



August 17-28
Monday-Friday
10:00am-1:00pm

BUILD YOUR OWN VIRTUAL SUMMER MUSIC ACADEMY SUMMER VISUAL ARTS INSTITUTE

COURSE OFFERINGS

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EXPLORE THE ARTS (AGES 8 AND UNDER) (3 credits)

Explore and discover the Arts – each day you will experience a class from each of the three Art forms. Express yourself on paper through the Visual Arts, explore the Theatre Arts with basics in acting and dancing, and for Music you can choose from: (Secret Messages, Private Lessons, Instrument Building (needs parent supervision) and Music Composition). Find where your true passion lies!

PRIVATE LESSONS (0.5 or 1 credit)

Improve your performance skills! Refine your practice strategies, work on new repertoire and work on technical mastery. *Materials you need: Metronome, Flipgrid, Virtual platforms FaceTime, Zoom.*

FULL CREDIT

You receive 4 virtual lessons with your teacher, 4 virtual sessions with a practice buddy or independent Flipgrid recordings and 2 virtual technique classes with warm-ups and practice strategies. You will then study and perform selected repertoire.

HALF CREDIT

You receive 2 virtual lessons with your teacher, 2 virtual sessions with a practice buddy or independent Flipgrid recordings and 1 virtual technique class.

CHAMBER ENSEMBLE (INSTRUMENTAL & CHORAL) (1 credit)

Make music with your friends. You will be matched into a small ensemble group, based on age range, playing level, and instrumentation. Your ensemble will meet with your chamber coach to study the score, make musical decisions, review practice strategies, play excerpts for each other, and agree on a weekly recording assignment, with the goal of producing a final performance video. *Materials: Flipgrid, Virtual platforms FaceTime, Zoom*

JAM SESSION (Intro to Improvisation) (0.5 credit)

In the musical field, improvisation is the art of composing and performing at the same time; in other words, it is inventing on the fly! Have you ever wished you could pick up your instrument and *just play* to express your feelings? In this class you will learn some basic skills, and experiment with improvising in a comfortable environment.

Support From



MUSIC COMPOSITION (1 credit)

Get creative and compose one short piece for a trio (instruments to be determined by you) to be performed by the faculty. Your composition will be notated using notation software and submitted to a composition competition. The winner's work will be performed by Sullivan County Chamber Orchestra next season. You will meet with your instructor as a class everyday for 45 minutes, and will have opportunities to meet with your instructor one-on-one. *Materials you need: Manuscript Paper, Free Notation apps (such as Sibelius First).* *Materials provided: Breezin' through Composition)*

MUSIC TECHNOLOGY (0.5 or 1 credit)

Learn how professional musicians use accessible tools (Audacity, Garage Band and iMovie) to create a quality recording. At the end of the program you will produce your own video performance. *Materials you need: Free Apps such as Audacity, Garageband, iMovie, DaVinci Resolve.*

INSTRUMENT BUILDING (0.5 credit)

The ukulele is a fun instrument to build and play. We also have a brand new harpsichord donated, we need you to make the strings so we can put it together. Learn how instruments create different sound. At the end of the program you will have your own ukulele assembled and playable, you will learn and sing a song with it, and you will have created strings for our newly donated instrument. *Materials you need to purchase: Ukulele Kit (aprox. \$42), paint to decorate if desired.* *Materials provided: harpsichord wire.*

SECRET MESSAGES IN MUSIC (0.5 credit)

Did you know musicians have hidden secret codes in music throughout history? It is called a Musical Cryptogram. Become a spy and find the secret messages in existing music and create your own composition with your own secret code.

PRACTICE BUDDY CERTIFICATION (Ages 14 and up) (1 credit)

Are you looking for a job next year? Are you at least 14? Do you like tutoring students? If you like to dedicate yourself to your instrument and help other students thrive, become a practice buddy.

LIGHT, CAMERA, ACTION! (THEATRE) (0.5 or 1 credit)

Learn, identify and implement acting techniques through monologues or short scenes. Get up and get moving with movement techniques to complement your new acting skills.

ART DEN (Ages 9 and up) (1, 2 or 3 credits)

You will create, explore and experiment with a variety of media in drawing, painting, mixed media, printmaking and sculpture through guided virtual instruction. You will further your understanding of Art appreciation, composition and conceptual ideas when creating and designing Art projects. *Materials you need to purchase: sketchbook, drawing pencils, erasers and sharpener, glue, scissors, recycled materials like cardboard, magazines, newspaper, paper towel and toilet paper roll inserts.* *Additional take home kits provided by NCA.*

AT THE END OF EACH DAY, EVERYONE WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE OLYMPICS

Academy and Institute will culminate with:

Virtual Award Ceremony,

Virtual Presentation (Music, Art, Theatre)

AFTER HOURS CULINARY EXPLORATION 1:15-2:30pm

Enjoy virtual cooking classes as a family.



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 August 17-28, 2020 • 10:00am-1:00pm

Student Contact Information			
NAME			
STREET ADDRESS			
CITY, STATE, ZIP			
HOME PHONE		CELL PHONE	
E-MAIL			
SCHOOL		GRADE:	
SEX: M F	DATE OF BIRTH:		AGE:
Parent/Guardian Information			
NAME			
STREET ADDRESS			
CITY, STATE, ZIP			
HOME PHONE			
ALTERNATE PHONE			
EMAIL			
Musical Background (for Music Academy applicants only)			
Performance Experience (i.e. NYSSMA, All County)		Solos Studied/Performed specify instrument	
1.		1.	
2.		2.	
3.		3.	

Permission

Consent to Use Photograph(s) and sound & video recording(s) of Applicant in future marketing and promotional materials:

Yes, I hereby give my consent to Nesin Cultural Arts, Inc. to use photograph(s) and sound & video recording(s) of myself/my child participating in the Summer Music Academy and/or Visual Arts Institute. I understand that photograph(s) and sound & video recording(s) shall be used solely for documentation, publicity and fundraising purposes for Nesin Cultural Arts Programs.

No, I do not give my consent to Nesin Cultural Arts, Inc. to use photograph(s) and sound & video recording(s) of myself/my child participating in Nesin Cultural Arts Programs.

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____

**Virtual Summer Music Academy
& Visual Arts Institute
August 17-28, 2020, 10AM-1PM
“Build your Own Academy” Course Registration Form**

We are happy to announce the “Build your Own Academy” class offerings. Please refer to Course Offerings (page 1-2) for specific class details.

This year, to give the students the freedom of choosing their own interests and creating their own schedule for the Academy, we are presenting everything, including lessons, as “credits” they can sign up for, allowing for varying levels of involvement per class, depending on each student’s interest and drive. To fit within the 10AM-1PM time frame, we are offering THREE 45-minute periods, ending with an Olympics for all, or an extra period to finish off your art projects.

Choose the classes you want to sign up, adding up to a total of THREE CREDITS to fill your schedule. Please understand if a class does not reach the minimum number of students it will be canceled.

Classes offered	Circle up to 3 Credits
Explore the Arts (Ages 8 and under)*	3
Private Lessons Instrument/voice: _____	0.5 / 1
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Chamber Ensembles (Instrumental/Vocal)	1
Jam Session (Intro to Improvisation)	0.5
Music Composition	1
Music Technology	0.5 / 1
Instrument Building	0.5
Secret Messages in Music	0.5
Practice Buddy Certification* **	1
Lights, Camera, Action! (Theatre)	0.5 / 1
Art Den (Ages 9 and up) *	1 / 2 / 3

*age limit applies

**please talk to Ann Trombley or Akiko Hosoi if interested before signing up

Our Policy

Parent/Guardian, please read and check that you understand the following:

- I understand that my child must commit to all of the rehearsals and events.
 I understand my child may be removed from camp for disciplinary reasons upon recommendation of the staff.
 I understand that attendance is expected in order to participate in the Academy performances.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ DATE: _____

Student Signature: _____ DATE: _____

TOTAL TUITION: \$325 (invoiced upon receipt of application, must be paid in full prior to the begin date)
 Limited Scholarship available on a first come, first serve basis – please contact Ann Trombley: ann@nesinculturalarts.org