

Private Art Lessons (Age: 10 & up)

Private Art lessons consist of a total of 6 hours of private instruction per course session spread throughout four 1.5 hour sessions. Enjoy one-on-one instruction with our award winning art instructor in our newly renovated art room. These lessons are geared for the beginner or for those with minimal experience. Relax and work stress free at your own pace. Choose from one of the following sessions: Learn to Draw, Beginning Acrylic Painting, Introduction to Watercolor, Abstract Acrylic Painting, and Easy Portrait Drawing. Canvases are required for the Beginning Acrylic Painting & Abstract Acrylic Painting sessions. Canvases can be purchased at the Oak View front desk during operating hours, or students can bring their own to their lessons. Sessions are individually arranged with the instructor. Participants that are interested in these private art lessons must fill out a request form at the Oak View Center. Our art instructor will contact you and set-up a schedule for your lessons after the request is received. If you have any questions or would like more information about our new private art lessons, please contact the Oak View Center at 708-857-2200. All materials will be provided, except for canvases. [PDNA](#) (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Laurie Snaer

Res/NR: \$175

Homeschool Art (Age: 6 & up)

Enroll now in our art program designed for the home school student, taught by a 20 yr. veteran of home schooling. Students will be notified ahead of time if/when they will need to purchase a canvas- this is the only supply not included in the cost of our program. Our projects will range from learning basic (and advanced) drawing elements to self-designed compositions. Mediums and topics to be presented as time will allow include: graphite drawing, colored pencils, charcoal, pen & ink, pastels, collage, watercolors, perspective, composition & design elements, artistic styles, and more! Projects will be subject to age and abilities of students enrolled. All materials supplied. Projects change every session. [PDNA](#) (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Laurie Snaer

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
328211-01	F	1/17-2/21	11:30A-12:30P	\$54/\$63

Jr. Chefs (Age: 6-12)

Calling all Jr. Chefs! Don't miss this opportunity to learn how to follow recipes and master basic cooking techniques. Participants will work together to create simple appetizers and desserts! Join us for food, friends & fun! (sg)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Sue Palka

Code	Day	Dates	Time	Res/NR
326101-1	Tu	2/11-2/11	4:00-6:00P	\$22/\$27
326101-2	Tu	3/10-3/10	4:00-6:00P	\$22/\$27
326101-3	Tu	4/14-4/14	4:00-6:00P	\$22/\$27

The Complete Artist (Age: 8-16)

From paper to canvas, draw it and then see it come to life with acrylic. From paper to canvas, draw it and then see it come to life with acrylic paints. This class is fun, but designed with the serious art student in mind. Work from your own drawings, learn how to plan out a painting, select colors and balance your composition. Learn advanced composition skills to utilize in your graphic drawings & master the art of color mixing, balance, and proportion. This course is both basic and comprehensive. Students will work independently on subjects of their choice. Options will be discussed in first class. We supply all materials EXCEPT CANVASES - Students will be responsible for bringing their own canvases or purchasing one from the Oak View Center front desk during office hours when needed. [PDNA](#) (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Laurie Snaer

Code	Day	Dates	Time	Res/NR
328218-01	Tu	1/14-2/18	6:00-6:45P	\$54/\$63

Don't forget to check out all of our special events, including FREE Community Art Day, on pages 14-17!

Magic Workshop (Age: 5-12)

Children are guaranteed to have a great time as they learn a collection of fascinating and mesmerizing tricks! Amaze family and friends with tricks that involve cards, ropes, coins, mind-reading and more. While the tricks may appear to be difficult, you'll discover that they are quick to learn and easy to perform. All materials will be provided and each child will receive a magic kit to take home. Children will be grouped by age and will learn age appropriate tricks. Each workshop features brand new tricks. [PDNA](#) (sg)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Magic Team of Gary Kantor

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
326501-1	Tu	2/11-2/11	5:00-5:55P	\$21/\$21

Yoga for Kids (Age: 8-14)

This class is designed for children to learn fun yoga poses like frog, pigeon, crane, crow, duck, peacock, and many other animals! Participants will exercise by jumping from one pose to another in order to build flexibility, strength, and balance. Your child will learn how to relax and let go of tension caused by daily life stresses. After a fun and vigorous workout, your child will cool down at the end of class so that they are calm and ready for the rest of their day! Please bring a yoga mat to class. (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Marion Hunt

Code	Days	Date	Time	Res/NR
307231-01	Sa	1/11-3/21	11:00A-12:00P	\$63/\$74

Chess Wizards (Age: 5-13)

Join Chess Wizards, one of the nation's premier chess education companies. Our interactive, discovery-based curriculum inspires students to think ahead, visualize their goals, treat others with respect and to learn from mistakes. Our classes are geared to suit children of all skill levels; from chessing to checkmate artist, students will build upon their knowledge through lessons, tournaments, variation games and more! More than just a game of winning and losing, we make learning chess fun! Your brain is your superpower- are you ready to use it? [PDNA](#) (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Chess Wizards

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
326901-01	Th	1/09-3/19	4:00-5:00P	\$198/\$208

New Tradition Horseback Riding (Age: 8 & up)

Master the skill of horseback riding! Lessons will be offered in cooperation with the New Traditions Riding Academy at Palos Hills Riding Stables. Times are arranged through the school. Riders must wear long pants, closed-toe shoes and safety helmets. Helmets are available for rental each week. Registration is required at the park district for the discounted rates. After registration is complete at the Oak Lawn Park District, call the riding school to set up lessons schedule and bring your receipt to first lesson. [PDNA](#) (sg)

Location: New Traditions Riding Academy at Palos Hills Riding Stables - 10100 S. Kean Ave. Phone: 708-598-7718

Code	Day	Res/NR
526401-1	M-Su	\$210/\$210
526401-2	M-Su	\$330/\$330
526401-3	M-Su	\$240/\$240
526401-4	M-Su	\$380/\$380

THERAPEUTIC HORSEBACK RIDING - GROUP LESSONS

526401-5	M-Su	\$300/\$300
526401-6	M-Su	\$472/\$472

New! Canvases can be purchased at the Oak View Center for all Art classes. We have 2 sizes available. 11x14 canvases will be available for \$5, and 16x20 canvases will be \$7. Please note: Canvases can only be purchased during Oak View front desk office hours.

Mindful Meditation Art (Age: 14 & up)

For some, traditional meditation can be a challenge. In these sessions, we will combine Art with focused breathing, relaxation, and stress-free art activities. This is known as proactive meditation. Students can choose from pre-printed designs, draw their own, or choose a simple drawing task to complete each week. Our weekly practice will include: learning relaxation techniques, focused breathing, and brief centering/visualization techniques while you work on the project of your choosing. These classes are taught by our Meditation/Art instructor, and will take place in the Art Room. All art and meditation materials will be provided. No previous experience required. PDNA (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Laurie Snaer

Code	Days	Date	Time	Res/NR
328235-01	Tu	1/14-2/18	6:45-7:30P	\$35/\$45

Amazing Art Club (Age: 5-7)

Art club for our younger artists! Spend the entire fall season discovering the amazing and fun things art has to offer! This club is designed for enthusiastic young artists, who would like to experience different mediums such as paint, graphite, charcoal, colored pencils, markers, pastels, and collage to create our favorite things in art. Everyone will have fun learning about art techniques through hands-on experience. Dress for active art. All materials supplied. PDNA (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Laurie Snaer

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
328230-01	Th	1/16-2/20	5:15-6:00P	\$54/\$63

Watercolor Pencil Painting (Age: 7 & up)

Kid's love painting with watercolor color pencils! They are easy to use and allow artists to create brilliant colorful watercolor paintings. Students will learn the do's and don'ts of watercolors and how to transfer designs. Everyone will be painting with ease and confidence in no time! Original drawings and compositions are encouraged once students have a grasp of the medium. PDNA (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Laurie Snaer

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
328238-01	Tu	1/14-2/18	5:15-6:00P	\$54/\$63

Learn To Draw- Everything! (Age: 8-16)

Graphite, Charcoal & Colored Pencils. Is drawing "your thing"? Do you want to really expand your knowledge and advance your skills? This class is fun, but also designed with the serious art student in mind. Learn basic/advanced composition skills to utilize in your drawings. Expand your knowledge of balance and proportion. Explore how to work in colored pencils, and try combining graphite & charcoal. This course is both basic and comprehensive, with mini-lectures, demonstrations, and student projects. Students will work independently on subjects and mediums of their choice. Options will be discussed in first class. We supply all materials. PDNA (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Laurie Snaer

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
328227-01	Th	1/16-2/20	6:00-6:45P	\$54/\$63

Check out our new art & craft birthday parties on page 9!

Creepy & Interesting Creatures w/ Mrs. Sue (Age: 5-10)

Winter Theme will be "North America's Most Fearsome Predators." Interested in bugs and animals? Ones that look scary, or creepy, or even gross? Then join Mrs. Sue for one or all of these fun, new classes that explore some of nature's creepy and interesting creatures! Let your child discover the unexpected pleasure of exploring nature thru observation time, crafts, experiments, and games. These programs designed especially for kids are guaranteed to open your little one's eyes to the beauty of nature and inspire them to become nature explorers by introducing them to a new nature theme each class! A snack will be served each class. **New this winter- Join us for a family nature walk at Wolfe Wildlife Refuge. Parents, grandparents, and siblings are all welcome to join our class on 3/13.** PDNA (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Sue Palka

Code	Days	Date	Time	Res/NR	Theme
327201-01	F	1/10	4:00-6:00P	\$17/\$21	Bears
327201-02	F	1/17	4:00-6:00P	\$17/\$21	Badgers/Wolverines
327201-03	F	1/31	4:00-6:00P	\$17/\$21	Bobcats
327201-04	F	2/14	4:00-6:00P	\$17/\$21	Coyotes/Wolves
327201-05	F	2/28	4:00-6:00P	\$17/\$21	Great White Sharks
327201-06	F	3/13	4:00-6:00P	\$17/\$21	Family Nature Walk
327201-07	F	1/10-3/13	4:00-6:00P	\$82/\$101	All Season Discount

Youth Spanish (Age: 6-11)

Learning a second language can open a world of possibilities for your child. In this class, students will learn Spanish conversation and some Spanish grammar, reading, and writing skills through interactive and engaging activities. Each session covers new material! **No class 2/17 & 3/02.** PDNA (sg)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Language In Action, INC

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
326605-1	M	1/27-3/16	6:50-7:45P	\$86/\$86

Draw, Paint & Create (Age: 5-7)

For our younger aspiring artist! Learn the basics of how to draw, paint, and create works of art! Our subjects will be animals, flowers, insects, and more. Begin to learn terminology and techniques. Students will be given step-by-step instruction in a group setting. Everyone is encouraged to expand on the central theme and complete their work with individual ideas. Introduce your child to art in a positive, non-competitive environment. All materials supplied. PDNA (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Laurie Snaer

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
328208-01	W	1/15-2/19	5:30-6:15P	\$54/\$63

Family Jungshin Fitness (Age: 8 & up)

Parent/Grandparent/Guardian & Child Class. Do you want to work out with your family members? Well now is the chance to share the physical and mental health benefits of Jungshin Fitness with one of your family members. This class is for all participants that want to have fun, get physically fit, and become a warrior of life! A wooden sword is utilized (Nerf sword for younger participants) as our momentum tool to provide a great workout. Each strike, stance, and block will build your upper body and strengthen your legs in this fun and unique class. Only one registration required per household (2 family members per registration). (ms)

Location: Oak View Center

Instructor: Marion Hunt

Code	Day	Date	Time	Res/NR
307242-01	F	1/10-3/20	7:10-8:00P	\$63/\$74
307242-02	Su	1/12-3/22	2:15-3:05P	\$63/\$74