

Summer Programme 2022

ARTSPACE
CINDERFORD



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Starting May 2022

Artspace are delighted to announce our new programme for the Summer 2022 term! We are offering a fantastic mixture of 'in person' classroom based and 'distance learning' (online) courses.

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Courses For Adults - Distance Learning (Online)

Artspace's Adult Education funded 'Distance Learning' programme has been designed to enable home learning. Courses are 8 weeks long and are delivered on ZOOM. Artspace will send a package of art materials directly to your home and you can participate in a weekly zoom workshop and receive follow up support via telephone and/or email. For full course information visit www.artspacecinderford.org

Please note: To help us reduce cash-handling during the Covid-19 pandemic we will ask that you pay tuition fee and materials charges in full, at the start of the course.

Costs For Adult Distance Learning Courses

£45 (*£25 concessions) for an eight week course of hour long zoom workshops, including all materials and resources.

**Concessionary rates apply for people with disabilities or on means tested benefits. Courses are FREE for people with fewer than 5 GCSE's (level 2). Please contact us to discuss your eligibility.*

Enrolment

To express your interest in a place or for more information, please email sue@artspacecinderford.org and provide your name, phone number and the title of the course you are interested in and we will get back to you.



Mondays



Discover Painting - Animals, with Aileen Wright

Starts Monday 9th May / 8 weeks with half term break

3:00pm – 4:00pm (on Zoom)

In this course we will examine how animals have been represented in art throughout history, noting our paradoxical relationship to them, as well as drawing inspiration from some contemporary animal artists. We will produce drawings and painted sketches inspired by the artists looked at and we will experiment with different styles and painting techniques. Other media, such as collage, will be brought into our paintings to produce vibrant works of art that celebrate animals in all their beauty.

Thursdays



Mixed Media Textures, with Warren Day

Starts Thursday 5th May / 8 weeks with half term break

10:00am – 11:00am (on Zoom)

Have fun experimenting with a range of different and sometimes unusual media and materials such as plaster, acrylics, fabrics and more to create a selection of textural abstract images. We will look at other artists who have focused on similar materials and aesthetics in their work and also develop our own pieces. The aim is to produce surfaces that have several techniques and mixed media worked into them to achieve tactile but also visually interesting outcomes. During the final two sessions of this course, you will have the opportunity to develop a personal outcome further and produce a response which is either completely abstracted or you may wish to incorporate the skills you gained into your own existing work.

Thursdays



Introduction to Drawing, with Gabriel Parfitt

Starts Thursday 5th May / 8 weeks with half term break

1:00pm – 2:00pm (on Zoom)

This introductory course to drawing will encourage you to explore and develop the skills and techniques needed to draw from life to develop your own unique style using a range of media and materials.

Fridays



Shiny Happy People, with Warren Day

Starts Friday 6th May 2022 / 8 weeks with half term break

2:00pm – 3:00pm (on Zoom)

Using a variety of metallic media and materials such as gold leaf, metallic papers, metallic paints, and associated techniques, we will explore the work of artists and cultures that have celebrated metallic colours in their work from the stunning mosaics of the Byzantine period to the gorgeous lusturous golden paintings of Gustav Klimt. Towards the end of the course, you will have the opportunity to develop a personal outcome in response to the initial workshops and produce a final outcome that includes the themes and techniques that you have enjoyed most.

Courses For Adults - at Artspace Cinderford Venue

Come to Artspace to enjoy a group workshop in our fully equipped art studio in Cinderford.

Please note: To help us reduce cash-handling during the Covid-19 pandemic we will ask that you pay tuition fee and materials charges in full, at the start of the course.

Costs For Adult Courses at Artspace Cinderford Venue

Courses at Artspace: £80 (*£45 concessions) for an eight week course of 2hr long workshops, including all materials and resources.

**Concessionary rates apply for people with disabilities or on means tested benefits. Courses are FREE for people with fewer than 5 GCSE's (level 2). Please contact us to discuss your eligibility.*

Enrolment

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Mondays



Volunteering in the Arts, with Angie Burgess

Starts Monday 9th May / 6 weeks with half-term break

10:00am – 12:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

****FREE****

If you would like to learn and develop the skills required to volunteer for Artspace, then this is the course for you. During our sessions we will learn and develop basic IT skills, complete general admin tasks, learn the basic financial aspects of fundraising and use a variety of creative mediums to help facilitate our goals. We will also use fun, educational games for team building and will learn to work together to achieve our aims. Whilst we will focus on learning new skills and developing them, this course will predominantly be about fun as we identify ways in which we can perform a successful volunteering role, hone our organisational skills and build confidence and team spirit within the group. Ultimately we will put our skills into practice and work in collaboration to organise a fund raising initiative and to gain some experience and benefit Artspace. This course is suitable for all skill levels and will be a fun but productive collaboration.

Mondays



Willow Weaving Frame Baskets, with Helen Parkinson

Starts Monday 9th May / 8 weeks with half term break

10:00am – 12:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

During this Summer term we will continue to focus on creating beautiful and useful frame baskets using a variety of different coloured willow. There will also be an opportunity to complete a variety of small projects for your home and garden. At the end of the course, you will have a good basic knowledge of Willow types and how to prepare them, weaving tools and how to use them and the traditional techniques involved in constructing a frame basket. You are welcome to bring along a favourite pair of secateurs but tools will be provided.

Mondays



Knitting for Beginners, with Cherry Lyne

Starts Monday 9th May / 8 weeks with half term break

12:30am – 2:30pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

Reduced cost: £35 (*£15 concessions)

Learn the rudiments of knitting while you create your own scarf. Together we will learn and practice the basic stitches that make up so many garments we love. All materials supplied and this is an in-person

Tuesdays



Print and Paint, with Wendy Daniels

Starts Tuesday 3rd May / 8 weeks with half-term break

10:00am – 12:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

This course will encourage learners to experiment with different forms of simple printmaking and other painting techniques. We will work on paper, card and fabric and you can choose from a range of designs or make your own. We will explore a range of different paints and make our own from earth pigments and natural materials. No experience necessary, just be prepared to have a go!

Tuesdays



Exploring Clay, with Jane Spray

Starts Tuesday 3rd May / 8 weeks with half-term break

10:00am – 12:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

A new course for both pottery beginners and those with more experience of clay. There will be some set making projects, all with a natural theme, and we will explore burnishing and sawdust firing during the second half of the course. Please bring an old shirt and a sketchbook with you.

Wednesdays



3D Ceramics, with Jane Spray

Starts Wednesday 4th May / 8 weeks with half term break

10:00am – 12:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

A ceramic class for those with some previous experience of using clay. Students will be encouraged to work on their own personal projects, and may wish to explore techniques of printing on clay further.

Wednesdays



Circus & Performance, with Jo Jarratt

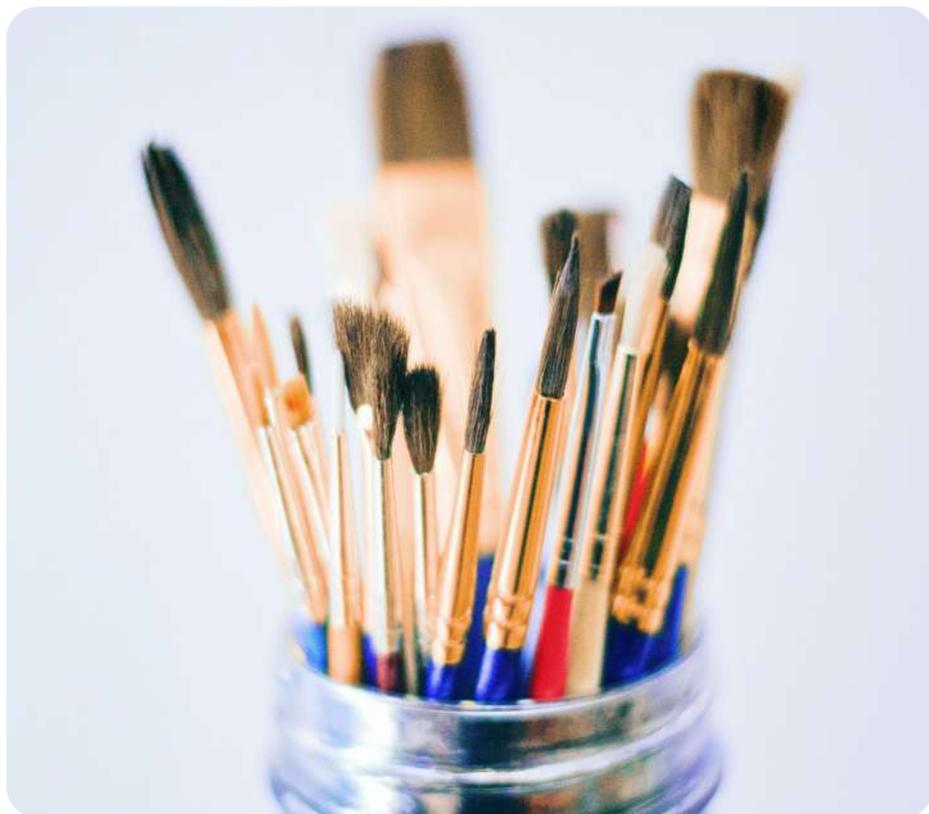
Starts Wednesday 4th May / 8 weeks with half term break

10:00am – 12:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

Reduced cost: £35 (*£15 concessions)

Do you like to perform? Do you love the theatre? Do you love the Circus? Come and join us on this 8 week course of Circus, drama and dance, where we shall work together to create a fabulous performance of our own!

Wednesdays



Discover Painting , with Bela Kielt

Starts Wednesday 4th May / 8 weeks with half term break

1:30pm – 3:30pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

This course is perfect for beginners as well as people with some experience. During the course you will exercise and explore some of the basic principles of painting: types of composition, light and mixing paint. We will try a variety of exercises, such as making super-fast sketches with a brush. Working on a large scale, you will have fun using paint, charcoal and pencil. We will explore different styles and spend lots of time focusing on observation and painting from life.

Wednesdays



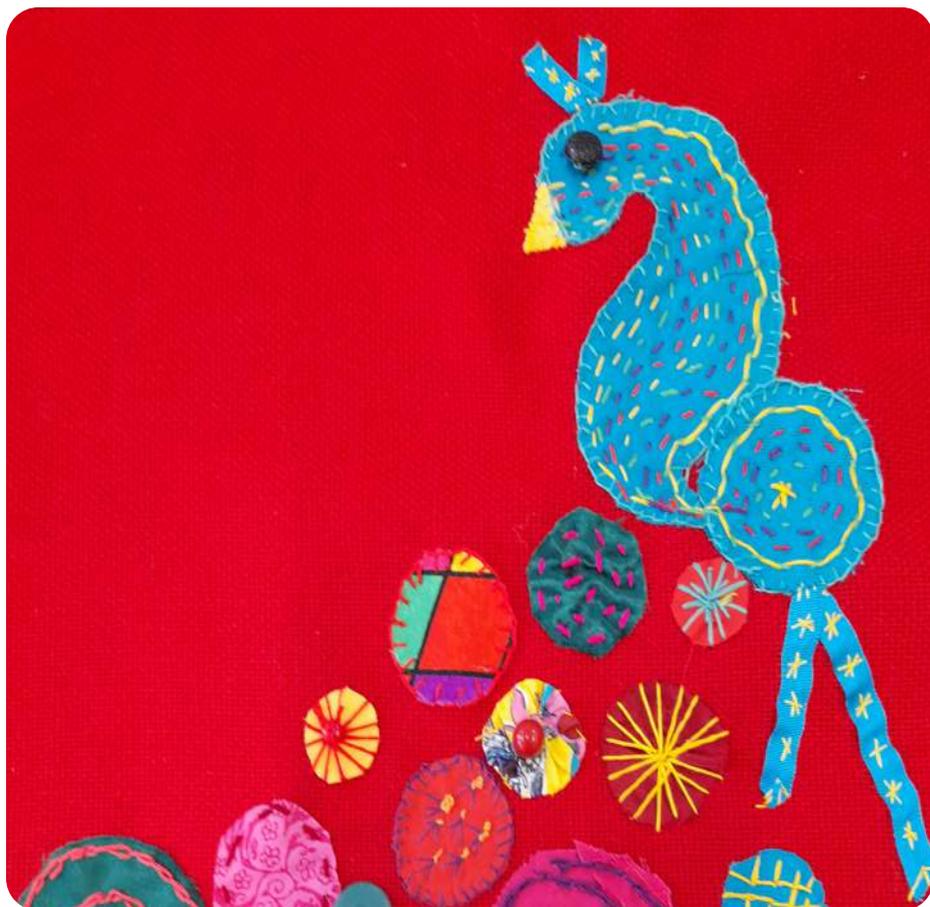
Evening Pottery, with Jane Spray

Starts Wednesday 4th May / 8 weeks with half term break

6:45pm – 8:45pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

If you cannot make it to Artspace during the day, then this is the evening class for you! Relax and enjoy using clay in a creative atmosphere. A range of making and decorating techniques will be explored throughout the course and you will be encouraged to work on and develop your own projects.

Thursdays



Fun With Fabrics, with Lizzie Godden

Starts Thursday 5th May / 8 weeks with half-term break

10:00am – 12:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

Enjoy using recycled plain and patterned fabric to make an item, for example a cushion cover, a scarf, a throw. Using print blocks, paint, hand and machine stitch, patching, we'll have fun with fabric.

Thursdays



Sketchbooks for Stitchers, with Lizzie Godden

Starts Thursday 5th May / 8 weeks with half-term break

1:00pm- 3:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

As stitchers we're often a bit wary of calling ourselves artists, we might look at others' sketchbooks in awe, thinking we can't produce such exciting workbooks. On this course we'll make our own personal journals, notebooks, visual diaries, and essentially our books will be very personal to us, the makers. It can be so exciting creating a book which can include some doodles, prints, words, pieces of fabric and thread, stitching, collage, photography, notes on our thoughts and our response to our own experiments, found items, and more. From keeping our own notebook, ideas for textiles work will develop and will be our own. When we next have the chance to exhibit our textiles work, we might well feel very pleased to show our ideas developing in our notebook!

Fridays



Discover Drama, with Jo Jarratt

Starts Friday 6th May / 8 weeks with half-term break

10:00am – 12:00pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

Have you ever wanted to have a go at acting? Do you want to develop your confidence? This course offers adults the chance to explore and develop their communication and performing skills; using improvisation, characterisation, vocal and physical exercises in order to challenge and excite! There will also be the opportunity to devise your own piece of theatre for performance.

Saturday Series - Weekend Workshops for Adults

The Artspace 'Saturday Series' is a programme of weekend workshops for adults running here at Artspace. Each workshop is designed to provide a bespoke, one-off, arts experience that you can enjoy, at your leisure, on a weekend. Whether you would like to paint something to hang on your wall at home, or make a beautiful crafty gift for a friend or family member, these half-day or full day workshops aim to help you to create something unique! A deposit of £20 is required to secure your place on each workshop.

To express your interest in a place, please contact Dan on **01594 825111** or email **dan@artspacecinderford.org**



Reduction Lino Printing, with Melanie Clarke

Saturday 18th June / 10:30am - 4:30pm

Artspace, The New Mercury, 3 Woodside Street, Cinderford, GL14 2NL

Cost: £39 including materials

Learn about the art of relief printing. We will use lino cutting and the reduction process to make a small edition of coloured prints that could be used in card making, invitations or used in book form as well as a framed image to hang on the wall. There will be examples of all sorts of relief printing available for inspiration but bring your own sketchbooks, photos etc. to provide a starting point and then see what happens.

Youth Art Workshops



Young Creatives: Discover! 2022 (Ages 6 – 11)

Starts Tuesday 3rd May / 6 weeks

4:30pm- 5:30pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

Cost: £24 (£16 concessions) for 6 week course

Come join us and discover the world of art, craft and design! 'Discover!' will introduce you to a range of arty projects and you'll get to try your hand at using lots of different materials and techniques throughout the term. We'll design, make and be inspired by the work of other artists, crafts people and designers! Share the creations you're most proud of with your friends and you'll also have the opportunity to achieve an Arts Award certificate!

If you would like to book a place for your young person / people, then contact dan@artspacecinderford.org and you will be sent a booking link. Places will be allocated on a first come first serve basis.

Youth Art Workshops



Young Creatives: Explore 2022 (Ages 11 and up)

Starts Tuesday 3rd May / 6 weeks

6.00pm - 7:30pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

Cost: £32 (£22 concessions) for 6 week course

Do you have a passion for art? Are you a young creative looking to learn some new skills or explore new ways of working? Well, 'Explore' could be for you! This group will help you to build your art portfolio and will encourage you to develop work in a range of media, using a variety of art, design and craft techniques. You will also research the work of other artists, crafts people and designers, to help inform your own work!

Share the creations you're most proud of with your friends and family and you'll also have the opportunity to work towards an accredited Arts Award qualification! **

This group will support you to create a portfolio which meets all of the assessment criteria to achieve an Explore level Arts Award. Please get in touch for further information about Arts Award including cost of portfolio moderation.

If you would like to book a place for your young person / people, then contact dan@artspacecinderford.org and you will be sent a booking link. Places will be allocated on a first come first serve basis.

Arts Awards



Accredited, Arts Awards are a nationally recognised qualification and Artspace is a registered National Arts Awards Centre. Our staff are trained advisers mentoring young people aged 11+ to gain awards at Bronze, Silver and Gold level. We now also offer Discover and Explore awards, suitable for younger children. Arts Awards inspire young people to develop their arts and leadership talents; they are creative, valuable and accessible. Our advisers can support individuals who take part in our weekly activities to gain an award, or we can design an Arts Awards programme to suit groups.

To find out more contact Rob Toomer on **01594 825111** or email **rob@artspacecinderford.org**



Engage Youth Circus

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circus for everyone

Engage Youth Circus started with a small group of young people meeting one evening a week in a community centre in 2000 and has continued to grow. Come and join one of our classes and be a part of the next generation of Engage students.

Engage Circus are excited to have moved their circus courses back to Cinderford to a new venue at the Cinderford Methodist Church which hopefully will be more permanent.

If you would like to book on to any of these sessions please email circus@artspacecinderford.org to show your interest and then a follow up email will be sent out with a link to payment details, registration forms (not applicable if you attended last term) and address of our new venue. We have limited spaces but if you know anyone that would be interested then please get them to get in touch.



Tuesdays

Youth Acro (Ages 8 – 16)

Starts Tuesday 26th April

5:00pm - 6:30pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

Come and learn many forms of acrobalance from standing on shoulders to head stands to partner acrobatics.

Cost: Block of 6 £30. Individual class £5. Concessions available.

Contact circus@artspacecinderford.org for more details



Tuesdays



Family Acro Ages (6 - 60+)

Starts Tuesday 26th April

7:00pm - 8:30pm (at Artspace Cinderford)

Learn fun movements and acrobalance tricks with your nearest and dearest. Learn how to balance your friends and family on your feet, hands and shoulders.

People under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult for support.

Cost: Family block of 6 (one adult, one child) £50. Concessions available

Contact circus@artspacecinderford.org for more details

Please note: These sessions will be held at Artspace to start with but will move to the Wesley (Cinderford Methodist Church) from the 24th May.

Wednesdays



Engage Juniors (Ages 6 – 10)

Starts Wednesday 27th April

4:00pm - 5:15pm (at Wesley Church, 7 Belle Vue Rd, Cinderford, GL14 2AA)

Develop your skills as a Circus performer and learn tricks of the trade. Play circus games with others and see what circus skill is your favourite. Diablo, flower stix, rola bola, stilts, the list goes on.

Cost: Block of 6 £30. Individual class £5. Concessions available

Contact circus@artspacecinderford.org for more details

Wednesdays

Engage Seniors (Ages 11 - 16)

Starts Wednesday 27th April

5:30pm - 6:45pm (at Wesley Church 7 Belle Vue Rd, Cinderford GL14 2AA)

Take your circus journey further with more tricks than you can shake a stick at. Learn combinations to turn them into routines and bring out your inner performer. Become the unicycle artist you were meant to be.

Cost: Block of 6 £30. Individual class £5. Concessions available

Contact circus@artspacecinderford.org for more details



Wednesdays



Engage Advanced (Ages 11 upwards)

Starts Wednesday 27th April

7:00pm - 8:30pm (at Wesley Church 7 Belle Vue Rd, Cinderford GL14 2AA)

Self-lead classes where the individual is in charge. They will choose what equipment they want to use and what they want to learn. Tutors are present and there to help with ideas, spotting tricks and tips on their development.

This class is for people who have been training for a while.

Cost: Block of 6 £30. Individual class £5. Concessions available

Contact circus@artspacecinderford.org for more details

How to find us



Artspace has wheelchair access throughout with a platform lift to all floors. There is wheelchair access through the front door to the lift, but also separate access from the side of the building into the art room. We have parking places but WE DO NOT HAVE PUBLIC PARKING ON SITE. There is parking along Woodside Street within a few hundred yards of the building, or there is a council car park on Heywood Road.



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