



2017 Winter-Spring Classes & Workshops

Explore your creativity with our expert teaching artists! This winter-spring, the CAC offers a variety of classes from theater, music, fused glass, photography, yoga, acrylic painting, classical drawing and more. We have something for everyone across all ages, so join the fun! Take a look below for details on fees, schedules, class descriptions and get registered today. **Come learn and explore art with us!**

Classical Drawing |

Keith Wilson | Ages 7 - 14

Tuesdays: January 17th – February 21st

Time: 5:30—7:30pm

Children will experience an introduction to drawing fundamentals and advanced techniques, using a selection of graphite and/or charcoal pencils (with supporting tools) utilizing personal photo preferences. *Materials are provided.*

\$100.00 for (6) week session (\$90.00 CAC Member)

Paint and Sip Night Out

Adrienne Jackson | Adults Only

Fridays: Jan. 27th, Feb. 24th, March 31st and April 28th

Time: 7:00—9:00pm

Relax, relate and release while attending one or all four of these fun adult only art sessions with a twist. Students will receive instruction on developing their own painting creation that they will take home at the end of the evening. Enjoy art entertainment with family and friends over light refreshments and music. No worries, no experience or supplies are needed - just you! Minimum of (4) students needed.

\$25.00 per class (\$20.00 CAC member)

\$80.00 for all (4) classes (\$70.00 CAC member)

Intro to Oil Painting

Adrienne Jackson | Adults Only

Mondays: January 23rd – March 13th

Time: 6:00pm – 8:00pm

This course is an introduction to a more classical oil painting technique with emphasis on the fundamentals of artistic expression. Paintings will focus on still –life work as well as observational techniques that enhance the students understanding of realism. Previous painting experience not required but some experience is recommended. Minimum of (3) students needed for this class.

\$110.00 for 8 week session (\$100.00 CAC member)

Portrait Photography Workshop

Shannon Belletti | Ages 16 - Adults

Sunday: February 5th (Theme: Love is in the Air)

Sunday: March 5th (Theme: March Into Spring)

Time: 2:00 -5:00pm

Learn to take better portraits outdoors while using available natural light. A model will be provided along with hands on guidance to help you hone your posing techniques as well, based off the selected theme. **Note: Film or digital camera will be needed, SLR preferred but not required. Class will begin at the CAC and move to an off-site location. A \$5.00 parking will be required at the off –site location.**

\$35.00 per workshop (\$25.00 CAC member)

\$55.00 for both workshops (\$45.00 CAC member)

Focus on Photography

Shannon Belletti | Ages 16 - adults

Thursdays, March 16th - April 20th

Time: 6:00—8:00pm

Learn the art and science of taking great pictures through lecture and hands on practice. By the end of the session students will know how to use the SLR camera features and never use “AUTO” again. A minimum of 3 students is required for this class. **Note: Film or digital SLR camera is needed to participate in this class.**

\$120.00 for (6) week session (\$110.00 CAC Member)

New Year –New You Collage Making

Marigold Edwards | Adults Only

Saturday: January 28th

Time: 3:00 – 5:00pm

Students will develop goals for personal, family and career to create a vision board. Participants will leave the workshop with a piece of art they have created and a clear picture of what they plan on accomplishing in the months to come.

\$15.00 workshop fee

Private String Lessons

Eleanor Bennett | All ages welcomed

Mondays: January 23rd – April 24th

Ongoing monthly classes

Time range: 1:00 – 5:30pm; Slots are arranged with instructor. Please call the Arts Council for more information, 770.949.2787. Private lessons will include technique, music reading, music theory, practice and performance. Students perform in recitals at the CAC and at various events within the community.

\$100.00 a month; weekly 30 minute class (\$90.00 CAC member)

\$140.00 a month; weekly 45 minute class (\$130.00 CAC member)

\$150.00 a month; weekly 60 minute class (\$140.00 CAC member)

Little Dreamers

Courtnee Miles | Ages 4 - 10

Saturdays: January 28th – March 4th

Time: 10:00 – 11:00am (single drop in class)

11:00 – 12:00noon (six week session)

This workshop will introduce young artists to the elements of the theater through acting, character development, singing, design and team building by using their imagination and retelling popular stories. This class is a great way to develop an awareness of

personal space and to hone focus skills. *A minimum of 4 students is required for this class. Registration should be completed (3) days prior to the start of each class.*

\$25.00 per session (\$20.00 CAC member)

\$120.00 (6) week session (\$100.00 CAC member)

Yoga Under The Sun

Taylor Ferguson | Ages 15— Adults

Saturdays: April 15th - May 6th

Time: 2:30—3:30pm

Enjoy a 60 minute full body athletic yoga class outdoors while exploring many postures and fundamental principles of Vinyasa Yoga. The class will focus on use of breath while building a foundation that will ignite every muscle through movement. **Note: Comfortable work out attire and a yoga mat are required. Registration is being requested by April 1st.**

\$75 for full (4) week session (\$65 CAC member)

Fashion Design 101

Carmen LeBron | Ages: 12 –17

Saturdays: January 21st— March 4th

Time: 12:30—2:30pm

During this (7) week session students will be introduced to the world of fashion by teaching them how to create a collection and how to follow fashion trends. Students will investigate the interdisciplinary nature of drawing and painting with watercolors and design. The session will conclude with a final class fashion show. *A minimum of 4 students is required for this class.*

\$120.00 (7) week session (\$110.00 CAC member)

Intro to Fused Glass

Elizabeth Mobley | Ages: 16—Adult

Wednesdays: January 25th— February 15th

Time: 6:00—8:00pm

Students will be introduced to the world of fused glass by creating 4-5 pieces during this (4) week session. Students will use a variety of glass to create coasters, jewelry, cabochons and a plate. NOTE: All materials and firing provided. Students must wear closed in shoes.

\$120.00 (4) week session (\$110.00 CAC member)

Beginners and Beyond: Fused Glass 101

Elizabeth Mobley | Ages: 16—Adult

Wednesdays: March 15th — April 5th

Time: 6:00—8:30pm

In this 4-week class, students will learn the fundamentals of fusing glass with practicing techniques. Using a variety of glass, students will complete 5-6 pieces to include a tile, cast items using a mold, a plate and a bowl. **NOTE: Firing and materials are included within the class fee.** Students must wear closed in shoes.

\$140.00 (4) week session (\$130.00 CAC member)

Want to Teach an Arts Class?

Artists or craftspeople interested in teaching a class or workshop are encouraged to contact the Arts Council at 770-949-2787. We are interested in one-session workshops, short-term classes, and semester long classes. We are interested in theatre, dance, literary, musical, visual art and craft disciplines.

Meet Our Teaching Artists – Bio's

Shannon Belletti received her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University at Austin. Although she began her career as a graphic designer, she quickly discovered a passion for photography. She has been a professional photographer for over ten years. She has won numerous awards including “Best Photographer in Atlanta” and has photographed weddings around the world.

Eleanor Bennett has a degree in Violin Performance from Georgia State, Teaching Certification from Michigan State University, and a Masters in Music Education from Georgia State. A registered Suzuki Method teacher and a member of the Cobb Symphony Orchestra, she has performed with the Atlanta Community Orchestra just to name a few.

Marigold Edwards, is an educator from London, United Kingdom specializing in personal leadership. She motivates and inspires her class participants to excel. She graduated from two UK universities and has traveled the world helping people become their best selves.

Taylor Ferguson, holds a B.A. degree in dance education from University of South Carolina and a B.S. degree in exercise science. She has trained with The Georgia Ballet, Orlando Ballet and Dance Theatre of Harlem. She has danced professionally with Dance Canvas, Ballethnic Dance Company, Atlanta Ballet and has just recently completed her Corepower Yoga training.

Elizabeth Mobley, began making stained glass art such as panels, sun catchers and three dimensional buildings back in 2005. She describes glass as being diverse, having many methods to transform glass. She has had her work featured here at the CAC and the Spruill Center for the Arts. She has also participated in the Decatur Arts Festival, Taste of Marietta and Mable House of South Cobb Arts Alliance.

Adrienne Jackson, attended UGA to study visual arts to develop painting and foundational drawing skills. In addition she has continued her skills development through figure drawing classes and mentorships from other artists. She has been influenced by several contemporary artists, but enjoys traditional painting in oil, watercolors and ink drawings. She is excited about bringing her expertise here to the CAC this quarter.

Carmen Lebron, is a native of Puerto Rico and earned her fashion design degree at Miami International University of Art & Design. She has taught art in various art schools and centers. Her illustrations have been featured in major magazines and newspapers.

Courtnee Miles, holds a degree in broadcast journalism from Hampton University. She has written several publications and is a contributing writer for BroadwayWorld.com. She works with the Alliance Theater as a teaching artist introducing young children to the craft of acting. She has also worked with CBS Radio Atlanta and Lucky Dog Film works. She was one of the CAC's featured teachers for summer arts camp 2016.

Keith Wilson, earned his degree in Landscape Design and Fine Arts from Atlanta College of Art. Keith currently works as a Deputy Sheriff for the Fulton County Sheriff's Office and operates Lamdan Designs, an artistic services company that creates custom art products.