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KIDS SATURDAY WORKSHOPS Ages 7-14 Advanced registration required

One Saturday a month, join Miss Julie to create your own masterpieces! In these workshops, kids can paint like a famous artist, learn about another culture, celebrate different holidays, and so much more - each workshop offers something different! These free workshops are held from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. on the date listed.

Chinese New Year - Saturday, January 29, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Chinese New Year, also called the Spring Festival, is celebrated by more than 20% of the world. This year, the Chinese New Year lands on February 1, and 2022 is the Year of the Tiger. *Join Miss Julie Saturday, January 29* to learn a little bit about this festive holiday and to create a beautiful print that will help you celebrate the New Year.



Happy Birthday, Grant Wood! - Saturday, February 19, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Grant Wood was an American painter best known for his paintings of the rural Midwest, including his home state of Iowa. *Join Miss Julie Saturday, February 19* to celebrate Wood's birthday by sketching chickens with charcoal on boxes, just like Grant Wood! Don't worry about using your imagination—we'll have LIVE chickens to draw! Wear your overalls to honor Grant Wood, the "Artist in Overalls"!



Happy Birthday, Juan Gris! - Saturday, March 12, 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Juan Gris was a Spanish painter who spent most of his time in France, and was closely connected to the Cubism art movement in the early 1900s. Gris was heavily influenced by Picasso, but by 1912 he had developed his own Cubist style. *Join Miss Julie Saturday, March 12* to celebrate Gris' birthday by creating a painting in his style.



Free For Families

Kids Open Studio - January 15 & March 26, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Do you have an artistic child who needs a creative outlet? If so, stop by and let's get creative! Join Program Coordinator Katy in the studio for a Kids Open Studio! **Kids and their families can drop in anytime between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. on the days above to try their hands at different crafts and art projects provided.** Try one, or try them all! No experience is necessary, and registrations are not required for this free drop in workshop. Projects appropriate for ages 4 - 14.



LEGO Brick Workshop - Saturday, February 5, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Itching to get out of the house? Families are invited to stop by the Muscatine Art Center to build with LEGO bricks on **Saturday**, **February 5**, **anytime between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m**. Kids can join their friends and spread out in the studio and build something masterful. Bring your own LEGO bricks or borrow some of ours! While at the Muscatine Art Center, don't forget to view *Sean Kenney's Nature Connects Made with LEGO bricks*—the exhibition closes February 20. *Registrations are not required for this free family workshop*.



Valentine Workshop - Saturday, February 12, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Valentine's Day is celebrated annually on February 14 as a day to show your loved ones you care through greetings and gifts. Some say that Valentine's Day has similarities to the Roman festival Lupercalia, which honors the coming of spring. While the origin is vague, the tradition still remains! The first commercial valentines were printed in the US in the mid-1800s. To honor this tradition, stop by Saturday, February 12 anytime between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. to make your own valentines. We'll have Victorian-inspired valentines as well as more modern versions for you to make. Plus, view vintage valentines from the Muscatine Art Center's permanent collection and enjoy some sweet candies while you create. *Registrations are not required for this free family workshop.*

