



ProjectArt Classes at the Avondale Library

Description

ProjectArt's free classes continue through May at the Avondale Branch Library. Local, professional artists teach classes aligned with the National Arts Education Association standards and are informed by the teaching artist's personal artistic practice. ProjectArt courses are fun and imaginative, cultivate a love of learning and take place on Wednesdays and Thursdays, from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

ProjectArt classes, designed for youth 8-18 are led by Dutana Dago. She is a Cincinnati-based and Minneapolis-raised artist. Dago's work is not only a form of resistance but also of acceptance. Her work is culturally and socially connected to Black identity. She aims to celebrate while simultaneously confronting the conversations surrounding Black erasure, identity, race and gender. As part of this, Dago advocates for Black creativity to be recognized in the contemporary world, shifting the gaze of what and who an artist can be.

Materials for ProjectArt are provided for all students, and enrollment is ongoing throughout the year. **Registration is required in advance, and space is limited.**

To participate, all youth MUST register at [ProjectArt Cincinnati – AfterSchool HQ](#).

[Sign up today to attend free weekly classes at ProjectArt.](#)

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Spring Semester Calendar 2024

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| January | Week 16 | January 8 - January 14 |
| | Week 17 | January 15 - January 21 |
| | Week 18 | January 22 - January 28 |
| | Week 19 | January 29 - February 4 |
| February | Week 20 | February 5 - February 11 |
| | Week 21 | February 12- February 18 |
| | Midwinter Recess Week 22 | February 19 - February 25 |
| | Week 23 | February 26 - March 3 |
| March | Week 24 | March 4 - March 10 |
| | Week 25 | March 11 - March 17 |
| | Week 26 | March 18 - March 24 |
| | Spring Recess Week 27 | March 25 - March 31 |
| April | Week 28 | April 1 - April 7 |
| | Week 29 | April 8 - April 14 |
| | Spring Student Evaluations Week 30 | April 15 - April 21 |
| | Week 31 | April 22 - April 28 |
| | Week 32 | April 29 - May 5 |
| May | Week 33 | May 6 - May 12 |
| | Week 34 | May 13 - May 19 |
| | Student Exhibitions - Program Final Week Week 35 | May 20 - May 26 |

Note: White font indicates weeks wherein no classes take place

In honor of Earth Day, which falls on April 22, The Avondale Branch is also hosting [Earth Day Watch: Ferngully](#). Celebrate Earth and Arbor Day with a viewing of the animated classic, Ferngully: The Last Rainforest. Watch, snack, craft, and discuss with library staff and friends! The event takes place Friday, April 26, from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. [Click here for more information](#).

[Click here to see other upcoming events and activities at the Avondale, St. Bernard and Norwood Branches.](#)

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