

**Creative Catalog  
Winter, 2019 edition**

**ARTS**

# **A SEAT AT THE TABLE**

**Winter Session:  
January 22 to  
March 15, 2019**

**Open House:  
Saturday, March 16, 2019**

**FOR CLASS REGISTRATION AND ENROLLMENT INQUIRIES,  
PLEASE CONTACT ALBERT AT  
HELLO@AREASONTOSURVIVE.ORG,  
OR COME IN PERSON TO THE ARTS CENTER AT  
200 E. 12TH STREET, NATIONAL CITY CA 91950**

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# DANCE

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## **BALLET FOLKLORICO**

**Ages 10 and up                      Mondays, 4:30pm to 6:30pm**  
**w/ Ballet Folklorico Kumiai**

BALLET FOLKLORICO IS A REPRESENTATION OF THE MEXICAN CULTURE IN FORM OF DANCES. EACH DANCE REPRESENTS A DIFFERENT STORY OF MEXICO, WITH EACH MEXICAN STATE HAVING THEIR OWN STYLE OF DANCING. IN THIS CLASS, STUDENTS WILL LEARN DANCES FROM THE AMAZING STATE OF SINALOA IN WHICH GIRLS WILL LEARN HOW TO DO SKIRT WORK AND BOYS WILL LEARN HOW DRAMATIZE AND DANCE WITH DIFFERENT RHYTHMS.

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## **BALLET FOLKLORICO**

**Ages 10 and up                      Tuesdays, 4:30pm to 6:30pm**  
**w/ Ballet Folklorico Kumiai**

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## **DANCING FOR YOU: MOVEMENT & CHOREOGRAPHY**

**Ages 11 and up                      Fridays, 4pm to 6pm**  
**w/ Angelena**

THE STUDENTS WILL LEARN BASIC TECHNIQUES THROUGH FUN WARM UPS DESIGNED TO GET BLOOD FLOWING. STUDENTS WILL BE TAUGHT THE ESSENTIALS TO CREATING THEIR OWN DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY FOR AN END OF SEMESTER PERFORMANCE.

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# MUSIC

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## CHOIR

**Ages 11 and up  
w/ Rachelle**

**Thursdays, 4pm to 5:30pm**

STUDENTS WILL LEARN TO PERFORM CHORAL MUSIC AT A BEGINNING/INTERMEDIATE LEVEL. TOPICS INCLUDE HEALTHY VOCAL TECHNIQUE, SIGHT READING, AND AURAL SKILLS, IN ADDITION TO EXPLORING HOW MUSIC SUPPORTS SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL GROWTH. STUDENTS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO CHOOSE AND/OR ARRANGE SOME OF THE CLASS REPERTOIRE. NO PREVIOUS MUSICAL EXPERIENCE REQUIRED. ALL AGES WELCOME. THIS IS A BEGINNER TO EARLY INTERMEDIATE LEVEL CLASS.

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## BEGINNING VIOLIN & CELLO

**Ages 11 to 18  
w/ Citlali**

**Wednesdays, 4:45pm to 5:30pm**

LEARN THE BASICS AND FUNDAMENTALS OF VIOLIN OR CELLO.

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## INTERMEDIATE VIOLIN & CELLO

**Ages 11 to 18  
w/ Citlali**

**Wednesdays, 5:45pm to 6:30pm**

LEARN INTERMEDIATE-LEVEL TECHNIQUES ON THE VIOLIN OR CELLO AND MORE ADVANCED MUSIC THEORY. WE WILL BE GOING OVER SCALES, STAFF READING, AND MORE MUSIC FUNDAMENTALS.

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## THE STRINGS: GUITAR, BASS, UKULELE, BANJO, & PIANO

**Ages 12 to 18**

**Thursdays, 4pm to 6pm**

**w/ DeeJay and Diego**

IF YOU HAVE ALWAYS WANTED TO PLAY THE GUITAR, BASS, UKULELE, PIANO, OR BANJO, OR EVEN IF YOU ALREADY HAVE EXPERIENCE, WE WILL HELP YOUR SKILLS GROW IN THIS CLASS. EXPECT TIME FOR PRACTICE, SONGWRITING, AND PERFORMANCE HELP, AS WELL AN EXPLORATION INTO THE COOLEST PARTS OF MUSIC.

\*ALL SKILL LEVELS ENCOURAGED, YOU ARE WELCOME TO STUDY ONE INSTRUMENT OR AS MANY AS YOU WANT.

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# MAKER

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## INTERMEDIATE WOODWORKING

**Grades 9th and up      Mondays, 4pm to 6pm**  
**w/ Chris**

WOODWORKING, A TIME-HONORED ART, CRAFT, AND PROFESSION. AN INDIVIDUALLY CREATED PROJECT-BASED CLASS WHERE STUDENTS WILL DO A LEARNING EXERCISE AND THEN MOVE ONTO LARGER OR MORE COMPLEX INTERMEDIATE SKILL LEVEL PIECES. VARIOUS INDUSTRY AND PROFESSIONAL PRACTICES WILL BE EXPLORED AND APPLIED.

(PREREQUISITE: INTRO TO WOODWORKING OR SIMILAR EXPERIENCE)

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# PHOTOGRAPHY

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## TELLING STORIES THROUGH PHOTO

**Grades 7th to 8th      Wednesdays, 4pm to 6pm**  
**w/ Mayra**

“EVERY PICTURE HAS A STORY TO TELL, AND SO DO YOU!” ARE YOU READY TO DISCOVER SOME NEW WAYS TO USE A CAMERA? COME AND LEARN NEW PHOTO TECHNIQUES, WHILE CAPTURING A NEW CHAPTER OF YOUR STORY.

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# VISUAL ARTS

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## VISUAL EXPERIMENTS:

### A FUN EXPLORATION OF COLOR, SHAPES AND TEXTURES

**Ages 11 and up      Wednesdays, 4pm to 6pm**  
**w/ Nadia**

THIS WORKSHOP WILL EXPLORE DIVERSE PAINTING TECHNIQUES, LIKE WATERCOLOR, FINGER PAINTING, AND TIE DYE.

SPECIAL NOTES: THIS IS A HANDS ON, MESSY WORKSHOP, PLEASE DRESS APPROPRIATELY FOR THE CLASS.

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## **MAKING MURALS**

**Ages 12 to 22  
w/ Maxx**

**Tuesdays, 4pm to 6pm**

LEARN THE ART OF MURAL MAKING FROM AN INTERNATIONAL GRAFFITI/STREET MURAL ARTIST. THE CLASS FOCUSES ON THE HISTORY, STYLES, AND TRADITIONS OF MURAL MAKING. COMBINED WITH LEARNING HOW TO UTILIZE THE BASIC TOOLS, TECHNIQUES AND PROCESSES TO CREATE A SUCCESSFUL MURAL.

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## **ILLUSTRATE YOUR CREATIVITY**

**Grades 9th and up  
w/ Albert**

**Thursdays, 4pm to 6pm**

ILLUSTRATION ISN'T JUST DRAWING PRETTY PICTURES AND CARTOONS, IT'S ABOUT GIVING IDEAS VISUAL FORM AND LIFE. LEARN AND EXPRESS YOURSELF THROUGH VARIOUS ART STYLES, PRACTICES AND PROJECTS. LET'S STRETCH OUR IMAGINATIONS AND FLEX OUR CREATIVE MUSCLES!

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# **SATURDAY WORKSHOPS**

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## **FAMILY & ME**

**Ages 10 and under**

**(Children must be accompanied by an adult, with two children per adult.)**

**Dates:**

**January 26**

**February 2**

**February 9**

**February 16**

**February 23**

**March 2**

**March 9**

**Times:**

**11am to 12pm**

**OR**

**1pm to 2pm**

**w/ Albert & Friends**

FAMILIES WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE AND HAVE FUN TOGETHER ON ART ACTIVITIES SUCH AS EXPRESSIVE PAINTING, ARTS & CRAFTS, STILL-LIFE DRAWING, PAPER-CRAFTING, SCULPTURE, MIXED-MEDIA, AND MORE!

PARENTS ARE EXPECTED TO ASSIST IN THEIR CHILD(REN)'S CREATIVE PROCESS. PLEASE TAKE THIS TIME AND OPPORTUNITY TO ENGAGE AND COLLABORATE WITH YOUR CHILD(REN)

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# GRAPHIC DESIGN

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## INTRODUCTION TO DESIGN: 2D & 3D BASICS

Grades 9th to 12th      Wednesdays, 4pm to 6pm

w/ Arzu & Junichi

(Professors of Graphic Design  
and Interior Architecture @ SDSU)

THROUGH SERIES OF EXERCISES – COLLAGES, FOLDING PAPERS,  
BUILDING WITH CARDBOARD, STUDENTS WILL GAIN FUNDAMENTAL  
UNDERSTANDING OF 2D + 3D DESIGN PRINCIPLES.

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## SPECIAL PROJECTS

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BELOW ARE A SAMPLE OF SOME UPCOMING SPECIAL PROJECTS THAT  
WILL BE COMING UP IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS.

STAY TUNED FOR WORD ON WHEN AND WHO MAY BE ELIGIBLE TO  
PARTICIPATE.

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### ARTS ATRIUM DISPLAY REDESIGN AND INSTALLATION

w/ Ita

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### COMMUNITY MURAL DESIGN PROJECT

w/ Nadia

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### SKATEBOARD BUILDING AND DESIGN, COMMUNITY EVENT

w/ Chris

## ARTS CLASSES: WINTER, 2019

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Ballet Folklorico (ages 10+) 4:30pm to 6:30pm	Ballet Folklorico (ages 10+) 4:30pm to 6:30pm	Visual Experiments (ages 11+) 4:00pm to 6:00pm	Choir (ages 11+) 4:00pm to 5:30pm	Dancing for YOU (ages 11+) 4:00pm to 6:00pm	Family & Me (ages 10 and under) 11:00am & 1:00pm
Intermediate Woodshop (high School) 4:00pm to 6:00pm	Making Murals (ages 12 to 22) 4:00pm to 6:00pm	Beginning Violin & Cello (ages 11 to 18) 4:45pm to 5:30pm	Illustrate Your Creativity (high school) 4:00pm to 6:00pm		
		Intermediate Violin & Cello (ages 11 to 18) 5:45pm to 6:30pm	The Strings: Guitar, Bass, Ukulele, Banjo, & Piano (ages 12 to 18) 4:00pm to 6:00pm		
		Telling Stories Through Photo (middle school) 4:00pm to 6:00pm			
		Introduction to Design: 2D & 3D Basics (high school) 4:00pm to 6:00pm			

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AT ARTS !

For inquiries, please contact Luis at [lvelez@areasonetosurvive.org](mailto:lvelez@areasonetosurvive.org),  
or stop by the ARTS center and ask for an application.

We are grateful for our partners:



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