

Drawing, Collage + Mixed Media with JEN PEPPER at CazArts

Improve your drawing skills while exploring a variety of wet and dry artistic media and techniques! This six week course will help you improve existing drawing, observational and refinement skills. Each week we will explore a variety of both observational and abstract drawing while exploring many different wet and dry materials including charcoal, watercolor, inks, mixed media and acrylics and the array of unique applications of each medium.



This class will help students use line, material, light and space, compositional explorations

to improve how to refine their drawing skills while developing a greater understanding of developing a creative style! We will work from both observation and explore methods and materials in expressive abstraction while becoming familiar with an array of mediums that build up surfaces, making marks, adding various thickening fibers and metallic substances and mediums to paint. Each class will assist the workshop's participants in freeing the artist within. Surfaces will include a variety of papers, canvas, collage and non-traditional substrates. Some materials will be provided by the instructor so overall cost is not exorbitant for each student.

14" x 17" Drawing Paper – spiral bound (Strathmore or an inexpensive pad, white or ivory)

14 x 17" Watercolor Paper Pad

Six 9 x 12" canvas panels

Drawing pencils: HB, 2B, 6B, Ebony, pencil sharpener

Compressed Charcoal – 3 sticks – soft or medium

Vine Charcoal – 6 sticks – Soft or Medium

Paper stumps > tightly rolled paper into a point that can be purchased

Kneaded Eraser (softens in your hands & self cleaning, grey)

White Plastic Drawing eraser

Bamboo brush – round # 4 or #6

1" Artists' Tape or Drafting or Painter's Tape

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Inexpensive Watercolor set (12 colors, pucks or tubes)

Selection of colored pencils

Matte Medium for glueing - something like *Modge Podge*

Found collage materials (old magazines, photographs and imagery)

If you have these things already, bring them along:

Sharpies

ball point pens other type of drawing pens

