Creative Arts

- Girls & Boys
- Rising Pre-K to 9th grade
- 4 sessions, 5 days a week

July 8 – August 2, 2024
Register: greenwichacademy.org/summer
Camp GA Creative Arts offers programs in theater, visual arts, dance, play-writing, and a 3-week intensive to name a few. All levels of experience are welcome. Camper performances on Fridays!

Program dates:

- **Week 1:** July 8-12
- **Week 2:** July 15-19
- **Week 3:** July 22-26
- **Week 4:** July 29-August 2

Register now @ greenwichacademy.org/summer
For questions, contact Emily Diedrich at ediedrich@greenwichacademy.org or call 203-485-4022.

Magical Movement

This introductory dance and movement class helps foster your child’s interest in dance, while increasing coordination, concentration levels, cooperation, flexibility and ability to follow instructions. This exciting movement class incorporates the usage of imagination with movement and to learn the basic principles of dance. Classes often incorporate free movement with utilization of props and different genres of music to give children the opportunity for self-expression. Each class day will have a theme, incorporating accessible, age-appropriate ideas into their movements while also engaging in other themed creative activities. (Story time, prop-making, games, and visual art activities)

**For students:** Rising Pre-K - 2nd grade

**Tuition:** $400

**Dates & Times:**

- Week 1, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
- Week 3, 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM
- Week 4, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Music With Molly

**Instructor: Molly Murphy**

Channel your inner rockstar with Molly’s Music! In this club we will sing songs, dance and even build our own instruments, all while improving our pitch and rhythm. Students will get a chance to play basic instruments and participate in activities that build musical confidence, while also having FUN!

**For students:** Rising Pre-K - 1st grade

**Tuition:** $400

**Dates & Times:**

- Week 2, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
- Week 3, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
All Things Art (July Edition)

Instructor: Jana-Elissë Clevenger

If you love making art, looking at art, and talking about art then All Things Art is the place for you! Join us while we get creative with mixed media, crafting, and collage. Not only will we be creating our own works of art but we will also travel to see some local art exhibits that are sure to amaze and inspire us in our work. Additionally, we’ll take a virtual trip to explore the Metropolitan Museum of Art! You may just find a new art style you love or a new artist to add to your growing list of creative thinkers that influence your artistic choices. With all of that in mind come use various arts and crafts materials to explore your creative side while digging deep into all things art!

For students: Rising 2nd - 5th grade
Tuition: $400
Dates & Times:
Week 1, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Week 2, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Dance Discovery

Discover all kinds of dance in this fun and exciting class built to encourage creativity, foster a love of learning, and increase coordination, concentration levels, cooperation, and flexibility skills. Each day of class will cover a different style of dance. Basics in ballet, jazz, contemporary, and more, will be taught and practiced. All levels of dance are welcome! On the final day, the class will work on their favorite style and create their own dance piece they can share with families.

For students: Rising 2nd - 5th grade
Tuition: $400
Dates & Times:
Week 1, 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM
Week 2, 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM
Week 3, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Stories on Stage

Instructor: Monet Lewis

Do you have lots of energy or love performing for friends and family? Then Stories on Stage is the summer class for you! Participants will begin each class by playing ensemble building theater games like Zip, Zap, Zop and Strike a Pose. Students will read short stories and work together to bring the stories to life on stage. Class will end with a final production for friends and family to see. Stories on Stage is a fun way to help students improve their reading fluency, writing, listening and social skills. Hope to see you there! No acting experience required.

For students: Rising 2nd - 5th grade
Tuition: $725
Dates & Times:
Week 2, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Week 3, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Week 4, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Summer Cabaret

Instructors: Bonnie Kelley-Young & Danny Young

Summer Cabaret is a one week musical theater workshop, involving fundamental theatrical skills which include: scene work, character development and projection, Broadway genre music, simple staging and choreography, ensemble music with some solo and duo opportunities. There will be a performance at the end of week to share our work in progress with friends and family. This program offers opportunities to strengthen community skills, operative learning skills, presentation skills and confidence in public speaking. Performers will explore music and scenes from Broadway shows Seussical, Cinderella, Wicked, Matilda, Les Miserables, Lion King, The King and I and more.

For students: Rising 2nd - 5th grade
Tuition: $725
Dates & Times:
Week 1, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Acting the Song

Instructor: Erica McCants

Discover your voice! This camp will work with students on their ability to break down a song, how to pick appropriate songs, and how to make a song their own. We will work on how to apply the fundamentals of acting and song analysis to the real time performance both on stage and in an audition. The class will culminate with kids performing a Master Class for each other and each will leave with a set of audition songs they can be confident in and proud of.

For students: Rising 5th - 9th grade
Tuition: $400
Dates & Times:
Week 1, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Week 2, 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM

Art of the Monologue

“To be or not to be...” In Art of the Monologue, students will work on character building, reading between the lines, acting techniques, and memorization, just to name a few components. Through workshopping and exercises, students will gain access to their inner actor. By working with others and having important discussions, these student actors will uncover why Monologues are truly works of art.

For students: Rising 5th - 9th grade
Tuition: $400
Dates & Times:
Week 3, 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM
Week 4, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Audition Techniques

In audition techniques, students use practical tools to navigate performing arts auditions. Throughout the camp program, students will learn how to navigate the audition process - from what to do once you’ve received your audition materials all the way through to the actual audition itself. Utilizing a variety of scenes, monologues, and songs, students will have the opportunity to perform, workshop with their peers, and gain valuable feedback. Audition technique will enable students to increase their confidence and explore the audition process in a fun, supportive, and engaging environment, leaving them ready and eager to sign up for the many productions they will participate in.

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Improv Fun!

Students will learn the foundations of improvisational theater through a variety of drama games and exercises. They will practice techniques used by professional comedians, improv troupes, actors, and public speakers of all kinds. Build confidence in your art as well as your social presence. So bring your imaginations and your funny bones for a fantastic chance to listen, learn and laugh!

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Playwriting

Instructor: Sarah Maliakel

This course is designed for beginning playwrights as well as creative writers who want to explore the genre. The course will emphasize what makes a scene work, how to develop characters through dialogue and action, and how to think in theatrical terms.

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**Tech Theater**

**Instructor: Ian Diedrich**

Ever wonder how the magic is made? This tech theater course introduces students to the many components that make up the beautiful productions put up on stage. From lighting, sound, sets, props, and costumes, students will learn the fundamentals of all things technical while also getting hands-on experience creating aspects of the productions happening at camp.

**For students:** Rising 5th - 9th grade

**Tuition:** $400

**Dates & Times:**

- Week 2, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
- Week 3, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

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**The Day The Internet Died**

Our 2024 summer production will be *The Day The Internet Died*. On a sunny day in the town of Bloomington, a devastating occurrence happens. No, it’s not famine, or floods, or loss of your basic rights. The internet has gone down! And it will continue to be down! For a week! A whole week! Pandemonium! In a world that is so dependent on the internet for shopping, mailing, and posting pictures of cute babies, how will society function? Not well as it turns out. *The Day the Internet Died* hilariously explores how inept we are at dating, research, and basic human interactions when we don’t have a screen to look at. Performance on July 26.

**Note:** This 3-week intensive afternoon course can be paired with other morning options.

**For students:** Rising 5th - 9th grade

**Tuition:** $600

**Dates & Times:**

- Weeks 1-3, 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM

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**World Dance**

With so many styles of dance spanning the globe, each one unique and beautiful, let’s take some time to learn them all! Learn everything from salsa to hip-hop in this exploration of Dance Around The World. All levels of experience are welcome.

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**Tuition:** $400

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