EDLC Arts Programme for Adults & Children
September 2019 - June 2020
About our tutors

EDLC Trust supports local & national artists through the offer of employment opportunities as part of the Arts & Events Service.

The Get Creative Programme works with a wide range of highly qualified Visual Arts tutors. All of our tutors are specialists in their fields, spanning textiles, print, drawing, painting, ceramics & sculpture. Some live and work within East Dunbartonshire and the Greater Glasgow Area. Our tutor team is degree qualified.

They exhibit in local & national galleries and their work features in public and private collections around the world. They look forward to sharing their skills and experience with participants in East Dunbartonshire.

Throughout this programme we will be profiling individual tutors and their work to highlight the excellent quality of artistic talent that delivers the Get Creative Programme and the high standard of teaching that participants who join our courses will experience throughout the year.

Gillian Price Arts & Events Officer

Adult Autumn Programme: Term 1 (Sept – Dec)

Kirkintilloch Town Hall

TEXTILES: Weaving the Basics

Venue: Kirkintilloch Town Hall (Learning Space)
Tutor: Amy Bond
Date/s: Monday 23 Sept
Time: 10am – 4pm
Fee: £25
Age range: 16+ years

Come and join Amy, our weaver for the day. A full day of learning techniques, terminology while being surrounded by Kirkintilloch’s industrial heritage. This one day course will explore experimenting with colour and texture. A relaxed pace with step by step guidance full of chatting, weaving and being creative. Limited places so be sure not to miss out.

Level 1
DRAWING FOR BEGINNERS: The Basics

Venue: Kirkintilloch Town Hall (Learning Space)
Tutor: Mark Mulholland
Date/s: Mondays 21 Oct – 9 Dec
Time: 6.30 – 8.30pm
Fee: £64
Age range: 16+ years

The combination of patient tuition of traditional and not so traditional drawing skills, demonstrations and the opportunity to experiment makes this class ideal for absolute beginners. There will be step by step introduction to those who are just starting out. So if you have never tried drawing before, don’t worry you will soon be sketching and experimenting. Gain the confidence to really enjoy drawing and find out what areas you want to investigate further. This course will lead you gently in a relaxed environment, working at your own pace, in a small friendly class.

Level 1

Kilmardinny Arts Centre

CREATIVE PAINTING: Water Based Painting
(Watercolour/Acrylic/Gouache)

Venue: Kilmardinny Arts Centre
Tutor: Iona Montgomery RSW
Date/s: Wednesdays 2 Oct – 4 Dec
OR
Thursdays 3 Oct – 5 Dec
Time: Wednesdays 1 – 3pm & Thursdays 1.30 – 3.30pm
Fee: £80
Age range: 16+ years

Suitable for students of all abilities who would like to develop their own painting style through the use of these most varied and expressive materials, including watercolour, gouache and acrylic. Through talks and demonstrations a wide variety of techniques, approaches and subject matter will be covered – both traditional and experimental - from ‘wet on wet’, ‘impasto’ and much in between. Though benefitting from a friendly group environment the emphasis is very much on the development of each student’s individual creativity.

Level 1-3
Lillie Art Gallery

DRAWING & PAINTING: Mixed Ability

Venue: Lillie Art Gallery
Tutor: Lesley Smith
Date/s: Wednesdays 2 Oct – 11 Dec (Holiday 16 Oct)
Time: 10am – 12noon
Fee: £80
Age range: 16+ years

Learn to develop your drawing and painting skills in a relaxed and friendly environment. This is a mixed ability leisure class with instruction tailored to suit individual needs and abilities. Directed exercises and demos exploring different techniques, themes and approaches will be offered for those who wish to deepen their understanding and learning or who just wish to ‘have a go.’ Being a leisure class, exercises will be offered on a completely ‘opt in’ or ‘opt out’ basis thus allowing plenty scope for participants to pursue their own work if they so wish. Students will be encouraged to think independently and to source their own references based on their preferences. Regular students who have attended the class previously and those who are advanced in their skills will be encouraged to consolidate previous learning and to continue to develop their own style. Emphasis will be placed on individuality of approach and expression. Guidance and advice will be given throughout.

Students will be encouraged to evaluate their own work constructively based on their learning and understanding. You will be encouraged to develop your own style and to embrace the social benefits of enjoying shared interests in art within a social setting and mutually supportive environment.

This course is focused on a social and communal structure rather than a series of progressive tutorials.

Level 1-3

CERAMICS: Thursday Night Throw Down

Venue: Kilmardinny Arts Centre
Tutor: Meredith Crone
Date/s: Thursdays 31 Oct – 5 Dec
Time: 6.30 – 9pm
Fee/cost: £90
Age range: 16+ years

Working in the historic setting of Kilmardinny House, be inspired by examples of ceramics from different cultures, while getting messy in studio 1. Each student will be given the opportunity to learn the basics of throwing and to explore scale, texture and glazes within a small class. You’ll be supported by our experienced tutor to guide you through each stage.

Pieces will be fired by the course tutor and returned for collection at the end of each course block.

Firing of pieces is included in the price.

All materials provided – Each student will aim to produce two finished pieces.

No experience necessary

Suitable for beginners and more experienced students.
**DRAWING:** Mark Making Mondays

**Venue:** Lillie Art Gallery
**Date/s:** Mondays 21 Oct, 4 & 18 Nov
**Time:** 11am – 1pm
**Fee/cost:** £8 each
**Age range:** 16+ years

Why not try something new? Mark making is a great way to build confidence and break free from the constraints of traditional techniques and mediums. Your tutor will introduce you to experimental techniques that all artists use to get over those hard days of staring at a blank page. Sometimes you just have to make a mess and work through it to come out the other side feeling a little more relaxed and confident about your abilities. The gallery is closed so use this opportunity to look closely and discuss the importance of mark making within drawing & painting.

**All materials provided. No experience necessary.**

Suitable for beginners and more experienced students wishing to try something different.

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**CERAMICS:** Pottering Around

**Venue:** The Barony Chambers, Auld Kirk Museum, Kirkintilloch
**Tutor:** Meredith Crone
**Date/s:** Fridays 13, 20 Sept & 4 -25 Oct & Fridays 15 Nov – 20 Dec
**Time:** 10.30am – 12.30pm & 2 – 4pm
**Fee/cost:** £72 each block
**Age range:** 16+ years

A wonderful course in the relaxing and friendly setting of The Barony Chambers (Auld Kirk Museum).

Learn traditional skills in the very basics of clay, slip and glazes. Learn the importance of colour and texture with the help and support of our experienced tutor. Students’ pieces will be fired by the course tutor and returned for collection at the end of each course block. Firing of pieces is included in the price.

**All materials provided.** If you wish additional clay or glazes for your own use this can be discussed and paid as an additional cost via course tutor.

**No experience necessary**

Suitable for beginners and more experienced students.
ARTIST TALK: Masterclass in Portrait Painting

Venue: The Barony Chambers, Auld Kirk Museum, Kirkintilloch
Tutor: Mark Mulholland
Date/s: Friday 27 Sept
Time: 2 – 4pm
Fee: £5
Age range: 16+ years

Artist Mark Mulholland will talk you through his own approach to painting and how he developed his own style and career. A great opportunity to ask questions and be inspired to be brave with your painting or even take up portrait painting.

Mark’s artwork is held in private collections in the UK, Ireland, Italy, Germany and USA.

Level ALL

PAINTING: Portrait Painting - In oils or acrylics

Venue: The Barony Chambers, Auld Kirk Museum, Kirkintilloch
Tutor: Mark Mulholland
Date/s: Friday 8 Nov
Time: 10am – 4pm
Fee: £30
Age range: 16+ years

Do you like painting in oils or acrylics? Are you nervous of portraits? Yes to one or both of these questions?

This might just be the course for you. Why not spend the day focusing on your painting skills coupled with developing and improving your confidence in portraits. Benefit from a great step by step guide with our highly experienced tutor who will steer you through the key points to help build your confidence.

See term one for course details
Level 1-3
TEXTILES: Weaving – Wall Hanging

Venue: Kirkintilloch Town Hall (Learning Space)
Tutor: Amy Bond
Date/s: Mon 10 & Tues 11 Feb
Time: 10am - 4pm
Fee: £50
Age range: 16+ years

Come and join Amy, our weaver for this wonderful short course. This two day course will allow students time and space to explore colour and texture to help produce a wonderful small wall hanging to take home at the end of the course. Each student will learn the importance of colour theory as part of the creative process.

All materials & equipment provided.
Please bring an image/photo/object to help you be inspired for your unique colour palette.

Level 1-2
Lillie Art Gallery

**Drawing:** Life Drawing

**Venue:** Lillie Art Gallery  
**Tutor:** Sharon Goodlet  
**Date/s:** Mondays 13, 27 Jan & 10 Feb  
**Time:** 10am – 4pm  
**Fee:** £93  
**Age range:** 16+ years

This short course will help any student wanting to expand their knowledge and confidence in drawing of the human figure. Looking at proportion, tone and developing personal style. Work with our tutor through examples and benefit from one on one tuition to gain confidence to be bold in your style and approach. Make sure to book this course as a New Year resolution to try something new!

**Level 1-3**

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**DRAWING & PAINTING:** Mixed Ability

**Venue:** Lillie Art Gallery  
**Tutor:** Lesley Smith  
**Date/s:** Wednesdays 8 Jan – 12 Mar  
**Time:** 10am – 12noon  
**Fee:** £80  
**Age range:** 16+ years

See term one for course details

**Level 1-3**
Kilmardinny Arts Centre

CREATIVE PAINTING:
Water Based Painting (Watercolour/Acrylic/Gouache)

Venue: Kilmardinny Arts Centre
Date/s: Wednesdays 8 Jan – 11 Mar & Thursdays 9 Jan – 12 Mar
Time: Wednesdays 1 – 3pm & Thursdays 1.30 – 3.30pm
Fee: £80
Age range: 16+ years

See term one for course details

CERAMICS: Thursday Night Throw Down

Venue: Kilmardinny Arts Centre
Date/s: Thursdays 20 Feb – 26 Mar
Time: 6.30 – 9pm
Fee/cost: £90
Age range: 16+ years

See term one for course details

SCULPTURE/CASTING: Head Sculpting

Venue: Kilmardinny Arts Centre
Tutor: Mark Mulholland
Date/s: Tuesdays 28 Jan – 31 Mar
Time: 6.30 – 8.30pm
Fee: £100
Age range: 16+ years

A totally new course to the Get Creative Programme. A course that explores skills in both clay work, observational skills and casting. This really is a new year new you course! Work with our very experienced tutor who has worked in Italy. You will learn the three dimensional skills of clay and transferring your finished pieces into plaster.

All materials provided

Level 1-2
The Barony Chambers, Kirkintilloch

CERAMICS: Pottering Around

Venue: The Barony Chambers, Auld Kirk Museum, Kirkintilloch
Date/s: Fridays 10 Jan – 14 Feb
Time: 10.30am – 12.30pm & 2 – 4pm
Fee/cost: £72
Age range: 16+ years

Firing of pieces is included in the price.

All materials provided – If you wish additional clay or glazes for your own use this can be discussed and paid as an additional cost via course tutor.

No experience necessary

Suitable for beginners and more experienced students.

Adult Autumn Programme: Term 3 (Sept – Dec)

Kirkintilloch Town Hall

DRAWING FOR BEGINNERS: The Basics +

Venue: Kirkintilloch Town Hall (Learning Space)
Date/s: Mondays 4 – 18 May & 1 June
Time: 6.30 – 8.30pm
Fee: £64
Age range: 16+ years

The combination of patient tuition of traditional and not so traditional drawing skills, demonstrations and the opportunity to experiment makes this class ideal for absolute beginners. There will be step by step introduction to those who are just starting out. So if you have never tried drawing before, don’t worry you will soon be sketching and experimenting. Gain the confidence to really enjoy drawing and find out what areas you want to investigate further. This course will lead you gently in a relaxed environment, working at your own pace, in a small friendly class. Both returning and new students welcome to term two.

Level 1
TEXTILES: Weaving

Venue: Kirkintilloch Town Hall (Learning Space)
Tutor: Amy Bond
Date/s: Mon 15 - Wed 17 June
Time: 10am – 4pm
Fee: £75
Age range: 16+ years

Come and join Amy, our weaver tutor. This is the longest of our courses this year so if you have attended any of the previous courses (Sept or Feb). Each student will work with Amy to develop an individual project, to allow everyone to explore their strengths and interests. Limited places so be sure not to miss out.

Kilmardinny Arts Centre

CREATIVE PAINTING:
Water Based Painting (Watercolour/Acrylic/Gouache)

Venue: Kilmardinny Arts Centre
Tutor: Iona Montgomery RSW
Date/s: Thursdays 7 May – 28 May
Time: 1.30 – 3.30pm
Fee: £34
Age range: 16+ years
Level 1-3

TEXTILES: Print and Make Your Own Lampshade

Learn how to create your own repeat design to block print onto fabric and then how to use this to make two 20cm lampshades. During this two day course, students will learn how to design their own half drop repeat pattern, transfer and cut their own design onto a lino block and how to print the final pattern onto lengths of fabric. They will then go on to use the hand printed fabrics to create two unique lampshades. A wonderful step by step course filled with supported learning by our experienced textile tutor.

Venue: Kilmardinny Arts Centre
Tutor: Meg Held
Date/s: Thursday 14 & Friday 15 May
Time: 10am – 4pm
Fee: £65
Age range: 16+ years
Level 1-3
Lillie Art Gallery

**DRAWING & PAINTING:** Mixed Ability

**Venue:** Lillie Art Gallery  
**Tutor:** Lesley Smith  
**Date/s:** Wednesdays 6 May – 27 May  
**Time:** 10am – 12noon  
**Fee:** £34  
**Age range:** 16+ years

See term one for course details

*Level 1-3*

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The Barony Chambers, Kirkintilloch

**CERAMICS:** Pottering Around

**Venue:** The Barony Chambers, Auld Kirk Museum, Kirkintilloch  
**Tutor:** Meredith Crone  
**Date/s:** Fridays 24 Apr, 8 – 22 May, 5 -12 Jun (6 week course)  
**Time:** 10.30am – 12.30pm or 2 – 4pm  
**Fee/cost:** £72  
**Age range:** 16+ years

Firing of pieces is included in the price.

All materials provided. If you wish additional clay or glazes for your own use this can be discussed and paid as an additional cost via course tutor.

No experience necessary  
Suitable for beginners and more experienced students.

Materials lists will be issued one week before course start date. Please ensure you have provided us with an email address to carry this out.

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Children & Young People’s **Autumn** programme: term 1

**ART IN MUSEUM:** Saturday smART

**Venue:** The Barony Chambers – Auld Kirk Museum  
**Date/s:** Saturdays 5 Oct – 21 Dec (Holidays 12 Oct & 2 Nov)  
**Time:** 11am - 1pm or 2 - 4pm  
**Fee/cost:** £65 per 10 weeks  
**Age range:** 7-11 years

Do you like drawing, painting and making things? If you can say yes to any of these questions, then Saturday smART is for you! smART will take you on a journey about ideas, art, materials and objects. Work with our real life artists every week and create some awesome artworks.

No experience necessary  
Please bring a healthy snack for break.
ART IN GALLERY: Saturday smART

Venue: Lillie Art Gallery
Date/s: Saturdays 5 Oct – 21st Dec
(Holidays 12 Oct & 9 Nov)
Time: 10am – 12noon
Fee/cost: £65 per 10 weeks
Age range: 7-11 years + 12years+

Why not be a part of history? One of the longest (if not the longest) running young people’s Saturday art classes in the country. A wonderful experience to be inspired by your surroundings of the gallery. You better be quick in securing your place for fun and creativity!

No experience necessary.
Please bring a healthy snack for break.

ART IN LIBRARY: Saturday smART

Venue: Bishopbriggs Library (Event Room)
Date/s: Saturdays 19 Oct – 21 Dec
Time: 2 – 4pm
Fee/cost: £65 per 10 weeks
Age range: 7-11 years

That’s right, we messy creatives are taking over the lovely Bishopbriggs Library on Saturday afternoons. Come along and try lots of different types of drawing, animation and 3D designing. If you love doodling, sketching and making then this is where you need to be on Saturdays.

No experience necessary.
Please bring a healthy snack for break.

Art work will be selected to be part of East Dunbartonshire Young People’s Exhibition in the Lillie Art Gallery - a showcase of art & design work from all our weekend courses throughout the authority.
Children & Young People’s Winter Programme: Term 2

**ART IN MUSEUM:** Saturday smART

**Venue:** The Barony Chambers – Auld Kirk Museum  
**Date/s:** Saturdays 11 Jan – 14 Mar  
**Time:** 11am - 1pm or 2 – 4pm  
**Fee/cost:** £65 per 10 weeks  
**Age range:** 7-11 years  

No experience necessary.  
Please bring a healthy snack for break.

**ART IN GALLERY:** Saturday smART

**Venue:** Lillie Art Gallery  
**Date/s:** Saturdays 11 Jan – 14 Mar  
**Time:** 10am – 12noon  
**Fee/cost:** £65 per 10 weeks  
**Age range:** 7-11 years + 12years+  

No experience necessary.  
Please bring a healthy snack for break.

**ART IN LIBRARY:** Saturday smART

**Venue:** Bishopbriggs Library (Event Room)  
**Date/s:** Saturdays 11 Jan – 14 Mar  
**Time:** 2 – 4pm  
**Fee/cost:** £65 per 10 weeks  
**Age range:** 7-11 years  

No experience necessary.  
Please bring a healthy snack for break.
**NEW EXTRA TERM!**

**ART IN MUSEUM:** Saturday smART

**Venue:** The Barony Chambers – Auld Kirk Museum

**Date/s:** Saturdays 9 May - 20 June (Holiday 23 May)

**Time:** 11am - 1pm or 2 – 4pm

**Fee/cost:** £40 per 6 weeks

**Age range:** 7-11 years

No experience necessary

Please bring a healthy snack for break.

**ART IN GALLERY:** Saturday smART

**Venue:** Lillie Art Gallery

**Date/s:** Saturdays 9 May - 20 June (Holiday 23 May)

**Time:** 10am – 12noon

**Fee/cost:** £40 per 6 weeks

**Age range:** 7-11 years + 12years+

No experience necessary.

Please bring a healthy snack for break.

**ART IN LIBRARY:** Saturday smART

**Venue:** Bishopbriggs Library (Event Room)

**Date/s:** Saturdays 9 May - 20 June (Holiday 23 May)

**Time:** 2 – 4pm

**Fee/cost:** £40 per 6 weeks

**Age range:** 7-11 years

No experience necessary

Please bring a healthy snack for break.
Arts Booking Information

Our centralised booking system allows you to book and pay for courses online or by phone. As always, it is advisable to book quickly to ensure your place.

Online Bookings:
There is no need to register or log in, simply proceed and book as a non-member. When you book online you will receive a confirmation email. Visit www.booking.edlc.co.uk/Horizons/culture to book 24/7.

Phone Bookings:
Tel 0141 777 3143 on Mon – Fri 9am-noon & 2pm-4pm

Payment Methods: Debit or credit card. Please have your debit or credit card ready when you go online or call to book. We accept MasterCard, Maestro, Visa and Visa Electron

Email Enquiries:
to edlct.bookings@eastdunbarton.gov.uk

Terms and Conditions:
Bookings are made on a first come, first served basis. For this reason we advise you to book quickly, to ensure your place.
GENERAL INFORMATION

Parents and carers are encouraged to join in the fun.

LIBRARY EVENTS

Parents or carers should remain with children under eight years for the duration of each activity.

Photographs may be taken as a record of events for future promotion or press and publicity. If you and/or your child do not wish to be photographed please inform staff on your arrival or time of booking.

OTHER FORMATS

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