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Welcome!

Beck Center for the Arts is a leader in comprehensive arts education in Northeast Ohio. We present more than 200 curriculum-based opportunities each week in dance, music, theater, visual arts, and creative arts therapies.

We invite you to register for our award winning classes, lessons, and programs for newborns through adulthood - and everywhere in between - making Beck Center the perfect place for you and your family to experience the joy of the arts.

Whether you want to try something new, sharpen your skills, or simply have fun, our talented faculty will guide you to achieve your artistic goals.

Full class descriptions can be found at beckcenter.org.



For more information and to register online visit beckcenter.org or call 216.521.2540 x10

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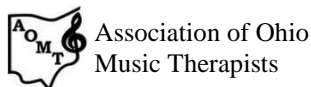
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Questions? Please contact 216-521-2540 x10 or visit beckcenter.org.

Beck Center for the Arts Staff and Faculty are members of the following organizations





We are proud to offer early childhood arts education classes for children and their caregivers as an introduction to the arts. Our students, from newborns to six years old, are provided experiences in each arts discipline – dance, music, theater, and visual arts – in developmentally appropriate contexts. Classes encourage play, creativity, cooperation, attention, and provide caregivers with activities to continue at home. Parents/caregivers join in on the creativity right alongside their young aspiring artist.

Create Your Own Arts Experiences

Kids-n-Tunes: music and movement classes ages Birth-5 years

Kids-n-Theater: basic theatrical skills classes ages 2-5 years

Kids-n-Create: multimedia visual arts classes ages 3-5 years

Kids-n-Dance: dance-related activities to enhance motor skills, balance, creativity, and listening skills ages 2-3

Kids-n-Drums: hands on drumming class for ages 3-4 years

Kids-n-Clay: clay work and pottery class for ages 5-11 years

Music classes: Kids-n-Tunes, Suzuki violin, piano, voice

Theater classes: Kids-n-Theater, Acting Adventures, Little Folks Theater

Visual Arts classes: Kids-n-Create, Art Discovery Studio, Kids-n-Clay

Dance classes: Kids-n-Dance, Preballet, Preschool Dance

Super Saturdays @ Beck Center

Sponsored by the Lakewood Arts Festival

Join in on the fun, creativity, and excitement at Beck Center as you and your young aspiring artists explore music, dance, theater, and the visual arts at this FREE experience for children ages 1 to 8 years. Let's get creative from 9:30-11:30 AM as Beck Center collaborates with community partners, including the Ohio Paper Folders, to bring the arts alive.

The day begins with the "Hear & Touch Concert" at 9:30 AM featuring interactive music including a demonstration and narration of a family of instruments. Afterwards everyone takes part in visual art, dance, theater and/or music experiences in our gallery areas.

Parent/adult participation is required. Admission is free for all ages, but tickets must be reserved at beckcenter.org or by calling Customer Service at 216.521.2540 x10.

Upcoming dates:

December 7	Brass Instruments
January 11	String Instruments
April 25	Piano
August 2020	Percussion



Lucinda (Cindy) Einhouse

President and CEO Lucinda (Cindy) Einhouse began her tenure as President and CEO of Beck Center for the Arts in May 2007. Her educational background includes an MBA from Cleveland State University and a BA in Music from Kent State University. She began her career at Playhouse Square Foundation in 1980, building an annual fund program and assisting with a capital campaign to raise \$37.7 million to renovate the historic Playhouse Square theatres. In 1995, she was recruited to the Cleveland Clinic as part of a management team to conduct a \$225 million capital campaign, which concluded ahead of schedule in 2000. In 2001, she was recruited to the Cleveland Institute of Music (CIM) to direct a capital campaign to raise \$40 million for facility expansion and endowment, successfully completed in Sept 2006.

Ms. Einhouse has been a member of the Board of LakewoodAlive since 2013, a non-profit economic development organization, where she is on the Executive Committee and chairs the Community Forum Committee. She served on the Board of the Lakewood Chamber of Commerce from 2008-2015 and was Chair of that board from 2013 to 2015. She has served as a Mentor for Cleveland State University's Graduate student program, the Mandel Center for Nonprofit Organizations, and The Civic Innovation Lab of the Cleveland



Edward P. Gallagher, MT-BC is Director of Education and a Board Certified Music Therapist. He may be reached by phone at 216.521.2540 x12 or by email at egallagher@beckcenter.org.

Ed holds a Bachelor of Music in Music Therapy from Cleveland State University and a graduate certificate in nonprofit management from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. He founded Beck Center's Creative Arts Therapies program in 1994. He is co-chair of the Ohio Music Therapy Task Force and has been appointed to serve on several of the Ohio Arts Council's grant review panels. He is Past President of the Cleveland Arts Education Consortium as well as the Great Lakes Region of the American Music Therapy Association (GLR-AMTA) and the Association of Ohio Music Therapists (AOMT). He received the GLR-AMTA 2007 Service Award, the AOMT Past President's Award in 2012 and has

been inducted into the Ohio State Fair Hall of Fame. He has been recognized by the City of Lakewood for bringing the healing power of music to the community. He is also Director of Operations for the All-Ohio State Fair Band and Youth Choir, two organizations featuring the talents of 400 talented high school instrumentalists and vocalists which are comprised of students from throughout the state.

DANCE

Winter/Spring Semester is January 13 – May 30 and runs for 19 weeks in Dance Education

No Dance Classes: April 10-16 for Spring Break

For exact class weeks, dates and information please see the full course descriptions.

Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.

Please see all education department policies and procedures on page 52.

Dance classes are offered in ballet-including contemporary and pointe, Hip Hop, Jazz, Tap, and special offerings for students aged 2½ through adulthood. All classical ballet classes stress placement, theory, terminology, and technique which is eclectic and primarily Russian based.

Beck Center Dance program is supported by the Lynda Sackett Endowment for Dance Education and The James Kurtz Memorial Endowment Fund.

Student Dance Performances

Love, Peace, Joy, Dance

Music & Dance Building
December 6-8, 2019
Sensory Friendly: Dec 13
On Tour: December 14

Cinderella

Main Stage Theater
March 27-29, 2020
Sensory Friendly: March 27

Student Dance Showcase

Main Stage Theater
May 29-30, 2020

Early Childhood Dance Concert

Main Stage Theater
May 30-31, 2020

Fees

As our dancers progress, they take more classes per week. Each individual dancer, enrolled in Ballet 1 and higher, is offered a structured tuition discount of \$34 off the second class, \$59 off the third class and \$93 off the fourth & fifth classes with the maximum amount for 5 or more classes is \$750. The following represents the tuition costs for a 19-week semester.

Ages 7-Adult	1 class/week	2 classes/week	3 classes/week	4 classes/week	5+ classes/week
Paid at registration	\$245	\$456	\$642	\$794	\$946
Two installments* of	\$122.50	\$228	\$321	\$397	\$473
Four installments* of	\$61.25	\$114	\$160.50	\$198.50	\$236.50

Payment Options for Dance

- There is a fee of \$10 for a two installment payment plan and a fee of \$20 for a four installment payment plan.
- Two Installments: The first payment is due at registration and the second payment is due March 1, 2020.
- Four installments: The first payment is due at registration; second, third and final payments due February 1, March, 1 and April 1, 2020.

Flexible Options for Adults

We know that many adults are unable to commit to classes each and every week due to work and family obligations and we don't want you to miss out on dance at Beck Center. Adults, ages 18 and up who are no longer enrolled in high school, may purchase a 4-class pack of tickets for admission to Beck Center dance classes. The \$58 package is available at Customer Services. Please call 216.521.2540 x10 for more information.

Private Lessons

Sessions are available from select members of the faculty and Associate Director of Dance Education, Melanie Szucs. Lessons are designed for ages 13 and over and are available by appointment. Contact Melanie Szucs at 216.2540 x26 for more information.

Workshop

Junior Dance Workshop A performing company for serious Beck Center dancers, ages 11-16, who study at least three classes per week. Enrollment by audition only. Auditions will be held 1/14/20 in the Gallery Studio. Contact Melanie Szucs via email at mszucs@beckcenter.org for more information.

Dance Workshop A performing company for serious Beck Center dancers, ages 13-18 who study at least three classes per week. Enrollment by audition only. Auditions are held in September. Contact Melanie Szucs via email at mszucs@beckcenter.org for more information.

Apparel

Appropriate dance apparel is required in all classes. Proper attire may be purchased at Footsteps Dancewear at 24048 Lorain Road in North Olmsted (440-779-0500) or online at www.DiscountDance.com – please use teacher ID #30264.

Girls/Women

Ballet, Pointe: **Youth/teens** wear black camisole leotard, ballet pink tights, pink leather ballet slippers (split sole for levels 3-7), and hair in a bun.

Adult women wear black leotard, ballet pink tights, pink leather ballet slippers, and hair off neck and fastened close to head.

Preballet, Preschool Dance

and Kids-N-Dance : Girls wear black short sleeve or capped sleeve leotard (no skirts), ballet pink tights, pink leather ballet slippers, and hair in a bun.

Contemporary: Leotard and footless-tights or dance shorts and bare feet.

Pilates, Body Beautiful, and Yoga:

Leotard and tights or nonrestrictive clothing and bare feet or ballet slippers.

Hip Hop: Nonrestrictive clothing and Jazz boot or oxford, or clean sneakers.

Jazz: Black leotard, black jazz pants, and black jazz shoe. Hair secured. Long hair must be in a ponytail.

Tap: Black tap shoes only, low heel preferred. Oxford for adults. Black leotard, jazz pants. Hair secured. Long hair must be in a ponytail.

Boys/Men

Ballet, Preballet Preschool Dance

Wear white T-shirt or black leotard, black tights, black dance belt, and black ballet shoes.

Hip Hop: Nonrestrictive clothing and Jazz boot or oxford, or clean sneakers.

Jazz, Contemporary and Tap:

Black t-shirt and black jazz pant or track pant (not sweat pants) and black jazz/tap shoe.

Dance Faculty

[Click here to learn more about Beck Center's outstanding faculty!](#)



Melanie L. Szucs is Associate Director of Dance Education as well as artistic director and choreographer of the Beck Center Dance Workshop. She can be reached by phone at 216.521.2540 x26 or by email at mszucs@beckcenter.org

Melanie has been an Instructor of ballet and jazz for over 35 years, mainly here at Beck Center. In her early years Melanie was named Miss Dance Michigan and performed as a soloist with Dance Detroit. She studied with George Zorich and on full scholarship with the School of Cleveland Ballet. She was recently a *Spotlight Honoree* here at Beck Center in recognition of decades of dedicated high quality dance instruction.

WINTER/SPRING 2020 DANCE EDUCATION SCHEDULE

January 13-May 30. No classes April 10-16.

#XXXX represents the catalog course number.

Classes with two sessions are comprised of two 9-week sessions unless noted. Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.
Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
Session 1: Jan 13 / Session 2: Mar 16	MONDAY					
7558/7559	Yoga	18-Up	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$117	CA Dance	McCarter
7560/7561	Preschool Yoga	3-5	11:00 AM -11:40 AM	\$105	CA Dance	McCarter
7483	Preballet	4-5	4:15 PM -4:55 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7489	Tap 1B	7-11	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Hadaway
7491	Ballet 3A	10-13	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Roberts
7488	Ballet 2	8-10	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Szucs
7484	Preballet	6-7	5:00 PM -5:40 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7497	Tap 1	7-11	5:00 PM -5:45 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Hadaway
7492	Ballet 3B	10-14	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Roberts
7493	Ballet 5	12-14	5:30 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Szucs
7494	Contemporary 1&1B	12-17	5:45 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7496	Jazz 2	9-14	5:45 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Hadaway
7486	Ballet 7	14-18	6:30 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Roberts
7498	Tap 4	11-15	6:45 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Hadaway
7490	Ballet 1&1B	12-18	6:45 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7485	Ballet 6	13-18	6:45 PM -8:00 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Szucs
7487	Musical Theater Jazz	15-Up	7:45 PM -8:45 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Hadaway
7404	Ballet 3&4	18-Up	7:45 PM -9:00 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Roberts
Session 1: Jan 14 / Session 2: Mar 17	TUESDAY					
7501	Preballet	5-6	4:30 PM -5:10 PM	\$223	CA Dance	Seckers
7502	Preballet	6-7	4:30 PM -5:10 PM	\$223	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7509	Tap 2A	9-13	5:00 PM -5:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Schwensen
7504	Pointe 4&5	14-18	5:15 PM -6:30 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7508	Ballet 1	8-12	5:15 PM -6:15 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Seckers
7512	Tap 3	10-14	5:45 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Schwensen
7505	Contemporary 3&4	13-18	5:45 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Jackson
7503	Intro to Ballet Part 2	7-10	6:15 PM -7:00 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Seckers
7510	Ballet 3A&3B	10-14	6:30 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7511	Contemporary 2	12-18	6:45 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Jackson
7506	Tap 5	13-18	6:45 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Schwensen
7507	Yoga	13-Up	7:00 PM -8:00 PM	\$245	CA Dance	McCarter
7495	Jr. Dance Workshop	10-14	7:45 PM -8:30 PM	\$273	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7499	Contemporary 1&2	18-Up	7:45 PM -8:45 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Jackson
7500	Tap 3&4	18-Up	7:45 PM -8:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Schwensen
Session 1: Jan 15 / Session 2: Mar 18	WEDNESDAY					
7513	Body Beautiful	18-Up	12:00 PM -1:15 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7521	Intro to Hip Hop	7-8	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Staff
7562	Intro to Hip Hop Part2	7-8	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Harsa
7522	Ballet 3A&3B	10-14	4:30 PM -5:45 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7518	Ballet 1B	8-12	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Roberts
7563	Hip Hop 1B	8-12	5:00 PM -6:00 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Harsa
7519	Hip Hop 1	9-11	5:00 PM -6:00 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Staff
7523	Pointe 1B	12-18	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Roberts
7524	Pointe 2&3	12-18	5:45 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7516	Hip Hop	12-18	6:00 PM -7:00 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Staff
7520	Hip Hop 2	9-12	6:00 PM -7:00 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Harsa
7515	Ballet 7	14-18	6:30 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Roberts
7514	Ballet 6	13-18	6:45 PM -8:00 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7525	Hip Hop 3	11-15	7:00 PM -8:00 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Harsa
7517	Pilates Conditioning	13-Up	7:45 PM -8:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Roberts
7565	Jazz 1	12-18	8:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Harsa

MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building

WINTER/SPRING 2020 DANCE EDUCATION SCHEDULE CONTINUE

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
Session 1: Jan 16 / Session 2: Mar 19	THURSDAY					
7528	Preballet	4-5	4:15 PM -4:55 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7537	Ballet 3B	10-14	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Szucs
7535	Jazz 1B	8-12	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Soucie
7539	Jazz 3	10-15	4:45 PM -5:45 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Hadaway
7529	Preballet	6-7	5:00 PM -5:40 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7538	Ballet 4&5	12-14	5:30 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Soucie
7531	Pointe 3	13-18	5:30 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Szucs
7540	Tap 2	12-Up	5:40 PM -6:55 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Hadaway
7534	Ballet 2	8-12	5:45 PM -6:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7536	Ballet 2-3-4	12-18	6:45 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7532	Jazz 4&5	13-18	6:45 PM -7:45 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Hadaway
7530	Pointe 4&5	14-18	6:45 PM -8:00 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Szucs
7527	Ballet 2	18-Up	6:55 PM -7:55 PM	\$245	CA Dance	Soucie
7533	Tap 1&1B	13-Up	7:45 PM -8:45 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Hadaway
7526	Ballet 1&1B	18-Up	8:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Soucie
Session 1: Jan 17 / Session 2: Mar 20	FRIDAY					
7541	Ballet 2&3	18-Up	10:00 AM -11:30 AM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Szucs
7542	Preschool Dance	3-4	11:30 AM -12:10 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Szucs
7544	Preballet	4-5	12:15 PM -12:55 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Szucs
7543	Preballet	4 1/2-5	1:00 PM -1:40 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Szucs
Session 1: Jan 18 / Session 2: Mar 21	SATURDAY					
7547	Preschool Dance	3-4	9:00 AM -9:40 AM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7552	Intro to Ballet Part 2	7-10	9:15 AM -10:00 AM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Soucie
7556	Ballet 2	8-10	9:30 AM -10:30 AM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Jackson
7550	Preballet	4	9:45 AM -10:25 AM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7551	Intro to Ballet	7-10	10:00 AM -10:45 AM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Soucie
7548	Preballet	5	10:30 AM -11:10 AM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7545	Ballet 2&3	18-Up	10:30 AM -11:45 AM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Jackson
7557	Ballet 4&5	12-14	10:45 AM -12:00 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Soucie
7546	Preschool Dance	3-4	11:15 AM -11:55 AM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7554	Contemporary 5	14-18	11:45 AM -1:15 PM	\$245	MD Recital Hall	Burcher
7553	Ballet 6&7	13-18	12:00 PM -1:15 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Soucie
7549	Preballet	5-7	12:00 PM -12:40 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7555	Ballet 2 & 3	9-12	12:45 PM -1:45 PM	\$245	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7564	Jazz 1	8-12	1:15 PM -2:15 PM	\$245	Dance Gallery	Soucie
MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building						

DANCE: EARLY CHILDHOOD Ages Birth-6

Preschool Yoga (Ages 3-5) A fun and playful class for preschoolers introducing yoga poses, breath, and relaxation through stories, play, games, team work, imagery, art and music.

Session 1 #7560 Monday 11:00-11:40 AM; 1/13-3/9; \$105; CA Dance; Instructor: McCarter, Jennifer

Session 2 #7561 Monday 11:00-11:40 AM; 3/16-5/18; \$105; CA Dance; Instructor: McCarter, Jennifer

Preschool Dance (Ages 3-4) An introduction to the art of dance with age-appropriate music, creative movement, gross motor skills exercises, simple dance steps, and the use of props.

#7542 Friday 11:30 AM-12:10 PM; 1/17-5/29; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7547 Saturday 9:00-9:40 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7546 Saturday 11:15-11:55 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Preballet (Ages 4-7) An introduction to ballet using creative imagery and props to excite aspiring young dancers. Students sing, dance, and build self confidence while being introduced to basic ballet positions and steps.

Preballet (Age 4)

#7550 Saturday 9:45-10:25 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Preballet (Age 4-5)

#7483 Monday 4:15-4:55 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7528 Thursday 4:15-4:55 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7544 Friday 12:15-12:55 PM; 1/17-5/29; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Preballet (Ages 4½ -5)

#7543 Friday 1:00-1:40 PM; 1/17-5/29; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Preballet (Ages 5)

#7548 Saturday 10:30-11:10 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Preballet (Age 5-6)

#7501 Tuesday 4:30-5:10 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$223; CA Dance; Instructor: Seckers, Gwendolyn

Preballet (Ages 5-7)

#7549 Saturday 12:00-12:40 PM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Preballet (Ages 6-7)

#7484 Monday 5:00-5:40 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7502 Tuesday 4:30-5:10 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$223; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7529 Thursday 5:00-5:40 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

DANCE: YOUTH Ages 7-12

Ballet

All classical ballet stresses placement, theory, terminology, and technique (eclectic-primarily Russian).

Preballet (Ages 6-7) An introduction to ballet using creative imagery and props to excite aspiring young dancers. Students sing, dance, and build self confidence while being introduced to basic ballet positions and steps.

#7484 Monday 5:00-5:40 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7502 Tuesday 4:30-5:10 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$223; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7529 Thursday 5:00-5:40 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Intro to Ballet (Ages 7-10) An introductory level class for beginner students.

#7551 Saturday 10:00-10:45 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Intro to Ballet Part 2 (Ages 7-10) For students who have completed the Fall session of Intro to Ballet.

#7503 Tuesday 6:15-7:00 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Seckers, Gwendolyn

#7552 Saturday 9:15-10:00 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Ballet 1 An introductory level class for beginner students.

#7508 (Ages 8-12) Tuesday 5:15-6:15 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Seckers, Gwendolyn

Ballet 1B (Ages 8-12) For students who have completed one semester of Ballet 1.

#7518 Wednesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

Ballet 1&1B (Ages 12-18) Beginner/advanced beginner level class.

#7490 Monday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Ballet 2 (Ages 8-12) For students who have completed one year of Ballet 1.

#7488 (Ages 8-10) Monday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7556 (Ages 8-10) Saturday 9:30-10:30 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Jackson, Madi

#7534 (Ages 8-12) Thursday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Ballet 2-3-4 (Ages 12-18) Advanced beginner/intermediate level class. Level 3-4 students will stay an extra 15 minutes.

#7536 Thursday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Ballet 2 & 3 (Ages 9-12) Advanced beginner and intermediate level 1 class.

#7555 Saturday 12:45-1:45 PM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Ballet 3A (Ages 10-13) Intermediate level 1 class. Two classes per week required.

#7491 Monday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

Ballet 3B (Ages 10-14) Intermediate level 1 class. Two classes per week required.

#7492 Monday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

#7537 Thursday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Ballet 3A&3B (Ages 10-14) Intermediate level 1 class. Two classes per week required.

#7510 Tuesday 6:30-7:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7522 Wednesday 4:30-5:45 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Ballet 4&5 (Ages 12-14) Intermediate level 2 & 3 class. Two classes per week required. Three classes per week recommended.

#7538 Thursday 5:40-6:55 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

#7557 Saturday 10:45 AM-12:00 PM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Ballet 5 (Ages 12-14) Intermediate level 3 class. Two classes per week required. Three classes per week recommended.

#7493 Monday 5:30-6:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Pointe

Permission of associate director or instructor and three ballet or pointe classes per week required.

Pointe 1B (Ages 12-18) Advanced beginner level 1 class. Permission of associate director or instructor and three ballet or pointe classes per week required.

#7523 Wednesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

Pointe 2&3 (Ages 12-18) Advanced beginner level 2/intermediate class.

#7524 Wednesday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Jazz

Contemporary American dance as seen on television and on stage in musical theater.

Jazz 1 (Ages 8-18) Beginner level class.

#7565 (Ages 12-18) Wednesday 8:00-9:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Harsa, Sandi

#7564 (Ages 8-12) Saturday 1:15 PM-2:15 PM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Jazz 1B (Ages 8-12) For students who have completed one semester of Jazz 1.

#7535 Thursday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Jazz 2 (Ages 9-14) For students who have completed one year of Jazz 1.

#7496 Monday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Jazz 3 (Ages 10-15) Intermediate level 1 class.

#7539 Thursday 4:45-5:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Contemporary

Contemporary class explores a wide range of technical and artistic skills from a variety of dance genres including ballet, jazz and modern.

Contemporary 1&1B (Ages 12-17) An introductory class for beginner students. One year of ballet strongly suggested.

#7494 Monday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Contemporary 2 (Ages 12-18) For students who completed one year of Contemporary 1. One year of ballet strongly suggested.

#7511 Tuesday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Jackson, Madi

Hip-Hop

'90s urban street dance with jazz warm-up and cool-down.

Intro to Hip Hop (Ages 7-8) An intro to Hip Hop class.

#7521 Wednesday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Dance Staff

Intro to Hip Hop Part 2 (Ages 7-8) For students who have completed one semester of Intro to Hip hop.

#7562 Wednesday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Harsa, Sandi

Hip Hop (Ages 12-18)

#7516 Wednesday 6:00-7:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Dance Staff

Hip Hop 1 (Ages 9-11)-An introductory class for beginner level students.

#7519 Wednesday 5:00-6:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Staff, Dance

Hip Hop 2 (Ages 9-12) For students with prior hip hop experience.

#7520 Wednesday 6:00-7:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Harsa, Sandi

Hip Hop 3 (Ages 11-15) For students with prior hip hop experience.

#7525 Wednesday 7:00-8:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Harsa, Sandi

Tap

American rhythmic movement with emphasis on clarity of sound, musicality, placement, and standard tap vocabulary.

Tap 1 (Ages 7-11) An introductory class for beginner level students.

#7497 Monday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap 1B (Ages 7-11) For students who have completed one semester of Tap 1.

#7489 Monday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap 2 (Ages 12-Up) For students who have completed one year of Tap 1.

#7540 Thursday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap 2A (Ages 9-13) For students who have completed one year of Tap 1.

#7509 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Schwensen, Mimi

Tap 3 (Ages 10-14) Intermediate level 1 class.

#7512 Tuesday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Schwensen, Mimi

Tap 4 (Ages 11-15) Intermediate level 2 class.

#7498 Monday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Workshop

Junior Dance Workshop A performing company for serious Beck Center dancers, ages 11-16, who study at least three classes per week. Enrollment by audition only. Auditions will be held 1/14/20 in the Gallery Studio. Contact Melanie Szucs via email at mszucs@beckcenter.org for more information.

DANCE: TEEN Ages 13-18

Ballet

All classical ballet stresses placement, theory, terminology, and technique (eclectic-primarily Russian).

Ballet 1&1B (Ages 12-18) Beginner/advanced beginner level class.

#7490 Monday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Ballet 2-3-4 (Ages 12-18) Advanced beginner/intermediate level class. Level 3-4 students will stay an extra 15 minutes.

#7536 Thursday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Ballet 3A&3B (Ages 10-14) Intermediate level 1 class. Two classes per week required.

#7510 Tuesday 6:30-7:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7522 Wednesday 4:30-5:45 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Ballet 3B (Ages 10-14) Intermediate level 1 class. Two classes per week required.

#7492 Monday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

#7537 Thursday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Ballet 4&5 (Ages 12-14) Intermediate level 2 & 3 class. Two classes per week required. Three classes per week recommended.

#7538 Thursday **5:40-6:55** PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

#7557 Saturday 10:45 AM-12:00 PM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Ballet 5 (Ages 12-14) Intermediate level 3 class. Two classes per week required. Three classes per week recommended.

#7493 Monday 5:30-6:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Ballet 6 (Ages 13-18) Intermediate level 4 class. Three ballet or pointe classes per week required.

#7485 Monday 6:45-8:00 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7514 Wednesday 6:45-8:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Ballet 6&7 (Ages 13-18) Intermediate level 4/advanced class. Three ballet or pointe classes per week required.

#7553 Saturday 12:00-1:15 PM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Ballet 7 (Ages 14-18) Advanced level class. Permission of associate director or instructor and three ballet or pointe classes per week required.

#7486 Monday 6:30-7:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

#7515 Wednesday 6:30-7:45 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

Pointe

Permission of associate director or Instructor and three ballet or pointe classes per week required.

Pointe 2&3 (Ages 12-18) Advanced beginner level 2/intermediate class.

#7524 Wednesday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Pointe 3 (Ages 13-18) Intermediate level class.

#7531 Thursday 5:30-6:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Pointe 4&5 (Ages 14-18) Advance level class.

#7504 Tuesday 5:15-6:30 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7530 Thursday 6:45-8:00 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Jazz

Contemporary American dance as seen on television and on stage in musical theater

Jazz 1 (Ages 12-18) Introductory level class for beginner students. Contemporary American dance as seen on television and on stage in musical theater.

#7565 Wednesday 8:00-9:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Harsa, Sandi

Jazz 2 (Ages 9-14) For students who have completed one year of Jazz 1.

#7496 Monday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Jazz 3 (Ages 10-15) Intermediate level 1 class.

#7539 Thursday 4:45-5:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Jazz 4&5 (Ages 13-18) Intermediate 2 / Advanced level class.

#7532 Thursday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Musical Theater Jazz (Ages 15-Up) Learn classic Broadway style jazz steps, combinations and choreography with an emphasis on musicality, character and performance quality. One year ballet or jazz technique experience required.

#7487 Monday 7:45-8:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Contemporary

Contemporary class explores a wide range of technical and artistic skills from a variety of dance genres including ballet, jazz and modern.

Contemporary 1&1B (Ages 12-17) An introductory class for beginner students. One year of ballet strongly suggested.

#7494 Monday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Contemporary 2 (Ages 12-18) For students who completed one year of Contemporary 1. One year of ballet strongly suggested.

#7511 Tuesday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Jackson, Madi

Contemporary 3&4 (Ages 13-18) Intermediate level class.

#7505 Tuesday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Jackson, Madi

Contemporary 5 (Ages 14-18) Advanced level class. Permission of associate director or instructor required.

#7554 Saturday 11:45 AM-1:15 PM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Burcher, Rebecca

Tap

American rhythmic movement with emphasis on clarity of sound, musicality, placement, and standard tap vocabulary.

Tap 1&1B (Ages 13-Up) Beginner/advanced beginner level class.

#7533 Thursday 7:45-8:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap 2 (Ages 12-Up) For students who have completed one year of Tap 1.

#7540 Thursday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap 2A (Ages 9-13) For students who have completed one year of Tap 1.

#7509 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Schwensen, Mimi

Tap 3 (Ages 10-14) Intermediate level 1 class.

#7512 Tuesday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Schwensen, Mimi

Tap 4 (Ages 11-15) Intermediate level 2 class.

#7498 Monday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap 5 (Ages 13-18) Advanced level class.

#7506 Tuesday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Schwensen, Mimi

Hip-Hop

'90s urban street dance with jazz warm-up and cool-down.

Hip Hop (Ages 12-18)

#7516 Wednesday 6:00-7:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Dance Staff

Hip Hop 1B (Ages 8-12) For students who have completed one semester of Hip Hop 1.

#7563 Wednesday 5:00-6:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Harsa, Sandi

Hip Hop 3 (Ages 11-15) For students with prior hip hop experience.

#7525 Wednesday 7:00-8:00 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Harsa, Sandi

Health & Wellness

Yoga (Ages 13-Up) A welcoming class designed for students that are looking for a softer, slow paced, well supported and relaxing yoga practice. Appropriate for all levels of experience.

#7507 Tuesday 7:00-8:00 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: McCarter, Jennifer

Pilates Conditioning (13-Up) Build strength without bulk in this mat class focusing on the basic Pilates principles: core strength, flexibility, breath, and alignment. The benefits of Pilates include improved posture, balance, core strength, and flexibility. This class is designed to accommodate all levels of fitness.

#7517 Wednesday 7:45-8:45 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

Workshop

Junior Dance Workshop A performing company for serious Beck Center dancers, ages 11-16, who study at least three classes per week. Enrollment by audition only. Auditions will be held 1/14/20 in the Gallery Studio. Contact Melanie Szucs via email at mszucs@beckcenter.org for more information.

Dance Workshop (Ages 13-18) A performing company for serious Beck Center dancers who study at least three classes per week. Enrollment by audition only. Contact Melanie Szucs, Associate Director of Dance Education for further details at 216.521.2540 x26 or mszucs@beckcenter.org.

DANCE: ADULT Ages 18-Up (except where noted)

Health & Wellness

Body Beautiful Dance and somatic exercises enhance flexibility, strength, endurance, and muscle tone along with postural alignment and fluidity of movement.

#7513 Wednesday 12:00-1:15 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Yoga (Ages 13-Up) A welcoming class designed for students that are looking for a softer, slow paced, well supported and relaxing yoga practice. Appropriate for all levels of experience.

#7507 Tuesday 7:00-8:00 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: McCarter, Jennifer

Pilates Conditioning (13-Up) Build strength without bulk in this mat class focusing on the basic Pilates principles: core strength, flexibility, breath, and alignment. The benefits of Pilates include improved posture, balance, core strength, and flexibility. This class is designed to accommodate all levels of fitness.

#7517 Wednesday 7:45-8:45 PM; 1/15-5/27; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

Yoga A vinyasa based flow that synchronizes breath with movement. The class focuses on building strength, flexibility and mindfulness. All levels welcome.

Session 1 #7558 Monday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/13-3/9; \$117; CA Dance; Instructor: McCarter, Jennifer

Session 2 #7559 Monday 10:00-11:00 AM; 3/16-5/18; \$117; CA Dance; Instructor: McCarter, Jennifer

Ballet

All classical ballet stresses placement, theory, terminology, and technique (eclectic-primarily Russian).

Ballet 1&1B Beginner/advanced beginner class. Permission of associate director or instructor required.

#7526 Thursday 8:00-9:00 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Ballet 2 For students who have completed one year of Ballet 1.

#7527 Thursday 6:55-7:55 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Soucie, Rachel

Ballet 2&3 Advanced beginner and intermediate level 1 class.

#7541 Friday 10:00-11:30 AM; 1/17-5/22; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7545 Saturday 10:30 AM-11:45 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Jackson, Madi

Ballet 3&4 Intermediate level class.

#7404 Monday 7:45-9:00 PM; 1/13-5/18; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Roberts, Anna

Contemporary

Contemporary class explores a wide range of technical and artistic skills from a variety of dance genres including ballet, jazz and modern.

Contemporary 1&2 Beginner/advanced beginner level class. Prior ballet experience recommended.

#7499 Tuesday 7:45-8:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Jackson, Madi

Jazz

Musical Theater Jazz (Ages 15-Up) Learn classic Broadway style jazz steps, combinations and choreography with an emphasis on musicality, character and performance quality. One year ballet or jazz technique experience required.

#7487 Monday 7:45-8:45 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$245; CA Dance; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap

American rhythmic movement with emphasis on clarity of sound, musicality, placement, and standard tap vocabulary.

Tap 1&1B (Ages 13-Up) Beginner/advanced beginner level class.

#7533 Thursday 7:45-8:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap 2 (Ages 12-Up) For students who have completed one year of Tap 1.

#7540 Thursday 5:45-6:45 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$245; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Hadaway, Louise

Tap 3&4 Intermediate/advanced level class.

#7500 Tuesday 7:45-8:45 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$245; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Schwensen, Mimi

ADAPTED DANCE

See pages 39-41 for Adapted Dance (Age 12-17).



MUSIC CLASSES AND PRIVATE LESSONS

The Winter/Spring Semester will run from January 13-May 23 for 19 weeks in Music Education

For group classes following the shortened Session format:

Session 1: January 13-March 14

Session 2: March 16-May 23

No Music Classes: April 10-16 for Spring Break

For exact class weeks, dates and information please see the full course descriptions especially for 9-week class sessions.

Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.

Please see all education department policies and procedures on page 52.

A Note for Beginners

The music department at Beck Center for the Arts fosters a love for music in students of all ages. From music classes to private lessons, students have many opportunities to explore the joys of making music.

When enrolling for music instruction, parents and students have the option of either group or private lessons. In private lessons, each student may learn at their own pace, and the teacher is able to focus completely on that individual student's strengths and weaknesses. A student may change from group to private lessons at any time.

Group Classes

Beck Center offers group music classes in early childhood music, piano, guitar, voice, drums, improvising, and composing. Group classes are a good way for beginners of all ages to experience an instrument and work with other students who are also beginning their musical journey. Classes are grouped by age groups: Early Childhood, Young Beginner, Pre-Teen/Teen, and Adult. In group settings, students develop rhythmic skills as well as improve skills of cooperation and peer interaction. After taking a group class, many students go on to take private lessons, which they can begin at any point in the semester. See class options on the schedule page and the course descriptions.

Our **Early Childhood Classes** are designed to introduce children from the ages of 6 months to 6 years to musical instruments and simple music concepts that will encourage future musical growth. If your child is constantly singing around the house, enjoys pounding out rhythms on pots and pans, or if you are interested in having your child eventually take private lessons, we suggest they begin by enrolling in **Kids-N-Tunes**. After taking **Kids-N-Tunes**, we suggest parents register their children for **Instrumental Classes**, **Private Lessons**, or **Voice Classes** so they may continue to explore music making.

Small Group Music

Apply your musical skills to play or sing with others during one of our Small Group Music sessions. Designed for students ages 11-18, vocalists and instrumentalists study for 14 weeks with one of our talented teaching artists in small groups of 2-6. One of the best ways to build teamwork, listening, and confidence on your instrument is by learning to play with others in small groups. See course descriptions for complete details. Private coaching sessions may also be arranged throughout the year for those that want to continue beyond the class.

Private Lessons

Private lessons at the Beck Center for the Arts are offered to anyone who wishes to learn an instrument or to increase their ability on an instrument they are studying already. Our Music Staff is an accomplished group of instructors who have years of experience helping musicians of all ages discover their true potential on a wide variety of musical instruments and in singing.

Ongoing Registration

Students may enroll at any time throughout the year. Instruction is available at all levels for 30-minute, 45-minute, or 60-minute lessons. Tuition for 17 weekly half-hour lessons will range from \$357 to \$510 (\$21 to \$30 per half-hour), depending on instructor. Lessons may begin at any time and are pro-rated for the remainder of the semester. Students may enroll at any time throughout the year.

To schedule private lessons, contact the Music Office at 216.521.2540 x17.

Registration Policies for Private Lessons

Registration: Must be made prior to first lesson. Tuition and fees are due at that time. Registration can be made by phone with payment by credit card. Lessons are prorated after the session begins.

Cancellations/Absences: Contracting for private instruction obligates a student for the entire semester. All lessons must be paid for whether taken or missed. Beck Center does not require instructors to make up student's missed lessons. In the event the instructor cancels a lesson or a class, a make-up will be offered or a fee adjustment will be made.

Refunds: After the third week, no refunds will be issued for the remaining lessons for which the student has registered.

PRIVATE LESSONS ARE OFFERED IN THE FOLLOWING:

Brass (Ages 10 to Adult) - Trumpet/cornet, trombone, French horn, mellophone, bass trombone, euphonium and tuba.

Composition/Music Theory (Ages 12 to Adult)

Guitar (Ages 5 to Adult) - Classical, electric and acoustic

Percussion (Ages 7 to Adult) - Drum set, snare, mallet, and auxiliary instruments.

Piano (Ages 5 to Adult)

Strings (Ages 5 to Adult) - Violin, viola, cello, upright bass

Ukulele (Ages 5 to Adult)

Voice (Ages 12 to Adult) - Classical, choral, musical theater, popular

Woodwinds (Ages 8 to Adult) - Clarinet, flute, piccolo, oboe and saxophone.

Folk/Jazz/Rock Instruments (Ages 5 to Adult) - Banjo, bass (upright or electric), drums, fiddle, guitar, mandolin, saxophone and voice

PRIVATE LESSONS ARE OFFERED IN THE FOLLOWING (continued)

Voice Lessons for Children

If you have a young singer in your family, look no further than Beck Center! Private **Voice Lessons** are offered for students ages 12 and older, however we believe that students should have a great beginning no matter their age. For students younger than 12, we recommend registering for **Young Beginner Voice Class Prep (ages 6-8)** or **Young Beginner Voice Class (ages 8-11)**. These classes are specially designed for children to be fun and engaging without causing damage to the voice in its earliest stages of development. We also offer a **Pre-Teen/Teen Voice Class (ages 12-18)** for students that do not have prior vocal experience or would like to sing with others. Both of these classes are repeatable and students can transfer to private lessons when their voice matures and/or it is recommended by the instructor. Read more about these classes in the **Youth and Teen Music Classes** sections.

For voice lesson questions please contact the Music Department at 216.521.2540 x17.

Small Group Music / Chamber Coaches – Classes for small groups/ensembles are available for students ages 12-18 in our Jazz Combo and Small Group: Strings classes. Chamber coaches in these instruments and more are also available for established groups.

Student Showcases

Student Showcases provide students with the opportunity to perform for friends, family, and peers in a relaxed recital setting. Beck Center students enrolled in the Music and Theater Education as well as Creative Arts Therapies departments are welcome to participate. Students should work with their private or group class instructor to determine pieces that are ready to perform. Each student receives a timeslot of up to 5 minutes. All participants must be available at least 30 min prior to the performance start time for check-in and warmups. Participation is free of charge for Beck Center students, although piano accompanist fees may be required. These events are free and open to the public in the Music & Dance Building Recital Hall and provide opportunities for friends and family members to support and encourage our wonderful music makers.

Upcoming Student Showcase Dates for the 2019-2020:

- Holiday Music Showcase Saturday, December 14, 4:00 pm
- Solo & Ensemble Run-through Saturday, January 18, 4:00 pm
- Pop, Rock, Jazz Concert Friday, February 21, 6:00 pm
- Music Finale Showcase Saturday, May 23, 4:00 pm

Previous Showcases: Faculty Showcase Sept 14; Music Soiree Oct 4

Music Faculty

The music faculty at Beck Center for the Arts is a group of professionals dedicated to passing on a tradition of music exploration and excellence to students of all ages. Through private lessons and classes, our faculty shares their passion for music making with students from throughout the community.

- Winds & Brass**
- Bruce Biggin** - oboe
 - Alicia Gallucci** - flute and piccolo
 - Juan Ingram** - trumpet, brass instruments
 - Van Parker** - French horn, mellophone, music theory
 - Justin Rowan** - trumpet, French horn
 - Andrew Stefaniak** - clarinet and piano
 - Dan Wenninger** - saxophone
 - Kimberly Zaleski** - flute and piccolo
- Percussion**
- Sebastian Araya Luengo** - drum set and percussion
 - Carmen Castaldi** - drum set and percussion, improvisation
- Guitar**
- Andrew Bonnis** - guitar, banjo, ukulele, mandolin, upright/electric bass, voice (roots & jazz)
 - Chris Ellicott** - guitar, paired guitar lessons, ukulele
 - Michael Simile** - guitar
 - Chuck Smolko** - guitar and beginning piano
 - Dr. Amy Wooley** – voice, guitar & ukulele, fiddle
- Piano**
- Beverly Cashin** - piano
 - Daniel Chen** - piano
 - Chuck Smolko** - guitar and beginning piano
 - Tess Snyder** - voice, beginning piano, composition
 - Andrew Stefaniak** - clarinet and beginning piano
 - Rosalima Valdez Pham** - piano
 - Vilma Vargo** - piano
- Voice**
- Elizabeth Baumgartner** - voice
 - Jason Fuh** - voice
 - Loren Reash-Henz** - voice
 - Tess Snyder** - voice, beginning piano, composition
 - Dr. Amy Wooley** - voice, guitar & ukulele, fiddle
- Strings**
- Sarah Becker** - violin and viola
 - Andrew Bonnis** - guitar, banjo, ukulele, mandolin, upright/electric bass, voice (roots & jazz)
 - Chris DeMarco** - bass (upright & electric)
 - Jessica Firing** - violin; Suzuki violin
 - Robert Nicholson** - cello
 - Dr. Amy Wooley** - voice, guitar & ukulele, fiddle

WINTER/SPRING MUSIC EDUCATION SCHEDULE

January 13-May 23. No classes April 10-16

Session 1: January 13-March 14

Session 2: March 16-May 23

#XXXX represents the catalog course number.

Classes with two sessions are comprised of two 9-week sessions unless noted. Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.
Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
Jan 13	MONDAY					
7388	Piano Beginner 1	6-8	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$189	MD 104	Smolko
7389	Piano Beginner 1	9-12	5:00 PM -5:45 PM	\$189	MD 104	Smolko
7386	Guitar Beginner 1	9-12	6:00 PM -6:45 PM	\$175	MD 104	Smolko
Session 1: Jan 14 / Session 2: Mar 15	TUESDAY					
7397/7398	Ukulele 1	6-10	5:00 PM -5:45 PM	\$115	MD 101	Wooley
7399	Ukulele Group	18-Up	5:45 PM -6:30 PM	\$189	MD 101	Wooley
7393	Piano Beginner 2	6-12	6:00 PM -6:45 PM	\$189	MD 104	Smolko
Session 1: Jan 15 / Session 2: Mar 16	WEDNESDAY					
7367/7368	Kids-n-Tunes Family	Birth-5yrs	9:45 AM -10:15 AM	\$90	CA Dance	Corigliano
7369/7370	Kids-n-Tunes	18 mos-3 yrs	10:30 AM -11:00 AM	\$90	CA Dance	Corigliano
7365/7366	Kids-n-Tunes Babies	Birth-18 mos	11:15 AM -11:35 AM	\$90	CA Dance	Corigliano
7401	Voice Beginner Prep	6-8	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$189	MD 101	Wooley
7387	Jazz Combo	11-18	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$210	MD 104	Wenninger
7402	Voice Beginner	9-12	5:00 PM -5:45 PM	\$189	MD 101	Wooley
7373/7374	Music Discovery	4-6	5:15 PM -5:45 PM	\$90	Main 207	Friedman-Romell
7371/7372	Kids-n-Tunes	Birth-5 yrs	6:00 PM -6:30 PM	\$90	Main 207	Friedman-Romell
7403	Voice Intermediate	12-18	6:00 PM -6:45 PM	\$189	MD 101	Wooley
7395	Piano/Adult	18-Up	6:15 PM -7:00 PM	\$189	MD 104	Stefaniak
7396	Small Ensemble: Strings	11-18	7:15 PM -8:15 PM	\$210	MD 104	Nicholson
Session 1: Jan 16 / Session 2: Mar 19	THURSDAY					
7381/7382	Drum Discovery	4-6	4:15 PM -4:45 PM	\$105	MD 101	Wooley
7400	Violin Beginner	6-9	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$175	Main 205	Becker
7383/7384	Drum Discovery	6-9	4:45 PM -5:15 PM	\$105	MD 101	Wooley
7385	Drum/ Percussion Beginner	9-12	5:45 PM -6:30 PM	\$175	MD 101	Araya Luengo
Session 1: Jan 18	SATURDAY					
7390	Piano Beginner 1	6-8	10:45 AM -11:30 AM	\$189	MD 104	Stefaniak
7380	A Cappella Ensemble	13-19	11:00 AM -12:30 PM	\$289	MD 101	Snyder
7392	Piano Beginner 2	6-12	11:30 AM -12:15 PM	\$189	MD 104	Stefaniak
7391	Piano Beginner 1	9-12	12:15 PM -1:00 PM	\$189	MD 104	Stefaniak
7394	Piano/Adult	18-Up	1:00 PM -1:45 PM	\$189	MD 104	Stefaniak

MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building

PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS

Private lessons are offered to individuals wishing to learn an instrument or to increase ability on an instrument they are already studying. Our Music Staff is an accomplished group of instructors who have years of experience helping musicians of all ages discover their true potential on a variety of instruments such as piano, strings, brass, woodwinds, guitar, bass, ukulele, percussion and voice.

Contact the Music Office at 216.521.2540 x17 for information.

MUSIC THERAPY & ADAPTED LESSONS

Music classes for individuals with special needs offered through our Creative Arts Therapies Department. Services for individuals with special needs are offered as weekly individual or small group sessions which range from 30-60 minutes in length and begin at any time.

Contact Lauren Travillian at 216.521.2540 x34 for information.

Music Faculty

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Jessica Firing is an arts administrator and violinist passionate about education and increasing access to the arts for all. She holds a Bachelor of Music in Violin Performance from Baldwin Wallace University and a Master of Science in Arts Administration from Boston University. As an administrator, Jessica has a background in Development & Fundraising, holding positions at Rainey Institute in Cleveland and Powers Music School in the Boston area. Jessica has been teaching violin since 2009, and has also taught through the Suzuki Program at Baldwin Wallace Community Music School in addition to Beck Center. Jessica has completed Suzuki violin teacher training through Book 4 and has attended Mimi Zweig's teacher training workshop at Jacob's School of Music. She is an active member of the American String Teachers Association and the Suzuki Association of the Americas. Jessica has completed Suzuki violin teacher training through Book 4 and has attended Mimi Zweig's teacher training workshop at Jacob's School of Music. She is an active member of the American String Teachers Association and the Suzuki Association of the Americas.

MUSIC: EARLY CHILDHOOD Ages Birth-6 years

Please see pages 15-16 for information about music lessons for students of all ages.

Kids-N-Tunes (Ages Birth-5 yrs) Enjoy a creative class filled with singing, listening, instrument playing, and moving alongside your child! Parents/caregivers learn ways to use music at home while children participate in success oriented; developmentally appropriate activities helping them learn and grow with new friends.

Note: No street shoes allowed on dance surfaces, plan to wear socks or participate in bare feet.

Wednesday; Tuition: \$90 (first child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for parent/caregiver.

Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2/15/20 and save 10% off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7365 (Ages Birth-18 mos) Wednesday 11:15-11:35 AM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 2 #7366 (Ages Birth-18 mos) Wednesday 11:15-11:35 AM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 1 #7367 (Ages Birth-5yrs - Families) Wednesday 9:45-10:15 AM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 2 #7368 (Ages Birth-5yrs - Families) Wednesday 9:45-10:15 AM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 1 #7369 (Ages 18 mos-3 yrs) Wednesday 10:30-11:00 AM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 2 #7370 (Ages 18 mos-3 yrs) Wednesday 10:30-11:00 AM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 1 #7371 (Ages Birth-5 yrs - Families) Wednesday 6:00-6:30 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Session 2 #7372 (Ages Birth-5 yrs - Families) Wednesday 6:00-6:30 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Drum Discovery (Ages 4-9) A creative class introducing students to rhythm and applying what they learn on many types of drums, shakers, creating music with their body, and even paint buckets. Students will develop listening skills, learn the building blocks of music, and teamwork as they work together as a class

Note: Tuition: \$105 (first child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for parent/caregiver.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7381 (Ages 4-6) Thursday 4:15-4:45 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$105; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Session 2 #7382 (Ages 4-6) Thursday 4:15-4:45 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$105; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Music Discovery (Ages 4-6) A class filled with singing, listening, instrument playing, and movement experiences. Children will engage in activities that build musical and developmental skills through the use of success oriented activities.

Note: No street shoes allowed on dance surfaces, plan to wear socks or participate in bare feet. Tuition: \$70 (first child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2/15/20 and save 10% off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7373 Wednesday 5:15-5:45 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Session 2 #7374 Wednesday 5:15-5:45 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Ukulele 1 (Ages 6-10) Session 1: Jump in and learn to play songs right away with Dr. Wooley's simple approach to learning the ukulele. Students will learn chords, melody lines, and improvisation through group study of folk and rock tunes. Students may take this course as a prerequisite to learning the guitar. No experience necessary. Student provides ukulele.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7397 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$115; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Session 2 #7398 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$115; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Violin Beginner (Ages 6-9) Using material from the Suzuki Method and familiar songs, students learn instrument posture, tone production, and how to play together. A small selection of violins are available to rent from Beck for \$15/month or \$75/semester. Other class materials provided.

#7400 Thursday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/16-4/23; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Becker, Sarah

MUSIC: EARLY CHILDHOOD/YOUTH Ages 6-13

Please see pages 15-16 for information about music lessons for students of all ages.

Piano Classes

Piano Beginner 1 (Ages 6-8) For students who have benefited from early childhood music classes or for young students looking to try an instrument, this class covers basic music reading skills, rhythm skills, and correct piano technique. Students learn songs that are hands alone and - by the end of the class - hands together. Music book included. Group piano lessons take place in the Beck Center Music Department piano lab, equipped with seven Yamaha digital pianos which allows for group as well as individual instruction.

#7388 Monday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/13-4/20; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Smolko, Chuck

#7390 Saturday 10:45-11:30 AM; 1/18-4/25; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Stefaniak, Andrew

Piano Beginner 1 (Ages 9-12) For students who have benefited from early childhood music classes or for students looking to try an instrument, this class covers basic music reading skills, rhythm skills, and correct piano technique. Students learn songs that are hands alone and - by the end of the class - hands together Music book included. Group piano lessons take place in the Beck Center Music Department piano lab, equipped with seven Yamaha digital pianos which allows for group as well as individual instruction.

#7389 Monday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/13-4/20; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Smolko, Chuck

#7391 Saturday 12:15-1:00 PM; 1/18-4/25; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Stefaniak, Andrew

Piano Beginner 2 (Ages 6-12) For students who have already completed the intro level, Piano Beginner 1 course, this class covers basic music reading skills, rhythm skills, and correct piano technique. Students learn songs that are hands alone and - by the end of the class - hands together. Music book included. Group piano lessons take place the Beck Center Music department piano lab, equipped with seven Yamaha digital pianos which allows for group as well as individual instruction.

#7393 Tuesday 6:00-6:45 PM; 1/14-4/21; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Smolko, Chuck

#7392 Saturday 11:30 AM-12:15 PM; 1/18-4/25; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Stefaniak, Andrew

Voice Classes

Voice Class Beginner Prep (Ages 6-11) An introductory class for beginning vocalists to develop the basics in a nurturing group setting. Class focuses on learning songs, developing rhythm, recognizing music symbols, and building awareness of breath and body. Emphasis on basic skills of memorization and rhythm through interactive repetition. Students gain confidence and develop a solid groundwork for future musical studies. This class may be taken as a prerequisite to Voice Beginner (Ages 9-12).

#7401 (Ages 6-8) Wednesday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$189; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Voice Beginner (Ages 9-12) An introductory class for beginning vocalists to develop the basics in a nurturing group setting. Class focuses on learning songs, developing rhythm, recognizing music symbols, performance practice, group feedback, and developing awareness of vocal production. Emphasis on skills of memorization, pitch matching, expression, and rhythm through interactive repetition. Students gain confidence, terminology, and develop a solid groundwork for future musical studies.

#7402 Wednesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$189; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Voice Intermediate (Ages 12-18) This class builds a solid foundation of vocal technique, performance practice, and students pursue vocal pieces based on their musical goals. Students will work on individual and group songs. This class presents a nurturing environment to build confidence in each student to prepare them for the stage, including the audition process. A performance for family members will be held on the last class.

#7403 Wednesday 6:00-6:45 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$189; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Guitar & Ukulele Classes

Ukulele 1 (Ages 6-10) Session 1: Jump in and learn to play songs right away with Dr. Wooley's simple approach to learning the ukulele. Students will learn chords, melody lines, and improvisation through group study of folk and rock tunes. Students may take this course as a prerequisite to learning the guitar. No experience necessary. Student provides ukulele.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7397 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$115; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Session 2 #7398 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$115; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Guitar Beginner 1 (Ages 9-12) Designed for the complete beginner, students will learn the basics of guitar playing including posture, right and left hands, note names, reading, ear training, and more. Music book included. Student provides acoustic guitar, strap, tuner and adjustable foot rest.

#7386 Monday 6:00-6:45 PM; 1/13-4/20; \$175; MD 104; Instructor: Smolko, Chuck

Strings

Violin Beginner (Ages 6-9) Using material from the Suzuki Method and familiar songs, students learn instrument posture, tone production, and how to play together. A small selection of violins are available to rent from Beck for \$15/month or \$75/semester. Other class materials provided.

#7400 Thursday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/16-4/23; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Becker, Sarah

Drumming

Drum Discovery (Ages 4-9) A creative class introducing students to rhythm and applying what they learn on many types of drums, shakers, creating music with their body, and even paint buckets. Students will develop listening skills, learn the building blocks of music, and teamwork as they work together as a class.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7383 (Ages 6-9) Thursday 4:45-5:15 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$105; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Session 2 #7384 (Ages 6-9) Thursday 4:45-5:15 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$105; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Drum/Percussion Beginner (Ages 9-12) An introductory course designed to teach students rhythm and explore the drum and percussion world. Students will explore different styles of music including rock music, Latin, African, and more. Develop listening skills, reading music, teamwork, and foundational music skills that apply to any future music studies. Students interested in pursuing drum set may take this class as a prerequisite to private drum lessons.

#7385 Thursday 5:45-6:30 PM; 1/16-4/23; \$175; MD 101; Instructor: Araya Luengo, Sebastian

Small Group Music Experiences

Note: Two 8-week sessions are offered during the Winter/Spring Semester.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Small Ensemble: Strings (Ages 11-18) Learn the fun of playing with others! Instruction-led small groups will be assembled with 2-6 musicians each. The class will include group reading sessions, coachings, and group practice time. Strengthen your listening and confidence for your ensemble or orchestra playing, or explore playing music with others for the first time. Prior experience on your instrument is needed. All string instruments are welcome: violin, viola, cello, bass. Every student will play an independent part, so please note that attendance in each class is essential for the success of the whole group. This class focuses on classical music, but different musical genres may be explored based on student interests.

#7396 Wednesday 7:15-8:15 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$210; MD 104; Instructor: Nicholson, Robert

Jazz Combo (Ages 11-18) Learn the fun of playing with others in the Beck Jazz Combo. Instruments needed: melody instruments such as saxophone, clarinet, violin, or trumpet, rhythm instruments of guitar, bass, and piano. Other brass, wind, and string instruments also welcome. Classtime will include group reading sessions, coachings, and group practice time. Strengthen your listening and confidence for your band or ensemble playing, or explore playing music with others for the first time. Prior experience on your instrument is needed.

#7387 Wednesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$210; MD 104; Instructor: Wenninger, Daniel

A Cappella Ensemble (Ages 13-19) In this ensemble, students will work on arrangements from a cappella master Deke Sharon of GLEE and Pitch Perfect fame and others, as well as original arrangements of popular tunes that the students will create together under the directorship of Beck Voice Faculty, Tess Snyder. No audition is necessary, but students must be strong singers and musicians, able to sing their part independently, be disciplined, and ready to work diligently. The focus of this course will be on a cappella and pop style, ensemble skills, performance acumen, and musicianship. There will be many opportunities for solos and leads, with all participants expected to sing ensemble as well. The Aca-Becksters will perform in concert at Beck Center, on Music Department Recitals, and other venues as able. Join the "aca-fun!"

#7380 Saturday 11:00 AM-12:30 PM; 1/18-4/25; \$289; MD 101; Instructor: Snyder, Tess

MUSIC: TEEN/ADULT Ages 14-18 (unless otherwise noted)

Please see pages 15-16 for information about music lessons for students of all ages.

Voice Classes

Voice Intermediate (Ages 12-18) This class builds a solid foundation of vocal technique, performance practice, and students pursue vocal pieces based on their musical goals. Students will work on individual and group songs. This class presents a nurturing environment to build confidence in each student to prepare them for the stage, including the audition process. A performance for family members will be held on the last class.

#7403 Wednesday 6:00-6:45 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$189; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Small Group Music Experiences

Note: Two 8-week sessions are offered during the Winter/Spring Semester.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Small Ensemble: Strings (Ages 11-18) Learn the fun of playing with others! Instruction-led small groups will be assembled with 2-6 musicians each. The class will include group reading sessions, coachings, and group practice time. Strengthen your listening and confidence for your ensemble or orchestra playing, or explore playing music with others for the first time. Prior experience on your instrument is needed. All string instruments are welcome: violin, viola, cello, bass. Every student will play an independent part, so please note that attendance in each class is essential for the success of the whole group. This class focuses on classical music, but different musical genres may be explored based on student interests.

#7396 Wednesday 7:15-8:15 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$210; MD 104; Instructor: Nicholson, Robert

Jazz Combo (Ages 11-18) Learn the fun of playing with others in the Beck Jazz Combo. Instruments needed: melody instruments such as saxophone, clarinet, violin, or trumpet, rhythm instruments of guitar, bass, and piano. Other brass, wind, and string instruments also welcome. Classtime will include group reading sessions, coachings, and group practice time. Strengthen your listening and confidence for your band or ensemble playing, or explore playing music with others for the first time. Prior experience on your instrument is needed.

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A Cappella Ensemble (Ages 13-19) In this ensemble, students will work on arrangements from a cappella master Deke Sharon of GLEE and Pitch Perfect fame and others, as well as original arrangements of popular tunes that the students will create together under the directorship of Beck Voice Faculty, Tess Snyder. No audition is necessary, but students must be strong singers and musicians, able to sing their part independently, be disciplined, and ready to work diligently. The focus of this course will be on a cappella and pop style, ensemble skills, performance acumen, and musicianship. There will be many opportunities for solos and leads, with all participants expected to sing ensemble as well. The Aca-Becksters will perform in concert at Beck Center, on Music Department Recitals, and other venues as able. Join the "aca-fun!"

#7380 Saturday 11:00 AM-12:30 PM; 1/18-4/25; \$289; MD 101; Instructor: Snyder, Tess

MUSIC: TEEN/ADULT Ages 14-Up (unless otherwise noted)

Please see pages 14-15 for information about music lessons for students of all ages.

Piano/Adult (Ages 18-Up) This adult piano course is geared to adult beginners, or those who studied piano and are looking to pick up the instrument again. The class covers basic music reading skills, rhythm skills, and correct piano technique. Students learn songs that are hands alone and - by the end of the class - hands together. Music book included. Group piano lessons take place in the Beck Center Music Department piano lab, equipped with seven Yamaha digital pianos which allows for group as well as individual instruction.

#7395 Wednesday 6:15-7:00 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Stefaniak, Andrew

#7394 Saturday 1:00-1:45 PM; 1/18-4/25; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Stefaniak, Andrew

Ukulele Group (Ages 18-up) Start making music right away in ukulele group class! Designed for adults with little or no prior music experience, this welcoming class introduces students to a fun and stress-relieving musical exploration in folk, old-time, and popular tunes. Sheet music provided, and an optional supply list may be provided at the first class. Bring your own ukulele in any size.

#7399 Tuesday 5:45-6:30 PM; 1/14-4/21; \$189; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

MUSIC THERAPY & ADAPTED MUSIC

See pages 39-41 for Music Discovery (Ages 4-6), Adapted Music (Age 12-17) and Music Makers (Ages 18-Up).



THEATER

The Winter/Spring Semester will run from January 20-May 2 for 14 weeks in Theater Education

No Theater Classes: April 10-16 for Spring Break

For exact class weeks, dates and information please see the full course descriptions.

Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.

Please see all education department policies and procedures on page 52.

Theater classes are offered for all ages, from age 2 through adult. Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis and are subject to change or cancellation.

Apparel

Appropriate clothing is required in all classes. Students should wear clothing that allows for free and uninhibited movement (loose comfortable pants and shirt) and shoes such as sneakers, dance shoes, or any other type of shoe that can be securely fastened so they will not slip off the student's feet. Students in dance classes need jazz shoes and should have long hair tied back.

Special Note: Our Curriculum and Saturday Classes

Our curriculum and learning process is designed so that students take part in two-hours of class time each Saturday. However, exceptional situations may require a student to only enroll in one hour of class. Please contact Sarah Clare at 216.521.2540 x27 to discuss possibilities for your child. There is a substantial savings for enrolling in both classes.

Private Lessons

Sessions are available from select members of the faculty and Associate Director of Theater Education, Sarah Clare. Lessons are designed for the theater student who may be preparing for a role, audition or applying for college. Contact the associate director at 216.521.2540 x27. Fees are \$25 for a 30 minute lesson. Accompanist is available for an additional fee of \$30 for a 30 minute lessons.

Special Days for Parents

Orientation for Winter/Spring Classes: *Monday, January 20-Saturday, January 25*

Parents are encouraged to attend a brief orientation in the classroom on the first day of classes. This orientation allows parents and students to meet their teachers, review classroom and general expectations, and provide information about special events throughout the semester.

Students registered for the Saturday Fundamentals and Youth Core classes are asked to check-in at our main lobby between 8:40-9:00 AM on January 25. Those arriving for only a 10:00 AM class should check-in at Customer Service to receive orientation information.

Students registered for the Saturday Teen Core classes are asked to check-in at Customer Service between 11:00-11:15 AM on January 25. Those arriving for only a 12:15 PM class, should check-in at Customer Service that day to receive orientation information.

Introduction to the Audition – A Seminar for Parents: *Saturday, January 25: 10:00 AM*

This 30-45-minute seminar is strongly recommended for parents new to theater and the audition process. The associate director of Theater Education will meet with parents to provide information about the audition and casting process (both at Beck and in general). A simple presentation will be followed by a question and answer period. The meeting location will be confirmed that morning.

Family Observation Week *Monday, April 27-Saturday, May 2; during regular class times*

Theater Education opens its doors and welcomes family and friends to observe final classes of the semester and view the work in process. Following Saturday classes on May 2, there is a short reception in the Daniels Lounge sponsored by Theater Alliance of Beck Center.

Bring-A-Friend Week *Second week of classes Monday, January 27-Saturday, February 1; during regular class times*

Theater Education wants you to share your art experiences with a good friend. Invite someone to come to class with you to take part in the creativity, fun and learning that happens here every week. All ages welcome, just be sure it is someone that matches the age range for the class. More information to come!

71st Youth Theater Season

Beck Center is proud to be the home of one of the longest continuously running youth theater programs in the country - now celebrating its 71st season! In addition to providing quality classes, Beck Center stages four fully mounted youth theater productions each year. Students must be enrolled in classes or lessons at Beck Center to take part in productions. [Click here to view the 2019-2020 Season](#)

The Trials of Robin Hood

Written by Will Averill
Directed by Russel Stich
Mackey Theater
October 24-27, 2019

Mockingbird

Adapted by Julie Jensen
From the novel by Kathryn Erskine
Directed by Sarah Clare
Studio Theater
February 28-March 8, 2020

Once Upon A Decade

Written by Rachel Spence
Studio Theater
December 13-22, 2019

Roald Dahl's James and the Giant Peach

Words and Music by Benj Pasek & Justin Paul
Book by Timothy Allen McDonald
Based on the book *James and the Giant Peach* by Roald Dahl
Direction & Musical Direction by Jordan Cooper
Mackey Theater
May 8-17, 2020

Theater Faculty

[Click here to learn more about Beck Center's outstanding faculty!](#)



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Sarah has a B.A. in Dramatic Arts from Cleveland State University, a teaching license in Integrated Language Arts for Adolescence/Young Adults, and is currently working on her Masters of Education Degree at Baldwin Wallace University. Beyond serving as the Associate Director of Theater Education, she teaches the early childhood courses, and summer camps at Beck Center, and directs/choreographs the spring musical at Rocky River Middle School. She previously held the various positions of Youth Theater Coordinator, Box Office Manager, and the Artistic Director for Cassidy Theater, and served as the resident choreographer for Lake Catholic High School. She has worked as a teacher, director, choreographer, performer, makeup artist, and costumer for many area theaters including Cain Park, Near West, Lakeland Civic Theater, Rabbit Run Theater, Beck Center, and Cassidy Theater. Previous directing/choreography credits include *Seussical*, *The Wizard of Oz*, *Little Women*, *Avenue Q: School Edition*, *The Music Man*, *Altar Boyz*, *Oklahoma!*, *Urinetown: The Musical*, *A Year With Frog and Toad*, *Kiss Me Kate*, *Children of Eden*, and more.



WINTER/SPRING THEATER EDUCATION SCHEDULE

January 13-May 23. No classes April 10-16

Session 1: January 13-March 14

Session 2: March 16-May 2

#XXXX represents the catalog course number.

Classes with two sessions are comprised of two 9-week sessions unless noted. Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.
Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
MONDAY						
Session 1: Jan 20 / Session 2: Mar 16						
7578/7579	Adult Acting: The Basics	18-Up	6:30 PM -8:30 PM	\$120	Main 107	Hart
TUESDAY						
Jan 21						
7580	Acting Adventures	5-7	4:30 PM -5:15 PM	\$175	Main 205	Staff
7581	Acting I	8-12	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$175	Main 107	Spence
7582	Acting II	8-13	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$175	Main 107	Spence
WEDNESDAY						
Jan 22						
7585	Little Folks Theater I	4-5	4:30 PM -5:15 PM	\$175	Main 205	Staff
7583	Acting I	8-12	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$175	Main 107	Spence
7586	Little Folks Theater II	6-7	5:30 PM -6:15 PM	\$175	Main 205	Staff
7584	Scene Study	9-13	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$175	Main 107	Spence
THURSDAY						
Session 1: Jan 23 / Session 2: Mar 19						
7587	Accents and Dialects	8-12	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$175	Main 107	Wetula
7591	Improvisation	11-17	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$175	Main 107	Patterson
7589/7590	Adult Improv: The Basics	18-Up	6:45 PM -7:45 PM	\$80/\$60	Main 107	Patterson
7588	Adult Improv: Improv Games	18-Up	8:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$80	Main 107	Patterson
SATURDAY						
Jan 25						
7593 – Begin Feb 1	Kids-n-Theater	2-4	9:30 AM -10:15 AM	\$165	Main 205	Clare
7592 – Begin Feb 1	Acting Adventures	5-7	10:30 AM -11:15 AM	\$165	Main 205	Clare
7594 – Begin Feb 1	Little Folks Theater I	4-5	11:30 AM -12:15 PM	\$165	Main 205	Clare
7595 – Begin Feb 1	Little Folks Theater II	6-7	12:30 PM -1:15 PM	\$165	Main 205	Clare
7618 Begins Jan 25	Fundamentals of Theater	Ages 8-9	9:00-11:00 AM	Classes designed to take these offerings together \$310 when enrolling in both classes		
7614	Fundamentals: Acting	8-9	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$175	Main 203	Messina
7615	Fundamentals: Musical Theater	8-9	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$175	MAIN Skylight	Krol
7618 Begins Jan 25	Essentials of Theater	Ages 10-12	9:00-11:00 AM	Classes designed to take these offerings together \$310 when enrolling in both classes		
7613	Essentials: Musical Theater	10-12	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$175	MAIN Skylight	Krol
7612	Essentials: Acting	10-12	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$175	Main 203	Messina
7617 Begins Jan 25	Youth Core Classes	Ages 8-12	9:00-11:00 AM	Classes designed to take these offerings together \$310 when enrolling in both classes		
7604	The Actor's Toolbox	8-12	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$175	Main 105	Wetula
7607	Advanced Acting	8-12	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$175	Studio Theater	Spence
7605	Improv 101	8-12	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$175	Main 107	Stich
7606	Musical Theater Dance II	8-12	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$175	CA Dance	Huebner
7577	Musical Theatre Song Writing	10-12	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$175	Main 207	Dolan
7610	Accents and Dialects	8-12	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$175	Main 105	Wetula
7603	Acting I	8-12	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$175	Studio Theater	Spence
7608	Improv for Performance	8-12	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$175	Main 107	Stich
7609	Musical Theater Dance I	8-12	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$175	CA Dance	Huebner
7611	Singing The Modern Musical	8-10	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$175	Main 207	Dolan
7616 Begins Jan 25	Teen Core Classes	Ages 13-19	11:15 AM-1:15 PM	Classes designed to take these offerings together \$310 when enrolling in both classes		
7597	Advanced Acting	13-19	11:15 AM -12:15 PM	\$175	Studio Theater	Hart
7596	Improv 101	13-19	11:15 AM -12:15 PM	\$175	Main 107	Stich
7598	Musical Theater Choreography	13-19	11:15 AM -12:15 PM	\$175	CA Dance	Huebner
7576	Sondheim for Teens	13-19	11:15 AM -12:15 PM	\$175	Main 207	Krol
7599	Acting Essentials	13-19	12:15 PM -1:15 PM	\$175	Studio Theater	Hart
7602	The Actor's Story	13-19	12:15 PM -1:15 PM	\$175	Main 203	Messina
7600	Improv Characters	13-19	12:15 PM -1:15 PM	\$175	Main 107	Stich
7601	Singing Ballads	13-19	12:15 PM -1:15 PM	\$175	Main 207	Krol

MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building

THEATER CLASSES: EARLY CHILDHOOD Ages 2-7

Acting Adventures (Ages 5-7) This class is designed to introduce children to theater through improvised imagination as each week students collectively conquer a new adventure. Students focus on projecting their voices, listening for directions, developing stage presence, and working together while stretching their imaginations. Parents are welcome to attend the final class to participate in one of these amazing adventures.

#7580 Tuesday 4:30-5:15 PM; 1/21-4/28; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Theater Staff

#7592 Saturday 10:30-11:15 AM; 2/1-5/2; \$165; Main 205; Instructor: Clare, Sarah

Kids-N-Theater (Ages 2-4) Parents/caregivers and children take part in basic theater skills (singing, movement, and acting) in a lively, creative, positive classroom atmosphere. Each class provides an opportunity for everyone to share in the theatrical experience. Parents/caregivers are in the classroom with the child and participate during every session.

Note: Tuition: \$165 (first child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for parent/caregiver.

#7593 Saturday 9:30-10:15 AM; 2/1-5/2; \$165; Main 205; Instructor: Clare, Sarah

Little Folks Theater I (Ages 4-5) Little Folks introduces our younger students to the magic of theater and is also designed for returning students as new exercises and material are explored each semester. Children engage in lively classroom activities involving creative dramatics, movement, listening skills, and creative art. This class stresses positive self-development and interaction and concludes with an informal presentation for family and friends.

#7585 Wednesday 4:30-5:15 PM; 1/22-4/29; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Theater Staff

#7594 Saturday 11:30 AM-12:15 PM; 2/1-5/2; \$165; Main 205; Instructor: Clare, Sarah

Little Folks Theater II (Ages 6-7) Continuing from and building upon the work started in Little Folks Theater, students delve deeper in their exploration of creative dramatics, movement, listening skills, and creative art. The class stresses positive self-development and interaction and concludes with an informal presentation for family and friends. You do not need to have taken Little Folks Theater I to enroll in Little Folks Theater II.

#7586 Wednesday 5:30-6:15 PM; 1/22-4/29; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Theater Staff

#7595 Saturday 12:30-1:15 PM; 2/1-5/2; \$165; Main 205; Instructor: Clare, Sarah

THEATER CLASSES: Youth Ages 8-12

Weekday Classes

Accents and Dialects (Ages 8-12) Through exercises and games, students will learn the basics of some commonly used theater accents. The class will explore and identify characteristics of British RP, Cockney, and Irish accents. Students will then use these accents to approach new characters.

#7587 Thursday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/23-4/30; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Wetula, Pamela

Acting I (Ages 8-12) Beginning and continuing students explore the elements of stage performance through theater games, exercises and scene study.

#7581 Tuesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/21-4/28; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Spence, Rachel

#7583 Wednesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/22-4/29; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Spence, Rachel

Acting II (Ages 8-13) For students who have completed Acting I, Acting Essentials or equivalent. Students explore more challenging material with a variety of small scenes and monologues focusing on character, objective, and performance styles.

#7582 Tuesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/21-4/28; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Spence, Rachel

Scene Study: Youth (Ages 9-13) For students who have completed Acting II or equivalent. This class offers the next level in challenging material through a variety of small scenes and monologues focusing on character, objective, and needs of the individual actor.

#7584 Wednesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/22-4/29; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Spence, Rachel

Improvisation (Ages 11-17) This class offers a basic exploration and strengthening of the principles of improvisation. Through games and exercises students develop creativity and spontaneity while building confidence.

#7591 Thursday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/23-4/30; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Patterson, Aaron

Saturday Classes

Fundamentals & Essentials of Theater

These two sets of classes are geared towards students who want to explore all three areas of musical theater. They are perfect for students just starting in theater, needing a refresher, or for those that want instruction in acting, music, and dance. Repetition of these classes is highly recommended as materials are changed for each session. Each session is catered to the students enrolled. Strong second-grade level reading skills are needed to participate in Fundamentals and Essentials. Students work with three teachers and cover three core disciplines: acting, singing, and dancing.

#7618 Saturday 9:00-11:00 AM; 2/2-5/11; \$310 when registering for two classes in this section

Fundamentals (Ages 8-9)

Fundamentals: Acting Students explore basic acting skills through focused exercises and theater games. These activities reinforce listening and reaction skills and interaction between actors. Students learn the groundwork of stage performance and the language of theater study. New scenes and activities each session.

#7614 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 203; Instructor: Messina, Jenna

Fundamentals: Musical Theater In this exploration of singing and dancing in the style of musical theater, students learn basic and commonly used techniques in vocal and movement performance. Skills include proper warm-ups, breath support and vocal production, basic sight reading, direction, and memorization. Students work with a choreographer to develop movement sequences and dances to accompany vocal work. New content is explored each semester. Perfect for new and returning students interested in musical theater.

#7615 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main Skylight; Instructor: Krol, John

Essentials (Ages 10-12)

Essentials: Acting Students continue to explore acting skills through focused exercises and theater games. These activities reinforce creativity, and interaction between actors. Students learn the essentials of stage performance and the language of theater study. New scenes and activities each session.

#7612 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 203; Instructor: Messina, Jenna

Essentials: Musical Theater In this exploration of singing and dancing in the style of musical theater, students learn commonly used techniques in vocal and movement performance. Skills include proper warm-ups, breath support and vocal production, basic sight reading, direction, and memorization. Students work with a choreographer to develop more difficult movement sequences and dances to accompany vocal work. Featuring a constantly rotating program of songs and dances. Perfect for new and returning students interested in musical theater.

#7613 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; MAIN Skylight; Instructor: Krol, John



Saturday Classes continued

Youth Core Classes (Ages 8-12) For students who have completed at least one semester of Fundamentals, Essentials, or equivalent with the permission of Sarah Clare, Associate Director of Theater Education at 216.521.2540 x27. Strong second-grade level reading skills are needed to participate in Youth Core classes. Students select two classes, one from each hour, and switch after the first hour. Core classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis and are subject to change or cancellation.

#7617 Saturday 9:00-11:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$310 when registering for two classes in this section
Choose one 9:00 AM class & one 10:00 AM class.

Youth Core (Ages 8-12) 9:00-10:00 AM

The Actor's Toolbox Explore the tools necessary to create believable characters onstage and become a great actor. Students will explore voice and movement, scene study, script analysis, character analysis, directing for the stage, as well as solo and ensemble performance. This class will give young performers confidence on the stage, and the skills needed outside the classroom for public speaking, self-esteem, and encourage them to have fun!

#7604 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 105; Instructor: Wetula, Pamela

Advanced Acting For students who have completed Acting I, Acting Essentials, or equivalent. Students explore more challenging material with a variety of small scenes and monologues that focus on character, objective and performance styles.

#7607 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Studio Theater; Instructor: Spence, Rachel

Improv 101 An immersive overview of the basic tools and techniques used in improvisational theater. Students enhance basic acting concepts such as stage presence, blocking and character development through fun and fast paced improvisational games and exercises. Great for confidence building! Perfect for beginners or advanced students!

#7605 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Stich, Russel

Musical Theater Dance II This class provides students the opportunity to further improve their movement skills for the musical stage. Starting with the application of proper technique, students work towards executing choreography from classic musicals. Jazz shoes required for class participation. Long hair must be tied back.

#7606 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; CA Dance; Instructor: Huebner, Ann

Musical Theater Song Writing In this fun, creative class, students work together under professional guidance to create new songs in the musical theater genre. Students will use their skills and knowledge of musical theater styles, and improvisation to create their own pieces of work. A wonderful and collaborative class for students.

#7577 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 207; Instructor: Dolan, Matthew

Youth Core (Ages 8-12) 10:00-11:00 AM

Accents and Dialects Through exercises and games, students will learn the basics of some commonly used theater accents. The class will explore and identify characteristics of British RP, Cockney, and Irish accents. Students will then use these accents to approach new characters.

#7610 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 105; Instructor: Wetula, Pamela

Acting I Beginning and continuing students explore the basic elements of stage performance through theater games, exercises and scene study. The perfect class for getting started or reviewing and strengthening the fundamentals of acting.

#7603 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Studio Theater; Instructor: Spence, Rachel

Improv for Performance For the experienced improv student. This class will explore the concept of performance based improvisation. Students will focus on audience interaction, presentation, and concepts such as fulfilling given circumstances.

#7608 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Stich, Russel

Musical Theater Dance I In this class, students learn proper dance vocabulary, technique and placement. Students work towards executing choreography from classic musicals. Warm-up includes stretch techniques to help develop extensions. Jazz shoes required for class participation. Long hair must be tied back.

#7609 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; CA Dance; Instructor: Huebner, Ann

Singing The Modern Musical From Finding Neverland and Billy Elliot to Fun Home and Matilda, young actors are all over the Broadway stage today. In this class, students explore musical theater numbers from the contemporary Broadway canon, with a particular focus on numbers for young actors.

#7611 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 207; Instructor: Dolan, Matthew

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THEATER CLASSES: TEEN Ages 13-19

Weekday Classes

Acting II (Ages 8-13) For students who have completed Acting I, Acting Essentials or equivalent. Students explore more challenging material with a variety of small scenes and monologues focusing on character, objective, and performance styles.

#7582 Tuesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/21-4/28; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Spence, Rachel

Scene Study (Ages 9-13) For students who have completed Acting II or equivalent. This class offers the next level in challenging material through a variety of small scenes and monologues focusing on character, objective, and needs of the individual actor.

#7584 Wednesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/22-4/29; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Spence, Rachel

Improvisation (Ages 11-17) This class offers a basic exploration and strengthening of the principles of improvisation. Through games and exercises students develop creativity and spontaneity while building confidence.

#7591 Thursday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/23-4/30; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Patterson, Aaron

Saturday Classes

Teen Core Classes

- As part of our Teen Core offerings, students select two classes, one from each hour, and switch after the first hour.
- For a more rounded experience, we recommend the dual classes each week; however, single class enrollment is available.
- Teens who are new to Beck Center should contact Sarah Clare, Associate Director of Theater Education at 216.521.2540 x27 for advice on which courses are appropriate for their skill level.
- Core classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis and are subject to change or cancellation.

#7616 Saturday 11:15-1:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$310 when registering for two classes in this section; \$175 for a single class.
Choose one 11:15 AM class & one 12:15 PM class.

Teen Core (Ages 13-19) 11:15 AM – 1:15 PM

Advanced Acting Students continue to explore classic and contemporary acting techniques in polishing craft along. Audition pieces and dream roles are welcome here.

#7597 Saturday 11:15 AM-12:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Studio Theater; Instructor: Hart, Dana

Improv 101 An immersive overview of the basic tools and techniques used in improvisational theater. Students enhance basic acting concepts such as stage presence, blocking and character development through fun and fast paced improvisational games and exercises. Great for confidence building! Perfect for beginners or advanced students!

#7596 Saturday 11:15 AM-12:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Stich, Russel

Musical Theater Choreography In this dance class centered on the correct execution of stage choreography, students focus on proper technique as a mean for developing the ability to pick-up dance steps, adapting to different styles, using dynamics and enhancing overall performance quality. Jazz shoes required for class participation. Long hair must be tied back.

#7598 Saturday 11:15 AM-12:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; CA Dance; Instructor: Huebner, Ann

Sondheim for Teens Stephen Sondheim is known as one of the most prolific and difficult composers of the modern musical. Students will learn tackle the unique challenges of Sondheim's wordy and wise works. This class provides students the opportunity to work on Sondheim's great solo and ensemble pieces.

#7576 Saturday 11:15 AM-12:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 207; Instructor: Krol, John

Teen Core (Ages 13-19) 12:15 - 1:15 PM

Acting Essentials Students explore classic and contemporary techniques in developing craft along with keys to unlocking scripts and bringing them from page to the stage. Whether a novice or more experienced actor, scene work is an essential building block in an actor's growth. This class is a must.

#7599 Saturday 12:15-1:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Studio Theater; Instructor: Hart, Dana

The Actor's Story Students use their imagination and life experiences to write and create solo performance pieces. Students will be able to tell their own stories, real or fictional, while focusing on their unique voice in the world.

#7602 Saturday 12:15 PM-1:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 203; Instructor: Messina, Jenna

Improv Characters Students will create and develop improvised characters. Various improv games and scenes will be used to expand and develop these characters, focusing on truthful reactions and helping actors to "stay in the moment".

#7600 Saturday 12:15 PM-1:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 107; Instructor: Stich, Russel

Singing Ballads Explore the challenges of singing slower musical theatre songs. Students apply the fundamentals of acting and character development to song, delving deeper into singing storytelling. In addition, students build their audition repertoire, and broaden their musical theater skills. Great for beginners and advanced students.

#7601 Saturday 12:15 PM-1:15 PM; 1/25-5/2; \$175; Main 207; Instructor: Krol, John

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THEATER CLASSES: ADULTS Ages 18-Up

Note: Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Adult Improv: The Basics A fun and lively exploration of the basic tools and techniques used in improvisational theater. Perfect for both the beginner as well as the experienced. Focus is on the skills used to create an improvised scene and help develop the student's ability to envision, develop and sustain stories.

Session 1 #7589 Thursday 6:45-7:45 PM; 1/23-3/12; \$80; Main 107; Instructor: Patterson, Aaron

Session 2 #7590 Thursday 6:45-7:45 PM; 3/19-4/30; \$60; Main 107; Instructor: Patterson, Aaron

Adult Improv: Improv Games Improvisational games and team competition are explored while students expand on the essential concepts of improvisational theater. A fun way for students to improve their basic improvisational and acting skills.

#7588 Thursday 8:00-9:00 PM; 1/23-3/12; \$80; Main 107; Instructor: Patterson, Aaron

Adult Acting: The Basics Classical and contemporary techniques are explored in polishing craft along with keys to unlocking scripts and bringing them from the page to the stage. All experiences welcomed. Audition pieces conquered.

Session 1 #7578 Monday 6:30-8:30 PM; 1/20-2/24; \$120; Main 107; Instructor: Hart, Dana

Session 2 #7579 Monday 6:30-8:30 PM; 3/16-4/27; \$120; Main 107; Instructor: Hart, Dana

ADAPTED THEATER CLASSES

See pages 39-41 for Adapted Theater (Age 12-17) and Scene Makers (Ages 18-Up).



VISUAL ARTS

The Winter/Spring Semester will run from January 13-May 23 for 18 weeks in Visual Arts Education

Session 1: January 13-March 14

Session 2: March 16-May 23

No Visual Arts Classes: April 10-16 for Spring Break

For exact class weeks, dates and information please see the full course descriptions.

Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.

Please see all education department policies and procedures on page 52.

Beck Center offers a variety of visual arts classes and workshops for both children and adults. Offerings include drawing, painting, cartooning, manga, pottery, watercolor, and multi-media classes. Our professional teaching artists look forward to sharing their knowledge with you and inspiring your creativity.

Visual Arts Exhibits in the Bulicek Gallery

September – October: Cultural Heritage Exhibition

November – December: Art Treasures Exhibition

January – March: To be announced

March – April: Rotary of Lakewood & Rocky River 74th Annual Visual Arts Exhibit

May – June: *Budding to Blossoming*: Beck Center Annual Student Exhibit – presented in partnership The Gallery Group

June – August: Annual Beck Center Faculty Exhibit

Additional exhibits may be viewed in the Music & Dance Building, the Creative Arts Building, and the Encore Café the Main Building.

View exhibition info on the Beck Center home page and under the Exhibits Tab: www.beckcenter.org/what-we-do/exhibitions

Supplies

Tuition for some of the Visual Arts classes includes the supplies used in the class while others require the student to purchase the basic art supplies and bring them to class. Unless otherwise noted, art supply lists will be distributed on the first day of class.

Workshops

Beck Center offers visual art workshops for teens and adults throughout the year. All workshops are one day in length and are offered on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month. Workshops provide the option to explore a medium further, or for the first time. All skill levels are welcome! Registration is required. Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

Comic Book Day

Join Beck Center on Saturday, May 2, 2020 for a fun-filled day of comic book celebration and activities. The first Saturday in May each year, comic book stores around the country celebrate by offering free comics in their stores. Participate in a workshop, draw with us, and view our cartooning artists in action at this year's event. Learn more on our website. Learn more about the Comic Book Day Workshops below in the course descriptions.

Register for two sessions and save!

If you register for both Session 1 and Session 2 of the same class by 2/15/20, you will receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Private Lessons

Beck Center's Visual Arts Department offers private lessons. These scheduled work times are for the serious visual arts student to prepare materials for special or juried exhibits, increase advancing technical skills or prepare a portfolio for college or higher learning admissions. To schedule a time, contact the Assistant Director of Education at 216.521.2540 x37. Fee: \$25 for a 30-minute session.

Visual Arts Faculty

[Click here to learn more about Beck Center's outstanding faculty!](#)



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WINTER/SPRING 2020 VISUAL ARTS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

January 13-May 23. No classes April 10-16

Session 1: January 13-March 14 Session 2: March 16-May 23

#XXXX represents the catalog course number.

Classes with two sessions are comprised of two 9-week sessions unless noted. Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.

Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
Session 1: Jan 13 / Session 2: Mar 16	MONDAY					
7405/7406	Drawing Studio	18-Up	9:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$200	Main 103	Dore
7413/7414	Kids-n-Create	3-5	4:30 PM -5:15 PM	\$110	Main 105	Bogard
7409/7410	Art Discovery Studio	6-9	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7407/7408	After School Draw	6-10	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7471/7472	Animation Fundamentals	10-18	5:45 PM -7:15 PM	\$160	Main 105	Reveley
7411/7412	Painting Fundamentals	18-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$200	Main 103	Stockdale
Session 1: Jan 14 / Session 2: Mar 17	TUESDAY					
7467/7468	Watercolor: Beginner/Advanced	18-Up	10:00 AM -12:30 PM	\$200	Main 103	Sigmier
7463/7464	Soft Pastels	18-up	2:00 PM -4:00 PM	\$200	Main 103	Merchant
7461/7462	Oil Painting	12-Up	4:15 PM -6:15 PM	\$200	Main 103	Merchant
7451/7452	After School Clay	6-10	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$185	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
7459/7460	Fantastical Creatures	8-12	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$135	Main 105	Laubacher
7457/7458	Sketchbook Exploration	11-18	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$135	Main 105	Laubacher
7449/7450	Watercolor: Beginner/Advanced	18-Up	6:30 PM -9:00 PM	\$200	Main 103	D'Ettore
7455/7456	Drawing Intermediate/Advanced	13-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$200	Main 105	Laubacher
7465/7466	Life Drawing	18-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$170	Main 107	Merchant
7453/7454	Pottery: Throwing/Hand Building	18-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$280	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
Session 1: Jan 15 / Session 2: Mar 18	WEDNESDAY					
7481/7482	Fashion Illustration	10-14	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$135	Main 105	Timura
7475/7476	Drawing for Video Games	13-18	5:00 PM -6:30 PM	\$160	Main 103	Sweeney
7477/7478	After School Paint	10-14	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$160	Main 105	Timura
7479/7480	Explore Mixed Media	13-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$205	Main 105	Timura
7473/7474	Intro to Drawing	13-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$200	Main 103	Scicchitano
7469/7470	Pottery: Throwing/Hand Building	18-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$280	Main 111-Pottery	Ambro
Session 1: Jan 16 / Session 2: Mar 19	THURSDAY					
7447/7448	Watercolor: Botanical Painting	18-Up	10:00 AM -12:30 PM	\$200	Main 103	Sigmier
7441/7442	After School Cartooning Beginner	8-9	4:15 PM -5:15 PM	\$135	Main 103	Staff
7443/7444	After School Cartooning Beginner	9-12	5:15 PM -6:15 PM	\$135	Main 103	Staff
7445/7446	After School Cartooning Intermediate/Advanc	13-18	6:45 PM -6:45 PM	\$135	Main 103	Staff
7437/7438	Watercolor Introduction	18-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$200	Main 105	Staff
7439/7440	Pottery: Wheel Throwing	18-Up	7:00 PM -9:00 PM	\$280	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
Session 1: Jan 18 / Session 2: Mar 21	SATURDAY					
7419/7420	Pottery: Kids-n-Clay	5-9	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$205	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
7421/7422	Art Discovery Studio	6-9	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7423/7424	Drawing Fundamentals	6-9	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7427/7428	Drawing Fundamentals	10-14	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$135	Main 109	Laubacher
7417/7418	Pottery: Introduction	6-9	10:15 AM -11:15 AM	\$185	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
7425 - Jan 18	SciFi Art World	8-12	11:00 AM -12:00 PM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7426 - Mar 21	Pocket Monster Worlds	8-12	11:00 AM -12:00 PM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7429/7430	Manga Style Cartooning	8-12	11:00 AM -12:00 PM	\$135	Main 109	Laubacher
7415/7416	Pottery: Intermediate	10-14	11:30 AM -1:00 PM	\$250	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
7431/7432	Manga Style Cartooning	13-18	12:00 PM -1:30 PM	\$160	Main 109	Laubacher
7433/7434	Art of Cartooning	8-12	12:30 PM -1:30 PM	\$135	Main 103	Stockdale
7435/7436	Art of Cartooning: Comics Advanced	13-18	2:00 PM -3:30 PM	\$160	Main 103	Stockdale

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Workshop #	Workshop Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
SATURDAY WORSHOPS - CHOOSE ONE OR MORE!						
7566	Loom Weaving 1/18	12-18	1:30 PM -4:30 PM	\$45	Main 105	Young
7567	Watercolor Landscape 2/1	12-18	1:30 PM -4:30 PM	\$45	Main 105	D'Ettore
7568	Printmaking 2/15	18-Up	1:30 PM -4:30 PM	\$45	Main 105	Bogard
7569	Mini-Comic Zine 3/7	12-18	1:30 PM -4:30 PM	\$45	Main 105	Laubacher
7570	Pen and Ink 3/21	13-Up	1:30 PM -4:30 PM	\$45	Main 105	Laubacher
7571	Pottery 4/4	12-18	1:30 PM -4:30 PM	\$45	Main 105	Staff
7572	Pottery 4/18	18-Up	1:30 PM -4:30 PM	\$45	Main 105	Staff
7573	Heroes and Villains 5/2	8-12	12:30 PM -2:00 PM	\$18	Main 105	Staff
7574	Comic Strips 5/2	12-18	2:00 PM -3:30 PM	\$18	Main 105	Revey
7575	Illustration/Comics 5/16	18-Up	1:30 PM -4:30 PM	\$45	Main 105	Revey
MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building						

VISUAL ARTS: EARLY CHILDHOOD/YOUTH Ages 3-11

Multi-Media

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Kids-n-Create (Ages 3-5) Session 1: Children and their parents/caregivers participate in drawing, sculpture, printmaking, painting, and collage making. Age-appropriate activities are success oriented and foster creativity. Supplies provided and included in the tuition. Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition. Tuition: \$110 (1st child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for the parent/caregiver.

Session 1 #7413 Monday 4:30-5:15 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$110; Main 105; Instructor: Bogard, Allison

Session 2 #7414 Monday 4:30-5:15 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$110; Main 105; Instructor: Bogard, Allison

Art Discovery Studio (Ages 6-9) Session 1: For students wishing to be creative and gain an understanding of a variety of multimedia and techniques. From clay to painting, collage and more, students are immersed in the art making process and encouraged to be active participants in the selection of class projects. This open ended course could be taken as an ongoing continuation of multimedia exploration or as an introduction to other focused studies such as drawing or pottery. Supplies provided and included in the tuition.

Session 1 #7409 Monday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 2 #7410 Monday 4:30-5:30 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 1 #7421 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 2 #7422 Saturday 9:00 AM-10:00 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

SciFi Art World (Ages 8-12) Session 1: Blast off to a world unknown and discover a world of art projects in this multi-media art class dedicated to the science fiction universes of kids' favorite TV shows and movies of the day. Students will work in mediums such as drawing, painting, sculpture, paper crafts, and printing. Supplies provided.

Session 1 #7425 Saturday 11:00 AM-12:00 PM; 1/18-3/14; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Pocket Monster Worlds (Ages 8-12) Session 2: Jump on the back of your favorite flying beast, or set sails to the seas, and journey to Alola, Kanto, and other amazing lands. Inspired by the art of popular Japanese anime series such as Pokemon, Digimon, Yu-gi-oh, and more, students will work in mediums such as drawing, painting, sculpture, paper crafts, and printing to bring their own pocket monsters to life. Supplies provided.

Session 2 #7426 Saturday 11:00 AM-12:00 PM; 3/21-5/23; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Drawing & Cartooning

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Drawing

Drawing Fundamentals (Ages 6-9) Session 1: Learn fundamental skills in drawing such as contour line drawing, gesture drawing, proportion, and rendering through observation of various still life displays and more. Supply list to be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7423 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 2 #7424 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

After School Draw (Ages 6-10) Session 1: Learn fundamental skills in drawing such as contour line drawing, gesture drawing, proportion, and rendering through observation of various still life displays and more. Bring a sketchbook to the first class. Supply list to be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7407 Monday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 2 #7408 Monday 5:30-6:30 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Fantastical Creatures (Ages 8-12) From robot dogs to flying pigs, students create their own fantastical creatures while learning the fundamentals of drawing. Emphasis on drawing from references to learn different animal forms, and using imagination to bring them to life in ways all their own. Bring a sketchbook and pencil. Supply list to be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7459 Tuesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$135; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Session 2 #7460 Tuesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$135; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Drawing Fundamentals (Ages 10-14) Learn fundamental skills in drawing such as contour line drawing, gesture drawing, proportion, and rendering through observation of various still life displays and more. Supply list to be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7427 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$135; Main 109; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Session 2 #7428 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$135; Main 109; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Fashion Illustration (Ages 10-14) Learn the art of fashion design and illustration in this introductory course. Students will learn drawing skills as they draw the human form, study the art of famous illustrators, experiment with collage, and even build their own fashion brand. Bring a sketchbook and pencil to the first class. A supply list will be distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7481 Wednesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$135; Main 105; Instructor: Timura, Shannon

Session 2 #7482 Wednesday 4:30 PM-5:30 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$135; Main 105; Instructor: Bogard, Allison

Sketchbook Exploration (Ages 11-18) The sketchbook is the artist's greatest tool for brainstorming, problem-solving, and exploring. Now you can build your own sketchbook to support your other artwork, or just for fun! Through this class you will fill your book with nature drawings, still life, drawing from popular masterpieces, and so much more. Bring an 8x10 or larger drawing sketchbook with at least 30 pages, pencil, and eraser to the first class. The supply list will be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7457 Tuesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$135; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Session 2 #7458 Tuesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$135; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Cartooning

After School Cartooning Beginner (Ages 8-9) Students learn to draw in American-style and Manga-style cartooning while cultivating their individual style through the study of advanced inking, lettering and coloring techniques. Creating individual full-length comic books, students bring their stories to life. At the completion of the session students take home a printed copy of their comic book. Bring a sketch book and pencil to the first class. The supply list discussed and distributed at that time.

Session 1 #7441 Thursday 4:15-5:15 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Session 2 #7442 Thursday 4:15-5:15 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Art of Cartooning (Ages 8-12) This class focuses heavily on stylized drawing and humorous illustration with attention given to visual storytelling. The class discusses forms of humor (satire, slapstick, puns) to convey ideas or short story in words and pictures. Students are encouraged to bring projects and independent work to class for critique. Supply list to be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7433 Saturday 12:30-1:30 PM; 1/18-3/14; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Stockdale, Alastair

Session 2 #7434 Saturday 12:30 PM-1:30 PM; 3/21-5/23; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Stockdale, Alastair

Manga Style Cartooning (Ages 8-12) Learn the art of drawing Japanese comics, known as Manga. Students wishing to create their own comic stories will enjoy bringing their characters to life and learn how to draw clothing, buildings and facial expressions in the Manga style. At the completion of the session students are able to tell a sequential story using images and go home with their own comics to share with others. Bring a sketch book and pencil to the first class. The supply list discussed and distributed at that time.

Session 1 #7429 Saturday 11:00 AM-12:00 PM; 1/18-3/14; \$135; Main 109; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Session 2 #7430 Saturday 11:00-12:00 PM; 3/21-5/23; \$135; Main 109; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

After School Cartooning Beginner (Ages 9-12) Students learn to draw in American-style and Manga-style cartooning while cultivating their individual style through the study of advanced inking, lettering and coloring techniques. Creating individual full-length comic books, students bring their stories to life. At the completion of the session students take home a printed copy of their comic book. Bring a sketch book and pencil to the first class. The supply list discussed and distributed at that time.

Session 1 #7443 Thursday 5:15-6:15 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Session 2 #7444 Thursday 5:15-6:15 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Painting

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Session 1 #7477 Wednesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$160; Main 105; Instructor: Timura, Shannon

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Pottery: Kids-n-Clay (Ages 5-9) Session 1: Learn the basics of pottery with your child and be creative together! During this fun hands-on class, both parent/caregiver and child learn together about the different methods to create a variety of projects both independently and collaboratively. Supplies provided and included in the tuition. Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for parent/caregiver.

Session 1 #7419 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$205; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7420 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$205; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Pottery: Introduction (Ages 6-9) Session 1: Students learn the basics of clay including the pinch method, coiling and slab work. The students will create fun projects while exploring texture, form and design. These techniques will develop the essential skills needed to go on to more advanced classes. Supplies provided and included in the tuition.

Session 1 #7417 Saturday 10:15-11:15 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$185; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7418 Saturday 10:15-11:15 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$185; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

After School Clay (Ages 6-10) Session 1: Students learn the basics of clay including the pinch method, coiling and slab work. The students will create fun projects while exploring texture, form and design. These techniques will develop the essential skills needed to go on to more advanced classes. Supplies provided and included in the tuition. Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7451 Tuesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$185; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7452 Tuesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$185; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Pottery: Intermediate (Ages 10-14) Session 1: This class expands on hand-building and glazing as well as introducing the potter's wheel and its techniques. The students will create beautiful decorative and functional art works while being guided to independently create projects exploring texture, form and design. Supplies provided and included in the tuition.

Session 1 #7415 Saturday 11:30 AM-1:00 PM; 1/18-3/14; \$250; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7416 Saturday 11:30 AM-1:00 PM; 3/21-5/23; \$250; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Workshops

See page ## to immerse yourself in an afternoon of art making and take part in a workshop on select Saturdays throughout the Winter and Spring months.

VISUAL ARTS: YOUTH/TEEN Ages 12-18

Mixed Media

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Animation Fundamentals (Ages 10-18) Session 1: From flip books to storyboarding, learn the building blocks of animation in this specialized drawing course. Bring a sketchbook and pencil to the first class. A supply list will be distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7471 Monday 5:45-7:15 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$160; Main 105; Instructor: Reveley, Samantha

Session 2 #7472 Monday 5:45-7:15 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$160; Main 105; Instructor: Reveley, Samantha

Explore Mixed Media (Ages 13-Up) Session 1: Students are given the opportunity to explore a variety of 2-D art mediums including painting, print making, collage, and more. Intended for students interested in creating mixed media art work, as well as those who are seeking to broaden their knowledge of art techniques and materials. Supplies provided and included in the tuition.

Session 1 #7479 Wednesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$205; Main 105; Instructor: Timura, Shannon

Session 2 #7480 Wednesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$205; Main 105; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

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Session 2 #7458 Tuesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$135; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Drawing for Video Games (Ages 13-18) Design your very own video game concept art for characters, environments, and objects. Students will explore illustration for a variety of video game genres, along with learning about careers in the video game industry. Bring a sketchbook and pencil to the first class. A supply list will be distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7475 Wednesday 5:00-6:30 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$160; Main 103; Instructor: Sweeney, Matthew

Session 2 #7476 Wednesday 5:00-6:30 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$160; Main 103; Instructor: Sweeney, Matthew

Intro to Drawing (Ages 13-Up) Develop fundamental drawing skills through a variety of exercises including contour line drawing and gesture drawing. Proportion and rendering light and shadow is emphasized using still life displays. Landscapes are covered. Bring a ballpoint pen (blue or black), a pencil, and a sketchbook (at least 14" x 17") to the first class. The complete supply list will be shared and discussed at that time.

Session 1 #7473 Wednesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Scicchitano, Regina

Session 2 #7474 Wednesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Scicchitano, Regina

Drawing Intermediate/Advanced (Ages 13-Up) Students will build upon drawing fundamental skills to create long-term black and white drawing projects in graphite, pen/ink, and charcoal. Students should have taken a drawing fundamentals class or similar prerequisite. Bring a sketchbook, graphite set, and kneaded eraser to the first class. The supply list will be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7455 Tuesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$200; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Session 2 #7456 Tuesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$200; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Cartooning

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Session 1 #7445 Thursday 6:45-8:15 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$160; Main 103; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Session 2 #7446 Thursday 6:45-8:15 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$160; Main 103; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Art of Cartooning: Comics Advanced (Ages 13-18) Students further develop their skills to draw and render dynamic cartoons through both instructor led activities and independent study. The class may explore cartooning techniques including caricature, editorial cartoons, comic books, and comic strips. The supply list will be discussed and distributed during the first class.

Session 1 #7435 Saturday 2:00-3:30 PM; 1/18-3/14; \$160; Main 103; Instructor: Stockdale, Alastair

Session 2 #7436 Saturday 2:00-3:30 PM; 3/21-5/23; \$160; Main 103; Instructor: Stockdale, Alastair

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Session 1 #7431 Saturday 12:00-1:30 PM; 1/18-3/14; \$160; Main 109; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Session 2 #7432 Saturday 12:00-1:30 PM; 3/21-5/23; \$160; Main 109; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

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Session 1 #7477 Wednesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$160; Main 105; Instructor: Timura, Shannon

Session 2 #7478 Wednesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$160; Main 105; Instructor: Bogard, Allison

Oil Painting (Ages 13-Up) From initial sketches to final masterpiece, realist painter Linda Merchant guides students of all levels through the vibrant art of painting with oil paints. Bring a sketchbook to the first class. Paints and other materials provided.

Session 1 #7461 Tuesday 4:15-6:15 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Merchant, Linda

Session 2 #7462 Tuesday 4:15-6:15 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Merchant, Linda

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Session 1 #7415 Saturday 11:30 AM-1:00 PM; 1/18-3/14; \$250; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7416 Saturday 11:30 AM-1:00 PM; 3/21-5/23; \$250; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

VISUAL ARTS: ADULT Ages 18-Up (unless otherwise noted)

Mixed-Media

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Session 1 #7479 Wednesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$205; Main 105; Instructor: Timura, Shannon

Session 2 #7480 Wednesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$205; Main 105; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Drawing & Cartooning

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Drawing Studio (Ages 18-Up) Session 1: Students will learn basic drawing skills that can supply a good base to be applied in other mediums or as a new skill in itself. Take your projects to the next level in this relaxed studio space under the guidance of Danielle Dore. Students work independently and may continue past projects or let inspiration take hold. Challenge yourself to explore drawing mediums in your work like pencil, charcoal, colored pencil, inks, and more. A suggested supply list will be shared on the first day.

Session 1 #7405 Monday 9:00-11:00 AM; 1/13-3/9; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7406 Monday 9:00-11:00 AM; 3/16-5/18; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Life Drawing (Ages 18-Up) Session 1: Sharpen drawing skills in the classic tradition by working with the nude figure. Instructional emphasis is placed on contour lines, shapes and shading to create dimension and capture lifelike movement. Students receive individualized attention and critiques in a relaxed studio atmosphere. Model fee included. Supply list distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7465 Tuesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$170; Main 107; Instructor: Merchant, Linda

Session 2 #7466 Tuesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$170; Main 107; Instructor: Merchant, Linda

Painting

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Painting Fundamentals (Ages 18-Up) Session 1: In this introductory class, students learn the basics of the art of painting from both observation and imagination. Students learn to give paintings the illusion of space and volume. Basic color theory, art appreciation and painting materials are also discussed. This class is geared for absolute beginners as well as artists who are more advanced and wish to revisit the basics. The supply list will be distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7411 Monday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Stockdale, Alastair

Session 2 #7412 Monday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Stockdale, Alastair

Watercolor Introduction (Ages 18-Up) Session 1: Join the diverse world of watercolor painting in this approachable course designed for those with little to no visual art experience. Students will learn the basics of composition and watercolor techniques while also exploring their own interests and self-expression. This course may be taken as a prerequisite to Watercolor Beginner/Advanced, but is not required. Supply list will be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7437 Thursday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$200; Main 105; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Session 2 #7438 Thursday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$200; Main 105; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Watercolor: Beginner/Advanced (Sigmier) Session 1: Students of all levels can gain the creative tools to compose and create transparent watercolor paintings. The instructor gives demonstrations of various watercolor techniques with an emphasis on concept, design, value and color to stimulate creative painting. By using reference materials and imagination, students produce personal expressions in transparent watercolor. Bring to the first class: 1 sheet of Arches 140# cold press (22"x30") watercolor paper which can be cut down to 1/4 sheets; Brushes: a 3/4"-1" flat; #4 round, #8 round; Rigger #3 or liner (Instructor uses Princeton Synthetic); Tube Paints (student or professional grade): Cadmium yellow light, New gamboge, Alizarin crimson, Scarlet lake, Ultramarine blue, and Phthalo blue; White palette with lid; light weight support board; masking tape; #2 pencil; and a kneaded eraser. A comprehensive supply list will also be distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7467 Tuesday 10:00 AM-12:30 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Sigmier, Patricia

Session 2 #7468 Tuesday 10:00 AM-12:30 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Sigmier, Patricia

Watercolor: Beginner/Advanced (D'Ettorre) Session 1: Students of all levels can gain the creative tools to compose and create transparent watercolor paintings. The instructor gives demonstrations of various watercolor techniques with an emphasis on concept, design, value and color to stimulate creative painting. By using reference materials and imagination, students produce personal expressions in transparent watercolor. Bring to the first class: 1 sheet of Arches 140# cold press (22"x30") watercolor paper which can be cut down to 1/4 sheets; Brushes: a 3/4"-1" flat; #4 round, #8 round; Rigger #3 or liner (Instructor uses Princeton Synthetic); Tube Paints (student or professional grade): Cadmium yellow light, New gamboge, Alizarin crimson, Scarlet lake, Ultramarine blue, and Phthalo blue; White palette with lid; light weight support board; masking tape; #2 pencil; and a kneaded eraser. A comprehensive supply list will also be distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7449 Tuesday 10:00 AM-12:30 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: D'Ettore, Bernadette

Session 2 #7450 Tuesday 6:30-9:00 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: D'Ettore, Bernadette

Watercolor: Botanical Painting Explore scientific botanical illustration as an art form. Students study the structure of a living plant and all of its components. Detailed observation and graceful drawing set up the composition. Bring to the first class: A sketch book - approximately (11x14), #2 pencil and eraser. For final paintings, we will use 1 sheet of Arches 140 pound Hot Pressed (smooth) (22x30") watercolor paper divided into 4 sheets. A complete supply list will be distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7447 Thursday 10:00 AM-12:30 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Sigmier, Patricia

Session 1 #7448 Thursday 10:00 AM-12:30 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Sigmier, Patricia

Soft Pastels (Ages 18-up) Session 1: Learn techniques with soft pastels to create realistic pastel drawings. For beginners and those looking to build on existing skills. Bring a sketchbook to the first class. The supply list discussed and distributed at that time.

Session 1 #7463 Tuesday 2:00-4:00 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Merchant, Linda

Session 2 #7464 Tuesday 2:00-4:00 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$200; Main 103; Instructor: Merchant, Linda

Pottery/Ceramics

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

The Beck Center makes all of our mid-range glazes used in our pottery studio for teen & adult classes. Creating our own glazes provides a wider range of color possibilities and easier application for our students. They have been tested over the years and are the most economical way to provide the widest pallet possible.

Pottery: Throwing/Hand Building (Ages 18-Up) Session 1: Adult students of all levels are welcome to develop new skills or expand upon their knowledge with individualized instruction. Students new to working with clay and pottery techniques will develop hand-building skills and learn to throw on the potter's wheel. Students with some experience will continue to refine throwing and hand-building skills by creating new forms and using surface design and new glazing techniques. Supplies provided and included in the tuition.

Session 1 #7453 Tuesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$280; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 1 #7454 Tuesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$280; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 1 #7469 Wednesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$280; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Ambro, Sue

Session 1 #7470 Wednesday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$280; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Ambro, Sue

Pottery: Wheel Throwing (Ages 18-Up) Session 2: Adult students of all levels are welcome to develop new skills or expand upon their knowledge with individualized instruction throwing on the wheel. Students new to throwing will learn from demos and guidance, while returning students will continue to refine their skills. Supplies provided and included in the tuition.

Session 1 #7439 Thursday 7:00-9:00 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$280; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7440 Thursday 7:00-9:00 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$280; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Workshops:

Immerse yourself in an afternoon of art making and take part in a workshop on select Saturdays throughout the Winter and Spring months.

Workshop: Comic Strips (Ages 12-18) Mini-workshop during Beck's Comic Book Day 2020 Event. Learn to create your very own comic strip: assemble your cast of characters, a humorous story, and see your idea come to life with pen and paper. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Workshop discounts do not apply to Comic Book Day Workshops.

#7574 Saturday 2:00-3:30 PM; 5/2-5/2; \$18; Main 105; Instructor: Reveley, Samantha

Workshop: Mini-Comic Zine (Ages 12-18) 1-day workshop to create your own grassroots mini comic "zine." Learn how an eye for drawing, a great story, pens, and a copying machine have started the careers of many cartoonists of today. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

#7569 Saturday 1:30-4:30 PM; 3/7-3/7; \$45; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

Workshop: Loom Weaving (Ages 12-18) 1-day workshop in making your own mini tapestries on small handheld weaving looms. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

#7566 Saturday 1:30-4:30 PM; 1/18-1/18; \$45; Main 105; Instructor: Young, Megan

Workshops continued.....

Workshop: Watercolor Landscape (Ages 12-18) 1-day workshop in painting a watercolor winter landscape. Beginners and experienced students are all welcome. Bring your basic paint set, brushes, and watercolor paper. A small selection of paints and student-grade paper will be available if needed. Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

#7567 Saturday 1:30-4:30 PM; 2/1-2/1; \$45; Main 105; Instructor: D'Ettore, Bernadette

Workshop: Pottery (Ages 12-18) 1-day workshop in pottery techniques. Create a practical and beautiful creation to use in your home, or gift to a friend. Projects will be glazed one color of your choice by the instructor after class and available for pickup starting 4/18/20. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

#7571 Saturday 1:30-4:30 PM; 4/4-4/4; \$45; Main 105; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Workshop: Illustration/Comics (Ages 18-Up) 1-day workshop to explore the art of visual storytelling in comics and illustration. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

#7575 Saturday 1:30-4:30 PM; 5/16-5/16; \$45; Main 105; Instructor: Reveley, Samantha

Workshop Printmaking (Ages 18-Up) 1-day workshop in lithographic printmaking techniques. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

#7568 Saturday 1:30-4:30 PM; 2/15-2/15; \$45; Main 105; Instructor: Bogard, Allison

Workshop: Pottery (Ages 18-Up) 1-day workshop in pottery techniques. Create a practical and beautiful creation to use in your home, or gift to a friend. Projects will be glazed one color of your choice by the instructor after class and available for pickup starting 5/2/20. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

#7572 Saturday 1:30-4:30 PM; 4/18-4/18; \$45; Main 105; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Workshop: Heroes and Villains (Ages 8-12) Mini-workshop during Beck's Comic Book Day 2020 Event. Sketch your favorite heroes and villains, then create your own for your own comic book universe. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Workshop discounts do not apply to Comic Book Day Workshops.

#7573 Saturday 12:30-2:00 PM; 5/2-5/2; \$18; Main 105; Instructor: Visual Arts Staff

Workshop: Pen and Ink (Ages 13-Up) 1-day workshop in techniques for pen and ink drawings. Supplies provided, bring your creativity! Sign up for more workshops and save. Register for a two or more workshops and save \$5 on each workshop.

#7570 Saturday 1:30-4:30 PM; 3/21-3/21; \$45; Main 105; Instructor: Laubacher, Douglas

ART THERAPY & ADAPTED ART CLASSES

See pages 39-41 for Adapted Art (Age 12-17) and Art Makers (Ages 18-Up).



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CREATIVE ARTS THERAPIES

The Winter/Spring Semester will run from January 13-May 23 for 19 weeks in Creative Arts Therapies

Session 1: January 13-March 14

Session 2: March 16-May 23

No Creative Arts Therapies Classes and Sessions: April 10-16 for Spring Break

For exact class weeks, dates and information please see the full course descriptions.

Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.

Please see all education department policies and procedures on page 52.

Beck Center Creative Arts Therapies program is supported in part by Community West Foundation.

Programming

The Creative Arts Therapies program offers individual and group music therapy, art therapy, and adapted music, dance, art, and theater classes for individuals of all ages and abilities. In addition, the staff leads a wide variety of developmentally driven early childhood arts programs.

Through the Creative Arts Therapies, individuals with special needs, which include mental, physical, or developmental disabilities, can expect to maximize their potential while engaging in their preferred art form in a supportive, strength-based environment in order to address both artistic and non-artistic goals. Using music, dance, drama, and the visual arts as therapeutic tools, participants build cognitive, motor, emotional, and social skills as well as develop talents in the fine arts. Individual therapy content is developed based on the client's interests, abilities, and individualized goals while adapted classes are social and skill-based. Schedule an assessment to find out which class or session is right for you or a member of your family.

Beck Center for the Arts accepts family services funding for creative arts therapies programs through the Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities, NEON and Greater Cleveland's Positive Education Program. Financial assistance is also available to those who qualify. Please contact Lauren Travillian, Associate Director of Creative Arts Therapies at 216.521.2540 x34 or at ltravillian@beckcenter.org.

Contractual and Consultation Services

Our services are available to community-based agencies, schools, and health care facilities throughout Northeast Ohio. Services may include art therapy, music therapy, and adapted programs. In-services of any length may be designed to demonstrate the use of creative arts therapies. Our staff members are prepared to work with all organizations to provide effective and meaningful programs.

These services are offered for an ongoing (weekly, monthly) basis or on a one-time basis for a special event, field trip or performance.

Presentations for community groups or professional organizations are available to meet specific needs.

ART THERAPY & MUSIC THERAPY INDIVIDUAL SESSIONS

- Individualized treatment plan
- Sessions include the use of visual and auditory cues, adapted arts resources, personalized structure based on each individual's ability and interests
- Services for individuals are offered as weekly individual or small group sessions at the Beck Center.
- Music therapists credentialed via Certification Board of Music Therapists (CBMT)
- Art therapists credentialed via Art Therapy Credentials Board (ATCB)
- Approved provider through the Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities family services program, NEON, the Positive Education Program and the Medicaid SELF waiver funding program.
- Financial assistance available to those who qualify

ADAPTED INDIVIDUAL LESSONS

- Adapted lessons are designed for individuals who will thrive with specialized individual direction
- Adapted music lessons are available on guitar, drums (percussion), piano, and ukulele. Please call to inquire availability for adapted lessons on an instrument not listed above.
- Adapted art lessons available in painting, pottery, drawing, watercolor, and mixed media.
- Adapted theater/performance and dance lessons also available.
- Individual or group performance/showcase opportunities throughout the year are optional.

Sessions range from 30-60 minutes in length and may begin at any time during the year. Fees are pro-rated based upon time of enrollment. Schedule based on therapist and client availability.

An assessment/interview is required prior to registration. For further information or to schedule an assessment, contact Lauren Travillian, Associate Director of Creative Arts Therapies at 216.521.2540 x34 or via email at ltravillian@beckcenter.org.

Creative Arts Therapies Faculty

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WINTER/SPRING 2020 CREATIVE ARTS THERAPIES SCHEDULE

January 13-May 23. No Classes April 10-16.

Session 1: January 13-March 14

Session 2: March 16-May 23

#XXXX represents the catalog course number.

Classes with two sessions are comprised of two 9-week sessions unless noted. Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.
Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
Session 1: Jan 13 / Session 2: Mar 16	MONDAY					
7357/7358	Adapted Theater	12-17	4:30 PM -5:15 PM	\$60	Main 207	Friedman-Romell
7355/7356	Scene Makers	18-Up	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$105	Main 207	Friedman-Romell
Session 1: Jan 14 / Session 2: Mar 17	TUESDAY					
7363/7364	Adapted Music	12-17	4:30 PM -5:00 PM	\$60	Main 207	Steward
7375/7620	Adapted Dance	12-17	5:15 PM -5:45 PM	\$60	MD Recital Hall	Menser
7361/7362	Music Makers	18-Up	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$105	Main 207	Pirl
7359/7360	Art Makers	18-Up	6:30 PM -7:30 PM	\$105	Main 101 / Café	Malone
Session 1: Jan 16 / Session 2: Mar 19	THURSDAY					
7376/7377	Adapted Arts Sampler	7-11	4:30 PM -5:00 PM	\$60	Main 207	Steward
7378/7379	Adapted Art	12-17	5:15 PM -6:00 PM	\$60	CA 109	Malone
MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building						



Lauren Travillian, MT-BC is the Associate Director of Creative Arts Therapies and may be reached by phone at 216.521.2540 x34 or by email at ltravillian@beckcenter.org.

Lauren holds a Bachelor of Music degree in Music Therapy from the University of Dayton where she studied humanistic and music-centered approaches to music therapy. She completed her music therapy internship at UH Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital in 2015 and has been with the Beck Center ever since! Aside from serving as the Associate Director of Creative Arts Therapies, Lauren plays the guitar in Beck Center's Big Finish Band and sings with the Cleveland Pops Chorus at Severance Hall. While Lauren has facilitated music therapy sessions in a variety of community based and clinical settings, her favorite moments are when everybody in the room is called to participate in the music making process in their own way.

INCLUSIVE CLASSES: EARLY CHILDHOOD Ages 4-6

Note
Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.
No street shoes allowed on dance surfaces, plan to wear socks or participate in bare feet.

Music Discovery (Ages 4-6) A class filled with singing, listening, instrument playing, and movement experiences. Children will engage in activities that build musical and developmental skills through the use of success oriented activities. Additional siblings receive a 20% discount.

Session 1 #7373 Wednesday 5:15-5:45 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Session 2 #7374 Wednesday 5:15-5:45 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

ADAPTED CLASSES: YOUTH Ages 7-11

Note:
Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.
Returning participants may register online. New participants contact Lauren Travillian, Associate Director of Creative Arts Therapies at 216.521.2540 x34 to enroll.
Additional fees supported by Community West Foundation.

Adapted Arts Sampler This class for youth of all abilities introduces music, theater and dance/movement. Participants learn different art forms by engaging in movement to music, instrument play, creative dramatics, theater games, and other activities which incorporate singing, dancing and imagination. Students work to enhance gross motor skills and balance, develop body awareness and self expression, increase social interaction, and expand their creative abilities. Facilitated by a board-certified music therapist.

Session 1 #7376 Thursday 4:30-5:00 PM; 1/16-5/21; \$60; Main 207; Instructor: Steward, Anthony

Session 2 #7377 Thursday 4:30-5:00 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$60; Main 207; Instructor: Steward, Anthony

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ADAPTED CLASSES: TEEN Ages 12-17

Note:

Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Returning participants may register online. New participants contact Lauren Travillian, Associate Director of Creative Arts Therapies at 216.521.2540 x34 to enroll. Additional fees supported by Community West Foundation.

Adapted Music This is a music class for youth of all abilities. Participants engage in music experiences by listening and moving to music, playing instruments, and writing songs while exploring different instruments, genres, and expanding on their creative abilities. Facilitated by a board-certified music therapist.

Session 1 #7363 Tuesday 4:30-5:00 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$60; Main 207; Instructor: Steward, Anthony

Session 2 #7364 Tuesday 4:30-5:00 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$60; Main 207; Instructor: Steward, Anthony

Adapted Dance Adapted Dance is a dance/movement class for youth and teens of all abilities. Students engage and explore dance in a safe and supported studio environment as they discover and develop movement, musicality and personal/social growth through dance.

Session 1 #7375 Tuesday 5:15-5:45 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$60; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Menser, Sarah

Session 2 #7620 Tuesday 5:15-5:45 PM; 3/18-5/13; \$60; MD Recital Hall; Instructor: Menser, Sarah

Adapted Theater Adapted drama group for youth and teens of all abilities. The class promotes creativity, self confidence, social interaction, and positive self-esteem through singing, acting, and dancing.

Session 1 #7357 Monday 4:30-5:15 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$60; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Session 2 #7358 Monday 4:30-5:15 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$60; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Adapted Art Adapted art is a multimedia visual arts class designed for youth and teens of all abilities. Students create original artwork while practicing social skills, developing new ways of self-expression, and learning through doing. This hands-on class is designed for success and plenty of fun!

Session 1 #7378 Thursday 5:15-6:00 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$60; CA 109 at Creative Arts Bldg; Instructor: Malone, Katie

Session 2 #7379 Thursday 5:15-6:00 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$60; CA 109 at Creative Arts Bldg; Instructor: Malone, Katie

ADAPTED CLASSES: ADULTS Ages 18-up

Note:

Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Returning participants may register online. New participants contact Lauren Travillian, Associate Director of Creative Arts Therapies at 216.521.2540 x34 to enroll. Additional fees supported by Community West Foundation.

Scene Makers Scene Makers is a theater experience designed for adults of all abilities, promoting creativity, self confidence, social interaction and positive self-esteem through singing, acting and dancing. Individuals have the opportunity to participate in short skits and engage in solo or small group performances learning the basic aspects of the stage, such as character interaction, movement, and expression. Ability to read and previous theater experience are NOT required to register.

Session 1 #7355 Monday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$105; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Session 2 #7356 Monday 5:30-6:30 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$105; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Music Makers (Ages 18-Up) Music Makers is an adapted music ensemble and social group for adults of all abilities. Individuals have the opportunity to participate in music experiences related to their own interests and abilities including playing instruments, movement, songwriting, and self-expression through music. Facilitated by a board-certified Music Therapist. Participants may perform for events or musical showcases.

Session 1 #7361 Tuesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$105; Main 207; Instructor: Pirl, Isabella

Session 2 #7362 Tuesday 5:30-6:30 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$105; Main 207; Instructor: Pirl, Isabella

Art Makers (Ages 18-Up) Art Makers is a multimedia visual arts experience designed for adults of all abilities. Individuals create their own unique pieces of art as well as group projects through drawing, clay, sculpture, printmaking, painting, and collage-making activities. Facilitated by an Art Therapist.

Session 1 #7359 Tuesday 6:30-7:30 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$105; Main 101 / Cafe; Instructor: Malone, Katie

Session 2 #7360 Tuesday 6:30-7:30 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$105; Main 101 / Cafe; Instructor: Malone, Katie

OUTREACH

Beck Center Reaches Out to the Community

Beck Center for the Arts is committed to providing comprehensive arts education programs designed to challenge the minds of students and stimulate creativity. Our Outreach Education program offers a wide variety of arts education activities (featuring more than 80 artists), including residencies, assemblies, field trips and workshops for schools, social service agencies, libraries, and other community organizations. Activities offered include dance, music, theatre and visual art.

All Outreach Education programs are custom designed to fit your classroom's grade, size and curriculum needs.

The Arts Sampler

Our popular field trip, The Arts Sampler, is a completely participatory arts sampler field trip where students grades K-12 can experience many areas of visual and performing arts firsthand. These field trips are available throughout the school year and during the summer for day camps and child care centers. Activities are also available for scout troops, community organizations and early childhood centers.

Early Childhood Centers

Our teaching artists and faculty are available to share their expertise at early childhood centers throughout the region. We provide developmentally and age appropriate activities to supplement the early childhood curriculum with music, theater, dance and visual arts. The arts provide opportunities for creative expressions, problem-solving, cooperative play, physical development, attention to task, following directions and many academic needs.

For more information about how to bring the arts to early childhood center please contact 216.521.254 x34 or via email at ltravillian@beckcenter.org.

These services are offered for an ongoing (weekly, monthly, quarterly) or on a one-time basis for a special event, field trip or performance.

Outreach Faculty

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Rachel E. Spence is the Associate Director of Outreach Education and can be reached by phone at 216.521.2540 x16 or by email at rspence@beckcenter.org

Rachel has more than 20-years of experience as an instructor, playwright, and director. She is an early childhood specialist who has been a theater instructor for the Strongsville City Schools and director of Children's Theater with the Royalton Players. Rachel has performed on local and national television as well as at various regional theaters.





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Bring your class to an Arts Sampler at Beck Center for the Arts! In this exciting arts preview, students will rotate through different art forms, getting hands-on experience in mini classes covering visual arts, theater, music, and dance. In several 25 minute sessions across two hours, your students will become artists, actors, musicians and dancers!

ONE DAY, 2 HOUR FIELD TRIP | 25 MINUTE HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS | UNDER 12 STUDENTS PER SESSION

ALL FOR JUST \$6 PER STUDENT

Standard price only \$6 per student. Appropriate for grades K - 5.
Minimum total number of students 15 | Maximum total number of students 60

Individual workshop sizes are limited to fewer than 12 students. **Other dates, grade levels, student counts, and art forms are available at an additional cost.**
Dates below are for September 2019 - May 2020.

For more information or to schedule a trip, contact:
RACHEL SPENCE | 216.521.2540 x16 | rspence@beckcenter.org

WEDNESDAYS 10 AM - 12 PM

SEPTEMBER 25	OCTOBER 9, 16, 30	NOVEMBER 6, 20	JANUARY 15, 22, 29
FEBRUARY 5, 19, 26	MARCH 4, 18, 25	APRIL 1, 29	MAY 6, 13, 20



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Classes and Programs for Early Childhood Ages Birth – 6 years



We are proud to offer early childhood arts education classes for children and their caregivers as an introduction to the arts. Our students, from newborns to six years old, are provided experiences in each arts discipline – dance, music, theater, and visual arts – in developmentally appropriate contexts. Classes encourage play, creativity, cooperation, attention, and provide caregivers with activities to continue at home. Parents/caregivers join in on the creativity right alongside their young aspiring artist.

Create Your Own Arts Experiences

Kids-N-Tunes: music and movement classes ages Birth-5 years

Kids-N-Theater: basic theatrical skills classes ages 2-5 years

Kids-N-Create: multimedia visual arts classes ages 3-5 years

Kids-N-Dance: dance activities to enhance motor skills, balance, creativity, and listening ages 2-3

Kids-N-Drums: hands on drumming class for ages 3-4 years

Kids-N-Clay: clay work and pottery class for ages 5-11 years

Music classes: Kids-n-Tunes, Suzuki violin, piano, voice

Theater classes: Kids-n-Theater, Acting Adventures, Little Folks Theater

Visual Arts classes: Kids-n-Create, Art Discovery Studio, Kids-n-Clay

Dance classes: Kids-n-Dance, Preballet, Preschool Dance

Super Saturdays @ Beck Center

Sponsored by the Lakewood Arts Festival

Join in on the fun, creativity, and excitement at Beck Center as you and your young aspiring artists explore music, dance, theater, and the visual arts at this FREE experience for children ages 1 to 8 years. Let's get creative from 9:30-11:30 AM as Beck Center collaborates with community partners, including the Ohio Paper Folders, to bring the arts alive.

The day begins with the "Hear & Touch Concert" at 9:30 AM featuring interactive music including a demonstration and narration of a family of instruments. Afterwards everyone takes part in visual art, dance, theater and/or music experiences in our gallery areas.

Parent/adult participation is required. Admission is free for all ages, but tickets must be reserved at beckcenter.org or by calling Customer Service at 216.521.2540 x10.

Upcoming dates:

December 7	Brass Instruments
January 11	String Instruments
April 25	Piano
August	Percussion



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WINTER/SPRING 2020 EARLY CHILDHOOD DANCE EDUCATION SCHEDULE

January 13-May 30. No classes April 10-16.

#XXXX represents the catalog course number.

Classes with two sessions are comprised of two 9-week sessions unless noted. Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.
Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
MONDAY						
Session 1: Jan 13 / Session 2: Mar 16						
7560/7561	Preschool Yoga	3-5	11:00 AM -11:40 AM	\$105	CA Dance	McCarter
7483	Preballet	4-5	4:15 PM -4:55 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7484	Preballet	6-7	5:00 PM -5:40 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
TUESDAY						
Session 1: Jan 14 / Session 2: Mar 17						
7501	Preballet	5-6	4:30 PM -5:10 PM	\$223	CA Dance	Seckers
7502	Preballet	6-7	4:30 PM -5:10 PM	\$223	Dance Gallery	Szucs
THURSDAY						
Session 1: Jan 16 / Session 2: Mar 19						
7528	Preballet	4-5	4:15 PM -4:55 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7529	Preballet	6-7	5:00 PM -5:40 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
FRIDAY						
Session 1: Jan 17 / Session 2: Mar 20						
7542	Preschool Dance	3-4	11:30 AM -12:10 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Szucs
7544	Preballet	4-5	12:15 PM -12:55 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Szucs
7543	Preballet	4 1/2-5	1:00 PM -1:40 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Szucs
SATURDAY						
Session 1: Jan 18 / Session 2: Mar 21						
7547	Preschool Dance	3-4	9:00 AM -9:40 AM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7550	Preballet	4	9:45 AM -10:25 AM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7548	Preballet	5	10:30 AM -11:10 AM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7546	Preschool Dance	3-4	11:15 AM -11:55 AM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
7549	Preballet	5-7	12:00 PM -12:40 PM	\$223	Main Dance Studio	Viscomi
MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building						

DANCE: EARLY CHILDHOOD Ages Birth-6

Preschool Yoga (Ages 3-5) A fun and playful class for preschoolers introducing yoga poses, breath, and relaxation through stories, play, games, team work, imagery, art and music.

Session 1 #7560 Monday 11:00-11:40 AM; 1/13-3/9; \$105; CA Dance; Instructor: McCarter, Jennifer

Session 2 #7561 Monday 11:00-11:40 AM; 3/16-5/18; \$105; CA Dance; Instructor: McCarter, Jennifer

Preschool Dance (Ages 3-4) An introduction to the art of dance with age-appropriate music, creative movement, gross motor skills exercises, simple dance steps, and the use of props.

#7542 Friday 11:30 AM-12:10 PM; 1/17-5/29; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7547 Saturday 9:00-9:40 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7546 Saturday 11:15-11:55 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Preballet (Ages 4-7) An introduction to ballet using creative imagery and props to excite aspiring young dancers. Students sing, dance, and build self confidence while being introduced to basic ballet positions and steps.

Preballet (Age 4)

#7550 Saturday 9:45-10:25 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Preballet (Age 4-5)

#7483 Monday 4:15-4:55 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7528 Thursday 4:15-4:55 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7544 Friday 12:15-12:55 PM; 1/17-5/29; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Preballet (Ages 4½ -5)

#7543 Friday 1:00-1:40 PM; 1/17-5/29; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

Preballet (Ages 5)

#7548 Saturday 10:30-11:10 AM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Preballet (Age 5-6)

#7501 Tuesday 4:30-5:10 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$223; CA Dance; Instructor: Seckers, Gwendolyn

Preballet (Ages 5-7)

#7549 Saturday 12:00-12:40 PM; 1/18-5/30; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

Preballet (Ages 6-7)

#7484 Monday 5:00-5:40 PM; 1/13-6/1; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail

#7502 Tuesday 4:30-5:10 PM; 1/14-5/26; \$223; Dance Gallery; Instructor: Szucs, Melanie

#7529 Thursday 5:00-5:40 PM; 1/16-5/28; \$223; Main Dance Studio; Instructor: Viscomi, Abigail



WINTER/SPRING EARLY CHILDHOOD MUSIC EDUCATION SCHEDULE

January 13-May 23. No classes April 10-16

Session 1: January 13-March 14

Session 2: March 16-May 23

#XXXX represents the catalog course number.

Classes with two sessions are comprised of two 9-week sessions unless noted. Please make note of all beginning and ending dates for each individual class.
Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
Jan 13	MONDAY					
7388	Piano Beginner 1	6-8	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$189	MD 104	Smolko
Session 1: Jan 14 / Session 2: Mar 15	TUESDAY					
7397/7398	Ukulele 1	6-10	5:00 PM -5:45 PM	\$115	MD 101	Wooley
7393	Piano Beginner 2	6-12	6:00 PM -6:45 PM	\$189	MD 104	Smolko
Session 1: Jan 15 / Session 2: Mar 16	WEDNESDAY					
7367/7368	Kids-n-Tunes Family	Birth-5yrs	9:45 AM -10:15 AM	\$90	CA Dance	Corigliano
7369/7370	Kids-n-Tunes	18 mos-3 yrs	10:30 AM -11:00 AM	\$90	CA Dance	Corigliano
7365/7366	Kids-n-Tunes Babies	Birth-18 mos	11:15 AM -11:35 AM	\$90	CA Dance	Corigliano
7401	Voice Beginner Prep	6-8	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$189	MD 101	Wooley
7373/7374	Music Discovery	4-6	5:15 PM -5:45 PM	\$90	Main 207	Friedman-Romell
7371/7372	Kids-n-Tunes	Birth-5 yrs	6:00 PM -6:30 PM	\$90	Main 207	Friedman-Romell
Session 1: Jan 16 / Session 2: Mar 19	THURSDAY					
7381/7382	Drum Discovery	4-6	4:15 PM -4:45 PM	\$105	MD 101	Wooley
7400	Violin Beginner	6-9	4:15 PM -5:00 PM	\$175	Main 205	Becker
7383/7384	Drum Discovery	6-9	4:45 PM -5:15 PM	\$105	MD 101	Wooley
Session 1: Jan 18	SATURDAY					
7390	Piano Beginner 1	6-8	10:45 AM -11:30 AM	\$189	MD 104	Stefaniak
7392	Piano Beginner 2	6-12	11:30 AM -12:15 PM	\$189	MD 104	Stefaniak
7391	Piano Beginner 1	9-12	12:15 PM -1:00 PM	\$189	MD 104	Stefaniak
MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building						

MUSIC: EARLY CHILDHOOD Ages Birth-6 years

Kids-N-Tunes (Ages Birth-5 yrs) Enjoy a creative class filled with singing, listening, instrument playing, and moving alongside your child! Parents/caregivers learn ways to use music at home while children participate in success oriented; developmentally appropriate activities helping them learn and grow with new friends.

Note: No street shoes allowed on dance surfaces, plan to wear socks or participate in bare feet.
Wednesday; Tuition: \$90 (first child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for parent/caregiver.
Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2/15/20 and save 10% off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7365 (Ages Birth-18 mos) Wednesday 11:15-11:35 AM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 2 #7366 (Ages Birth-18 mos) Wednesday 11:15-11:35 AM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 1 #7367 (Ages Birth-5yrs - Families) Wednesday 9:45-10:15 AM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 2 #7368 (Ages Birth-5yrs - Families) Wednesday 9:45-10:15 AM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 1 #7369 (Ages 18 mos-3 yrs) Wednesday 10:30-11:00 AM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 2 #7370 (Ages 18 mos-3 yrs) Wednesday 10:30-11:00 AM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; CA Dance; Instructor: Corigliano, Marisa

Session 1 #7371 (Ages Birth-5 yrs - Families) Wednesday 6:00-6:30 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Session 2 #7372 (Ages Birth-5 yrs - Families) Wednesday 6:00-6:30 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Drum Discovery (Ages 4-9) A creative class introducing students to rhythm and applying what they learn on many types of drums, shakers, creating music with their body, and even paint buckets. Students will develop listening skills, learn the building blocks of music, and teamwork as they work together as a class

Note: Tuition: \$105 (first child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for parent/caregiver.
Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7381 (Ages 4-6) Thursday 4:15-4:45 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$105; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Session 2 #7382 (Ages 4-6) Thursday 4:15-4:45 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$105; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Music Discovery (Ages 4-6) A class filled with singing, listening, instrument playing, and movement experiences. Children will engage in activities that build musical and developmental skills through the use of success oriented activities.

Note: No street shoes allowed on dance surfaces, plan to wear socks or participate in bare feet. Tuition: \$70 (first child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2/15/20 and save 10% off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7373 Wednesday 5:15-5:45 PM; 1/15-3/11; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Session 2 #7374 Wednesday 5:15-5:45 PM; 3/18-5/20; \$90; Main 207; Instructor: Friedman-Romell, Beth

Ukulele 1 (Ages 6-10) Session 1: Jump in and learn to play songs right away with Dr. Wooley's simple approach to learning the ukulele. Students will learn chords, melody lines, and improvisation through group study of folk and rock tunes. Students may take this course as a prerequisite to learning the guitar. No experience necessary. Student provides ukulele.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7397 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$115; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Session 2 #7398 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$115; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Violin Beginner (Ages 6-9) Using material from the Suzuki Method and familiar songs, students learn instrument posture, tone production, and how to play together. A small selection of violins are available to rent from Beck for \$15/month or \$75/semester. Other class materials provided.

#7400 Thursday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/16-4/23; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Becker, Sarah

Piano Classes

Piano Beginner 1 (Ages 6-8) For students who have benefited from early childhood music classes or for young students looking to try an instrument, this class covers basic music reading skills, rhythm skills, and correct piano technique. Students learn songs that are hands alone and - by the end of the class - hands together. Music book included. Group piano lessons take place in the Beck Center Music Department piano lab, equipped with seven Yamaha digital pianos which allows for group as well as individual instruction.

#7388 Monday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/13-4/20; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Smolko, Chuck

#7390 Saturday 10:45-11:30 AM; 1/18-4/25; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Stefaniak, Andrew

Piano Beginner 2 (Ages 6-12) For students who have already completed the intro level, Piano Beginner 1 course, this class covers basic music reading skills, rhythm skills, and correct piano technique. Students learn songs that are hands alone and - by the end of the class - hands together. Music book included. Group piano lessons take place the Beck Center Music department piano lab, equipped with seven Yamaha digital pianos which allows for group as well as individual instruction.

#7393 Tuesday 6:00-6:45 PM; 1/14-4/21; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Smolko, Chuck

#7392 Saturday 11:30 AM-12:15 PM; 1/18-4/25; \$189; MD 104; Instructor: Stefaniak, Andrew

Voice Classes

Voice Class Beginner Prep (Ages 6-11) An introductory class for beginning vocalists to develop the basics in a nurturing group setting. Class focuses on learning songs, developing rhythm, recognizing music symbols, and building awareness of breath and body. Emphasis on basic skills of memorization and rhythm through interactive repetition. Students gain confidence and develop a solid groundwork for future musical studies. This class may be taken as a prerequisite to Voice Beginner (Ages 9-12).

#7401 (Ages 6-8) Wednesday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/15-4/22; \$189; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Guitar & Ukulele Classes

Ukulele 1 (Ages 6-10) Session 1: Jump in and learn to play songs right away with Dr. Wooley's simple approach to learning the ukulele. Students will learn chords, melody lines, and improvisation through group study of folk and rock tunes. Students may take this course as a prerequisite to learning the guitar. No experience necessary. Student provides ukulele.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7397 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$115; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Session 2 #7398 Tuesday 5:00-5:45 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$115; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Strings

Violin Beginner (Ages 6-9) Using material from the Suzuki Method and familiar songs, students learn instrument posture, tone production, and how to play together. A small selection of violins are available to rent from Beck for \$15/month or \$75/semester. Other class materials provided.

#7400 Thursday 4:15-5:00 PM; 1/16-4/23; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Becker, Sarah

Drumming

Drum Discovery (Ages 4-9) A creative class introducing students to rhythm and applying what they learn on many types of drums, shakers, creating music with their body, and even paint buckets. Students will develop listening skills, learn the building blocks of music, and teamwork as they work together as a class.

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2/15/20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7383 (Ages 6-9) Thursday 4:45-5:15 PM; 1/16-3/12; \$105; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

Session 2 #7384 (Ages 6-9) Thursday 4:45-5:15 PM; 3/19-5/21; \$105; MD 101; Instructor: Wooley, Amy

WINTER/SPRING EARLY CHILDHOOD THEATER EDUCATION SCHEDULE

January 13-May 23. No classes April 10-16

Session 1: January 13-March 14

Session 2: March 16-May 2

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Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
Jan 21	TUESDAY					
7580	Acting Adventures	5-7	4:30 PM -5:15 PM	\$175	Main 205	Staff
Jan 22	WEDNESDAY					
7585	Little Folks Theater I	4-5	4:30 PM -5:15 PM	\$175	Main 205	Staff
7586	Little Folks Theater II	6-7	5:30 PM -6:15 PM	\$175	Main 205	Staff
Session 1: Jan 23 / Session 2: Mar 19	THURSDAY					
7587	Accents and Dialects	8-12	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$175	Main 107	Wetula
Jan 25	SATURDAY					
7593 – Begin Feb 1	Kids-n-Theater	2-4	9:30 AM -10:15 AM	\$165	Main 205	Clare
7592 – Begin Feb 1	Acting Adventures	5-7	10:30 AM -11:15 AM	\$165	Main 205	Clare
7594 – Begin Feb 1	Little Folks Theater I	4-5	11:30 AM -12:15 PM	\$165	Main 205	Clare
7595 – Begin Feb 1	Little Folks Theater II	6-7	12:30 PM -1:15 PM	\$165	Main 205	Clare
MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building						

THEATER CLASSES: EARLY CHILDHOOD Ages 2-7

Acting Adventures (Ages 5-7) This class is designed to introduce children to theater through improvised imagination as each week students collectively conquer a new adventure. Students focus on projecting their voices, listening for directions, developing stage presence, and working together while stretching their imaginations. Parents are welcome to attend the final class to participate in one of these amazing adventures.

#7580 Tuesday 4:30-5:15 PM; 1/21-4/28; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Theater Staff

#7592 Saturday 10:30-11:15 AM; 2/1-5/2; \$165; Main 205; Instructor: Clare, Sarah

Kids-N-Theater (Ages 2-4) Parents/caregivers and children take part in basic theater skills (singing, movement, and acting) in a lively, creative, positive classroom atmosphere. Each class provides an opportunity for everyone to share in the theatrical experience. Parents/caregivers are in the classroom with the child and participate during every session.

Note: Tuition: \$165 (first child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for parent/caregiver.

#7593 Saturday 9:30-10:15 AM; 2/1-5/2; \$165; Main 205; Instructor: Clare, Sarah

Little Folks Theater I (Ages 4-5) Little Folks introduces our younger students to the magic of theater and is also designed for returning students as new exercises and material are explored each semester. Children engage in lively classroom activities involving creative dramatics, movement, listening skills, and creative art. This class stresses positive self-development and interaction and concludes with an informal presentation for family and friends.

#7585 Wednesday 4:30-5:15 PM; 1/22-4/29; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Theater Staff

#7594 Saturday 11:30 AM-12:15 PM; 2/1-5/2; \$165; Main 205; Instructor: Clare, Sarah

Little Folks Theater II (Ages 6-7) Continuing from and building upon the work started in Little Folks Theater, students delve deeper in their exploration of creative dramatics, movement, listening skills, and creative art. The class stresses positive self-development and interaction and concludes with an informal presentation for family and friends. You do not need to have taken Little Folks Theater I to enroll in Little Folks Theater II.

#7586 Wednesday 5:30-6:15 PM; 1/22-4/29; \$175; Main 205; Instructor: Theater Staff

#7595 Saturday 12:30-1:15 PM; 2/1-5/2; \$165; Main 205; Instructor: Clare, Sarah

WINTER/SPRING 2020 EARLY CHILDHOOD VISUAL ARTS EDUCATION SCHEDULE

January 13-May 23. No classes April 10-16

Session 1: January 13-March 14 Session 2: March 16-May 23

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Register for both sessions by February 15 and receive a 10% discount on Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 / Session 2	Course Name	Ages	Times	Fees per course	Location	Instructor
Session 1: Jan 13 / Session 2: Mar 16	MONDAY					
7413/7414	Kids-n-Create	3-5	4:30 PM -5:15 PM	\$110	Main 105	Bogard
7409/7410	Art Discovery Studio	6-9	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7407/7408	After School Draw	6-10	5:30 PM -6:30 PM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
Session 1: Jan 14 / Session 2: Mar 17	TUESDAY					
7451/7452	After School Clay	6-10	4:30 PM -5:30 PM	\$185	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
Session 1: Jan 18 / Session 2: Mar 21	SATURDAY					
7419/7420	Pottery: Kids-n-Clay	5-9	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$205	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
7421/7422	Art Discovery Studio	6-9	9:00 AM -10:00 AM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7423/7424	Drawing Fundamentals	6-9	10:00 AM -11:00 AM	\$135	Main 103	Finley
7417/7418	Pottery: Introduction	6-9	10:15 AM -11:15 AM	\$185	Main 111-Pottery	Dore
MAIN - Main Building; MD - Music & Dance Building; CA - Creative Arts Building						

VISUAL ARTS: EARLY CHILDHOOD/YOUTH Ages 3-6

Multi-Media

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Kids-n-Create (Ages 3-5) Session 1: Children and their parents/caregivers participate in drawing, sculpture, printmaking, painting, and collage making. Age-appropriate activities are success oriented and foster creativity. Supplies provided and included in the tuition. Enroll in Session 1 now. Enroll in Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition. Tuition: \$110 (1st child); Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for the parent/caregiver.

Session 1 #7413 Monday 4:30-5:15 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$110; Main 105; Instructor: Bogard, Allison

Session 2 #7414 Monday 4:30-5:15 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$110; Main 105; Instructor: Bogard, Allison

Art Discovery Studio (Ages 6-9) Session 1: For students wishing to be creative and gain an understanding of a variety of multimedia and techniques. From clay to painting, collage and more, students are immersed in the art making process and encouraged to be active participants in the selection of class projects. This open ended course could be taken as an ongoing continuation of multimedia exploration or as an introduction to other focused studies such as drawing or pottery. Supplies provided and included in the tuition.

Session 1 #7409 Monday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 2 #7410 Monday 4:30-5:30 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 1 #7421 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 2 #7422 Saturday 9:00 AM-10:00 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Drawing & Cartooning

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Drawing

Drawing Fundamentals (Ages 6-9) Session 1: Learn fundamental skills in drawing such as contour line drawing, gesture drawing, proportion, and rendering through observation of various still life displays and more. Supply list to be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7423 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 2 #7424 Saturday 10:00-11:00 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

After School Draw (Ages 6-10) Session 1: Learn fundamental skills in drawing such as contour line drawing, gesture drawing, proportion, and rendering through observation of various still life displays and more. Bring a sketchbook to the first class. Supply list to be discussed and distributed at the first class.

Session 1 #7407 Monday 5:30-6:30 PM; 1/13-3/9; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

Session 2 #7408 Monday 5:30-6:30 PM; 3/16-5/18; \$135; Main 103; Instructor: Finley, Ryan

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Pottery/Ceramics

Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

The Beck Center makes all of our mid-range glazes used in our pottery studio for teen & adult classes. Creating our own glazes provides a wider range of color possibilities and easier application for our students. They have been tested over the years and are the most economical way to provide the widest pallet possible.

Pottery: Kids-n-Clay (Ages 5-9) Session 1: Learn the basics of pottery with your child and be creative together! During this fun hands-on class, both parent/caregiver and child learn together about the different methods to create a variety of projects both independently and collaboratively. Supplies provided and included in the tuition. Additional siblings receive a 20% discount; No charge for parent/caregiver.

Session 1 #7419 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$205; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7420 Saturday 9:00-10:00 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$205; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Pottery: Introduction (Ages 6-9) Session 1: Students learn the basics of clay including the pinch method, coiling and slab work. The students will create fun projects while exploring texture, form and design. These techniques will develop the essential skills needed to go on to more advanced classes. Supplies provided and included in the tuition.

Session 1 #7417 Saturday 10:15-11:15 AM; 1/18-3/14; \$185; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7418 Saturday 10:15-11:15 AM; 3/21-5/23; \$185; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

After School Clay (Ages 6-10) Session 1: Students learn the basics of clay including the pinch method, coiling and slab work. The students will create fun projects while exploring texture, form and design. These techniques will develop the essential skills needed to go on to more advanced classes. Supplies provided and included in the tuition. Enroll in Session 1 now and Session 2 by 2-15-20 and receive a 10% discount off Session 2 tuition.

Session 1 #7451 Tuesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 1/14-3/10; \$185; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle

Session 2 #7452 Tuesday 4:30-5:30 PM; 3/17-5/19; \$185; Main 111-Pottery; Instructor: Dore, Danielle



GENERAL INFORMATION

How Can I Register?

There are several ways to register for classes. Payments accepted by Credit Card, Check, and Cash.

Online registration: Online registration is now available on the Beck Center website. Students and their families who have recently taken classes at the Beck Center already have an account on the ActiveNet class registration system. If you have not received your login ID and password through email, please call Customer Service at (216) 521-2540 x10 to verify your login and receive a password. It is important that you do not add a duplicate record in the system for your family.

In Person: Register at the Beck Center Customer Services Desk Monday through Thursday 9:00 AM-8:00 PM, and Friday and Saturday from 9:00 AM-5:00 PM. Private music instruction may be scheduled by contacting the Music Office directly at 216.521.2540 x17.

Phone: To register for private lessons, call 216.521.2540 x17. For all other classes, call 216.521.2540 x10. Tuition must be paid in full by credit card (Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express).

Mail: Send the registration form and full payment (check, Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, or money order) to: Class Registration, Beck Center for the Arts, 17801 Detroit Avenue, Lakewood, OH 44107.

Registration Policies and Fees

General Class Registration

Classes fill up quickly. Register early to guarantee the student's place in the class.

Tuition: Payment in full must accompany all class registrations unless a payment schedule has been approved in advance. Students whose tuition is past due may not register for classes in the following sessions.

Confirmations: Beck Center does not mail confirmation of class registrations. We contact you only if a class is filled or cancelled. If you do not hear from us, attend the class as scheduled.

Cancelled/Missed Classes: Class make-ups are given only when the teacher cancels an entire class. Your notification of your inability to attend a class is a courtesy to the teacher, but we regret we cannot excuse you from payment of the class for which you have contracted.

Late Registration: When space permits, late registrations will be accepted at full cost.

Refunds/Credits for Low Enrollment/ Class Cancellation: Classes may be cancelled if enrollment does not meet predetermined minimums. In the case of class cancellation the student/family will be contacted by a member of Beck Center's staff who will assist in moving the student to another class, placing fees paid as credit on account for future use within one year from the date of credit or refunding the full amount of the class.

Refunds/Credits for Student Withdrawal: Refunds for class tuition (less a \$10 processing fee) will be given only when a student withdraws from a class at least seven days prior to the first day of class. If a cancellation is received after that date but before the first day of the class, the credit for tuition will be applied to the student's account (less materials/book fees) for future class selections. Credits on accounts are valid for one year from the date of credit.

Registration: Must be made prior to first lesson. Tuition and fees are due at that time. Registration can be made by phone at 216.521.2540 x17 with payment by credit card. Lessons are prorated after the session begins.

Cancellations/Absences: Contracting for private instruction obligates a student for the entire semester or agreed upon number of lessons. All lessons must be paid for whether taken or missed. Beck Center does not require instructors to make up student's missed lessons. In the event the instructor cancels a lesson, a make-up will be offered or a fee adjustment will be made. Please notify your instructor 24 hours before a planned absence. Please contact Beck Center if an emergency arises causing you to miss a lesson.

Accompanist Fees (when applicable): The student/family is responsible for payment of any accompanist fees. If needed, Beck Center may assist the student/family in finding an appropriate accompanist.

Financial Assistance Financial assistance is available for students up to 18 years of age. Financial assistance is available on a limited basis for private music lessons or creative arts therapies sessions. To apply for financial assistance, call 216.521.2540 x12, or stop by Customer Service to pick up an application. The Deadline to apply for assistance for classes is August 26 (Fall semester), January 5 (Winter/Spring semester), and May 3 (Summer semester).

Applications will be reviewed and processed in the order they are received. Financial assistance is disbursed based on need. You must apply each semester. Applications submitted after the deadline may be considered for a lesser award. Space in a class is not guaranteed until all information is reviewed and arrangements are made for payment of class fees.

Payment Plan Parents or guardians may request to be enrolled in a tuition payment plan for a fee. Fifty percent (50%) of the tuition will be due on registration with the remainder due FALL: November 1; WINTER: March 1; SUMMER: July 1. There is a \$10 fee for a two-payment plan. An option for a four payment plan is also available and the fee is \$20 with due dates of FALL: October 1, November 1, December 1; WINTER: February 1, March 1, April 1. If you have any questions, call the Music Office at 216.521.2540 x17 or Customer Service at 216.521.2540 x28

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Accessibility Beck Center for the Arts is wheelchair accessible.

Liability Policy Beck Center for the Arts assumes no liability in the event of accident or loss of personal property at any time.

Non-Discrimination Beck Center for the Arts does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, and national or ethnic origin.

Suspension A student may be suspended for non-payment of fees. Instruction may be resumed when the balance is paid in full and contact made with Customer Services or the Music Office. No credits will be given for missed classes while under suspension, nor for lesson times held during this period. Before instruction continues, semester fees will be due in full.

Disciplinary Code A student may be suspended or dismissed for disciplinary reasons, unacceptable behavior or conduct. No refunds will be given.

Observation of Classes/lessons/rehearsals Individuals accompanying students to classes/lessons/rehearsals are asked to remain outside of the classroom/studio/rehearsal space during all classes/lessons/rehearsals. Faculty will periodically invite individuals to observe the class at times throughout the semester. This ensures a quality learning environment for all students with limited disruptions.

Parking Free parking is available during class times.

Emergency Closings Cancellation of classes will be announced via local Cleveland area TV and radio stations and through a recorded message at 216.521.2540.

In the event of an emergency closing, classes and lessons will not be rescheduled and tuition will not be reimbursed. Classes and lessons cancelled a second time within the same semester will be rescheduled.

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