

# Easter Holiday Online Courses 2021

**TUESDAY 6 – FRIDAY 16 APRIL  
COURSES FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS!**



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welcoming and creative tuition in music,  
art and drama to the community of  
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## Tuesday 6 April – Friday 9 April

### CREATIVE MUSICIANSHIP

MUSIC, 9.45AM – 10.30AM DAILY, 5-7 YEARS

We may not be able to meet in person, but we're going to get creative and explore new ways to create and make exciting music together! You'll be led step by step to make your own musical instruments, using simple household objects. We're going to think outside the box and get seriously inventive in the process! By the end of the week, we'll have made lots of great instruments and learnt how to play them! Book for all 4 classes and learn to make 4 different instruments or just book onto the classes that you fancy.

£8 PER SESSION OR £28 FOR ALL 4 DAYS,  
TUTOR: LUCY MURPHY

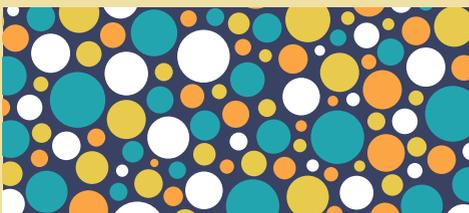
## Tuesday 6 April

### CREATE ART WITH DOTS

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

Explore the weird and wonderful world of Yayoi Kusama and create art with dots. Yayoi Kusama is coming to the Tate this year following her increasing popularity across the UK! This course will be inspired by her and her art which is all about joy and well being - just what we all need!

£50, TUTOR: SALINA JANE



### UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

MUSIC

Come try out the ukulele and get started on the right note! Join us on this fun-filled introduction to the instrument. Learn to play your first song and have fun making music. Participants will learn the basics, under the guidance of a professional musician. All levels are welcome; bring your own instrument or borrow one of ours.

10.30AM – 11.30AM, 3-5 YEARS

11.45AM – 12.45PM, 5-7 YEARS

£9, TUTOR: LAYLA ALLEN

1.30PM – 2.30PM, 3-5 YEARS

2.45PM – 3.45PM, 5-7 YEARS

£9, TUTOR: JAY HAMMOND

## Wednesday 7 April

### MAKE YOUR OWN BOARDGAME!

ART, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 8-14 YEARS

Hosted by Betty Adamou, global and award-winning expert and author on *Serious Games and Gamification*, this workshop brings together multiple disciplines to ensure a fun and engaging workshop, while thinking about solving real-world problems.

Each workshop starts with a conundrum: How can we use a game to educate or train the players to understand more about different topics such as Climate change, COVID-19, Sustainability in fashion, the importance of exercise, mental health and wellness? Or another problem that you want solved. With the Board Game workshop, suddenly even the most difficult problems become easy to understand and design a solution for!

£50, TUTOR: BETTY ADAMOU

### INTRODUCTION TO SINGING

MUSIC, 10AM – 10.40AM

OR 11AM – 11.40AM, 5-7 YEARS

Sometimes the only instrument that we need is our voice! Log into this fun online introduction to the voice and enjoy using games and actions to learn different skills and songs. Grow your confidence and spend some time singing with others whilst learning about and improving your singing.

£9, TUTOR: NOAH MOSELY

## Thursday 8 April

### ART FOR WELL BEING

SOMETHING FOR ADULTS

ART, 9.15AM – 3.45PM

Spend the day learning about traditional art forms; some working with clay and some abstract expression. Make and create all with the idea of relaxation and well being at the forefront of our mind, from mindfulness in art to immersing yourself in creation.

£50, TUTOR: SALINA JANE



## LET'S GET TOGETHER!

MUSIC, 10AM – 10.45AM, 6 MONTHS – 5 YEARS

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Let's all gather together, siblings, carers, parents and share and enjoy some music and movement from the comfort of your own home. Spend some time together singing nursery rhymes, some Easter themed songs and exploring movement and music ideas such as jumping up like a jack in the box, playing peek-a-boo with scarves, and growing to our full height. Our experienced tutor will offer different activities that span the age range of the class ensuring that your little one gets the best out of this session! These classes will be full of energy and fun sure to inspire some Easter family play!

£9, TUTOR: JO BARWICK

### CREATE A SPLIT-PIN PUPPET

ART, 9.30AM – 12.30PM, 5-11 YEARS

Join us in making your own split-pin puppet. You will spend the session designing your character, creating the shapes for your puppet and learning how to join it together. This is a great activity if you like creative drawing, mark-making and want to know how to bring your drawings to life!

£30, TUTOR: ELLIE WRIGHT

### BUGS AND FLOWERS



ART, 1PM – 4PM, 5-11 YEARS

Come along and create an artwork filled with insects and flowers. In this session, we will take inspiration from Dutch still life paintings. You will practice different drawing and mark-making techniques and learn how to bring life and energy into a 'still' picture. This is a great activity if you like drawing and looking closely at creepy crawlies!

£30, TUTOR: ELLIE WRIGHT

## Thursday 8 & Friday 9 April

### MAKING A MUSICAL

DRAMA, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 8-14 YEARS

Come and join two West End actors for a 2-day musical theatre workshop learning songs and scenes from top West End & Broadway shows. You will work together with Adam and Connor, who are both currently in *Les Misérables*, to improve your vocal and singing technique, learn new improvisation and acting techniques and put on your own short compilation musical to perform at the end of the 2 days. For those who booked onto the fantastic workshop in February, this workshop will be brand new with completely different musicals to learn!

TUTORS: ADAM BOARDMAN AND CONNOR JONES

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### SOUND EFFECT ART

MUSIC, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 5-11 YEARS

Join our specialist to create your own sound effects and learn all about sound effect art! You can choose your favourite scenes from a selection of videos and then recreate what you hear. All you need to join in is a selection of household objects and a device to record on. By the end of the course, your fantastic work will be uploaded for you to keep!

£50, TUTOR: ANNALISE MORLEY

## Monday 12 April

### SMART PHONE FILM MAKING AT HOME

DRAMA, 9.30AM – 3.30PM, 8-14 YEARS

Making films can give you the chance to develop your storytelling skills, to visualise your ideas and make something that you can be really proud to show others. This one-day workshop offers children the chance to understand the key principles of dramatic storytelling, how to use objects and toys from around the home to turn these into short films, and how to use a simple smartphone editing app to turn their work into a movie that can be shared with everyone. Our filmmakers will assist in helping develop ideas and stories, and the technical know-how to capture these on camera and edit them into a short film. This workshop is ideal for art lovers and children with keen imaginations, plus an introduction to shooting and editing techniques in filmmaking.

£50, TUTOR: PAUL MCGHIE

**Tuesday 13 April**

## INTRODUCTION TO ILLUSTRATION

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 9-14 YEARS

Come along to this one-day illustration extravaganza! We will focus on different styles and the many different roles of an illustrator from fashion to botanical to magazine and advertising to book illustration. We will take a look at the different career paths of illustrators and learn different techniques in all the different fields.

£50, TUTOR: SALINA JANE



**Wednesday 14 April**

## IMPROVE YOUR SMART PHONE PHOTOGRAPHY - INSTANTLY!

ART, 9.30AM - 3.30PM, 14-18 YEARS

Do you have thousands of photos on your phone that you never do anything with? Always updating your social media with new content but wondering how you can stand out from the crowd and be unique? Want to up your selfie game? Come along to this one-day workshop where you will learn all about using the best angles, the right lighting, and all the professional tips and tricks to shoot better Smart Phone photography. Learn how to shoot great pictures every time under the guidance of our expert, and then develop your skills in editing them to get the best out of your images.

£50, TUTOR: PAUL MCGHIE

## COMIC BOOK HEROES

ART, 9.30AM - 3.30PM, 5-11 YEARS

This course will encourage students to look at their favourite books and the illustrations within them to go on and create their own characters. Students will then use these characters to create and illustrate a short story which will be turned into a book for them to keep!

£50, TUTOR: KIRSTEN LYLE

**Thursday 15 April**

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## PUPPETRY

DRAMA, 9.30AM - 12.30PM, 7-12 YEARS

DRAMA, 1PM - 4PM, 8-14 YEARS

Use normal, household objects to create your own puppet and learn all about how to move and control puppets using object manipulation. Have fun with our expert puppeteer as she performs professional puppetry and teaches you the core skills that you need to become a puppeteer!

£30, TUTOR: PHOEBE HYDER

**Friday 16 April**

## ANIMALUS ANTHROPOMORPHICUS

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 5-11 YEARS

Do you have a spirit animal? Do you have a beloved pet? Do you love to draw, do you love animals? Join this session to share and learn about drawing, painting and making animals through our artistic eyes. We will be exploring a variety of techniques throughout the day in order to touch on the multiplicity of ways we can celebrate animals through art.

£50, TUTOR: VERITY WONG

## BECOME A PODCASTER!

DRAMA, 9.30AM - 3.30PM, 8-14 YEARS

Ever wondered how your favourite podcast is created or wanted to create a podcast yourself? Come along and learn all about this new and popular art form and create your very own podcast!

£50, TUTOR: ANNALISE MORLEY

## OPEN WINDOWS

SOMETHING FOR ADULTS

ART, 9.15AM - 3.45PM, 18+ YEARS

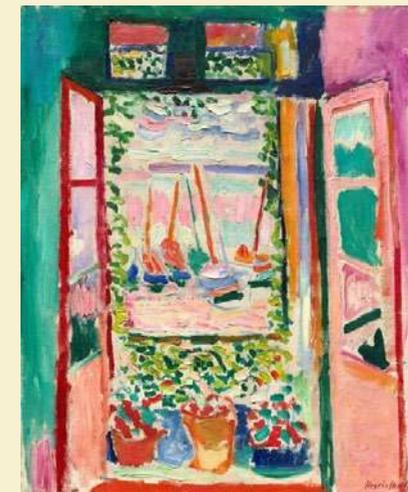
Throw open the shutters this spring and join our one-day online workshop at the Conservatoire. An intensive studio day of drawing and painting for all levels.

Sessions will take inspiration from modern masters and contemporary artists who interweave internal and external, personal and imaginative spaces in their compositions.

Create your own 'room with a view'.

Frame your garden courtyard or holiday panorama through focussing on compositional drawing and painting techniques, experimenting with colour and light.

£50, TUTOR: KIRSTEN LYLE



If you haven't found anything that you would like to sign up to then why not contact us to arrange your own, bespoke, art tuition? Available via Zoom for groups of 2-4 students, one of our tutors will deliver an art session based on your needs. Classes are charged at £20 per hour, per child.

For more information, and to book your personalised class, please email [info@conservatoire.org.uk](mailto:info@conservatoire.org.uk)

## ART THERAPY

We are very pleased to offer a new Art Therapy service to meet the needs of the wider community.

Art therapy is a form of psychotherapy that uses art media as its primary mode of expression and communication. Within this context, art is not used as a diagnostic tool but as a medium to address emotional issues which may be confusing and distressing.

Art therapists work with children, young people, adults and the elderly. Clients may have a wide range of difficulties, disabilities or diagnoses. These include emotional, behavioural or mental health problems, learning or physical disabilities, life-limiting conditions, neurological conditions and physical illnesses.

Art Therapy can be beneficial to anyone, regardless of age, ability or previous artistic experience. It can be particularly helpful for those who struggle with conventional modes of communication, enabling a stronger sense of connection and belonging. It can be a gentle way to work through trauma, a way to process



difficult feelings and make life affirming internal changes. Art therapy can be a reflective space to make sense of the world, especially during these challenging times.

These 40 minute one to one sessions (available in person or online) are led by Hannah Simons, qualified and practicing Art Psychotherapist. Hannah has an MA in Fine Art and an MA in Art Psychotherapy. She has many years of experience working to support children and adults in education, healthcare, mental health, and community settings.