

# Summer Arts Academy 2022 Senior Courses (Students completing Grade 6, 7, 8)

## Senior Majors

### **Art- Citizens of the World**

Passport to Adventure: Art Around the Globe: students will be immersing ourselves into the sights, sounds and cultures of the world through art! We are going to visit North America, South America, Europe, Asia, Africa, Antarctica and Australia without any of the jet lag! Travel will facilitate cultural appreciation and awareness and help students see their world in a different way. Passport included!

### **Dance**

This class will begin with basic stretching techniques that will improve flexibility. Technique such as turns, jumps, kicks, and leaps will be practiced daily. A dance routine will be taught and performed at the end of week showcase. Students will also have time to collaborate to choreograph their own dance pieces.

### **Drama**

Develop your skills and knowledge of acting while enjoying drama activities and preparing a brief performance for the end of the week. This class is appropriate for students who have a strong interest in drama (acting) and will cover the concepts needed to prepare a solid performance.

### **Music-Senior Band**

This class is for students entering 7th, 8th, or 9th grade. Students will rehearse a variety of songs that encompass styles from classic band literature to pop tunes and will perform at the camp concert. Additionally, we will practice in small ensembles, play musical games, compose our own music and learn basic conducting skills. Students must provide their own instrument.

- Prerequisite: Students must have two years of successful experience on their instrument

### **Music- Senior Chorus**

If you love to sing then the junior chorus is the place for you! This course is an exciting opportunity for students to learn singing fundamentals and vocal technique while performing in a full chorus setting.

### **Music- Senior Orchestra**

Calling all string players! Do you play the violin, viola, cello or string bass? Join the Senior Summer Arts Academy Orchestra. The orchestra major will focus on increasing musicianship and instrumental skills. Students will learn these skills through a variety of music as well as games and musical activities. We will perform at the concert on the last day of camp. Students must provide their own instrument.

- Prerequisite: Students must have two years of successful experience on their instrument.

## Senior Morning Minors

### **Art- Recycled Sculpture**

Students will repurpose a variety of recycled materials to create unique recycled sculptures. Art can be made with just about anything

### **Dance- Poms Dance**

This class is for dancers who want to learn & improve their pom dance skills. Students will learn basic stretching techniques to improve flexibility and learn a pom routine that enhances sharp moves, kicks, and visuals.

### **Drama- Whose Line Is It Anyway?**

What happens when actors forget their lines? They IMPROVISE, of course! Students learn how to think on their feet, be a better listener, and work with others while having fun. We will learn and practice a variety of improvisation and "warm up" activities. All are welcome!

### **Music- Beginning Band**

Want to learn an instrument or switch to a new instrument next year? Students will learn the basics of how to assemble their instrument, hold their instrument, and general care of their instrument. They will also learn basic rhythm and notes to learn how to play their first tunes on their instrument. Students must provide their own instrument (woodwind, brass, percussion).

### **Music- Bucket Beats**

Have you ever wanted to bang on a bucket? Well, now you can! In this class, you will learn basic drum techniques that will not only work for playing a drum, but also for playing on plastic buckets. You will also create your own bucket drum compositions. All materials will be provided for the class.

### **Music- Guitar**

This is an introductory course for acoustic guitar. Students will learn the basics of reading guitar music through traditional notation and TAB. Students will learn to play simple melodies and as well as accompany pop songs. Guitars are available for student use or students may bring their own acoustic guitar.

## [Senior Afternoon Minors](#)

### **Art- World of Print Making**

Students will explore different printmaking methods such as stamping, block printing, calligraphy and more! We will explore some bookmaking towards the end of the week by combining all of our prints into a book to take home!

### **Drama- From Script to Stage**

Enjoy developing your basic skills and knowledge of producing drama from design to production. This class is appropriate for students with any level of drama experience and will focus on concepts such as set design, costume design, stage managing, direction, etc. All levels of artists welcome.

### **Music-Beginning Orchestra**

Want to learn an instrument or switch to a new instrument next year? Students will learn the basics of how to assemble their instrument, hold their instrument, and general care of their instrument. They will also learn basic rhythm and notes to learn how to play their first tunes on their instrument. Students must provide their own instrument (violin, viola, cello, string bass).

### **Music- Jazz Band**

Students will explore a variety of Jazz Band styles (swing, Latin, rock, blues, etc.) and learn the basics of improvisation using the blues scale. Students must provide their own instrument.

- Prerequisite: Students must have two years of successful experience on their instrument.

### **Music- Ukulele**

For those students who have never played the ukulele, this class will teach you the basics. Students learn the history of the ukulele, how to tune your ukulele, and simple melodies, chords, and strum patterns. No ukulele? No problem! CCPS will provide one for you to use at camp.