disciplines.

Class size is limited to 8. Instructor: Colby Cramer

TUESDAYS 3:30pm – 5:00pm

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\$150 for 4 week session. Includes all materials and firing costs.

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Youth Pottery Wheel

Ages 10 to 15

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The pottery wheel is a rather exciting and challenging tool in the world of ceramics! Explore the art of throwing clay on the pottery wheel as you learn to craft one-of-akind pieces from start to finish. Students will learn the basics and beyond, including clay preparation, proper body positioning, centering, pulling walls, shaping, trimming, and glazing.

Class size is limited to 8. Instructor: Colby Cramer

WEDNESDAYS 3:30pm – 5:00pm

Session 1: January 8, 15, 22 & 29 Session 2: February 5, 12, 19 & 26 Session 3: March 5, 12, 19 & 26 Session 4: April 2, 9, 16 & 23

\$150 for 4 week session. Includes all materials and firing costs.

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