

Camp Philbrook 2024

Kids 5–11 work alongside local artists and outdoor educators to make art and explore nature.

For information and registration, visit philbrook.org/camp or call 918.748.5300.

Cost per half day session

\$130 for Members

\$160 for Not-Yet-Members

Before and After-Care Available.

Before-care: (7:45–9 a.m.)

Members: \$25 per child, per session

Not-Yet-Members: \$30 per child, per session

After-care: (4–5:30 p.m.)

Members: \$25 per child, per session

Not-Yet-Members: \$30 per child, per session

Age	Session 1 June 3–7		Session 2 June 10–14		Session 3 June 24–28		Session 4 July 8–12		Session 5 July 22–26	
	9 a.m.–Noon	1–4 p.m.	9 a.m.–Noon	1–4 p.m.	9 a.m.–Noon	1–4 p.m.	9 a.m.–Noon	1–4 p.m.	9 a.m.–Noon	1–4 p.m.
5–6	<p>Luminous Light Discover the magic of light and color through hands-on exploration and artmaking! Multi-disciplinary artist Amber Marie Deen will spark campers’ imaginations through experiments with various materials to craft stunning suncatchers, learning about the science and art behind their creations.</p> <p>Artist: Amber Marie Deen</p>	<p>Mythical Marvels Immerse your children in the enchanting world of our fairy village camp, where young creatives will create magical cottages that nestle among twinkling lights and vibrant gardens. Teaching artist Bailey Huerta-Shaw will guide campers through building whimsical villages, storytelling, and adventure, discovering the wonders of nature and imagination.</p> <p>Artist: Bailey Huerta</p>	<p>Petal Poets Budding young artists will embark on a journey of creativity that blends floral art with the flowery language of poetry. Campers will learn to press flowers, forage for natural treasures, and draw inspiration from Philbrook gardens and galleries, seeding mixed media art exploration with beginning verse and rhyme. Guided by teaching artist Harper Kitchens, campers will grow their artistic skills and cultivate a love for the poetic wonders found in nature.</p> <p>Artist: Harper Kitchens</p>	<p>Collage Creations Welcome to the world of collage where imagination knows no bounds! Campers will be led by mixed media artist Candacee White to explore the vibrant world of collage, discovering techniques, styles, and renowned artists while crafting their own masterpieces from an array of materials.</p> <p>Artist: Candacee White</p>	<p>Wonders of Wool Join in on some nature inspired felting fun guided by a fiber artist Taylor Painter- Wolfe. Campers will engage in the tactile art of wool felting, creating whimsical masterpieces inspired by the surrounding natural beauty of Philbrook gardens.</p> <p>Artist: Taylor Painter-Wolfe</p>	<p>Petal Poets Budding young artists will embark on a journey of creativity that blends floral art with the flowery language of poetry. Campers will learn to press flowers, forage for natural treasures, and draw inspiration from Philbrook gardens and galleries, seeding mixed media art exploration with beginning verse and rhyme. Guided by teaching artist Harper Kitchens, campers will grow their artistic skills and cultivate a love for the poetic wonders found in nature.</p> <p>Artist: Harper Kitchens</p>	<p>Mime Magic Camp: Where Silence Speaks Volumes! Step into the world of silent storytelling with Ms. Rainbow! Campers will be introduced to the art’s rich history, learn expressive movements, and experiment with face painting in this imaginative adventure for young performers.”</p> <p>Artist: Lauren “Rainbow” Lunsford</p>	<p>Indigo Illusions This camp, led by multi-disciplinary artist Amber Marie Deen explores slow art methods that produce the color blue: cloud studies, painting, cyanotypes and looking for examples of “Blue Periods” in artists’ works are just a few examples. On the last day of the session, campers will showcase and discuss the process of their work.</p> <p>Artist: Amber Marie Deen</p>	<p>This Little Light of Mine Young creators engage in the fascinating world of light reflection and pattern making! Multi-disciplinary artist Sierra Kramer will guide campers through hands-on activities, where they will explore how light interacts with different surfaces to create mesmerizing patterns, crafting one-of-a-kind kaleidoscopes that blend symmetry and luminosity in an immersive exploration of art and science.</p> <p>Artist: Sierra Kramer</p>	<p>It’s Elemental My Dear Multi-disciplinary artist Katy Bruce will guide young artists on an elemental odyssey, exploring the artistic possibilities of water, earth, sky, fire, and air! Through hands-on experiences, campers create inspired artworks that capture the essence of each natural element, blending creativity with the beauty of the environment.</p> <p>Artist: Katy Bruce</p>
7–9	<p>Into the Woods Gather foraged items from nature, learn to make natural dyes, and master the art of papermaking. Under nature artist Liz Dueck’s expert guidance, young artists will immerse themselves in the beauty of Philbrook’s gardens and grounds, transforming found treasures into stunning works of art in this inspiring and hands-on camp experience.</p> <p>Artist: Liz Dueck</p>	<p>Bedazzle Your World Campers will be immersed in the vibrant world of jeweled adornments where they will explore the art of beading and embellishment while drawing inspiration from Philbrook gardens and galleries. Beadwork artist Khara Orr will elevate everyday objects from hiking sticks to water bottles into personalized treasures that blend artistic expression with the beauty of the natural world.</p> <p>Artist: Khara Orr</p>	<p>It’s Elemental My Dear Multi-disciplinary artist Katy Bruce will guide young artists on an elemental odyssey, exploring the artistic possibilities of water, earth, sky, fire, and air! Through hands-on experiences, campers create inspired artworks that capture the essence of each natural element, blending creativity with the beauty of the environment.</p> <p>Artist: Katy Bruce</p>	<p>Earthly Impressions Campers will immerse themselves in the beauty of Philbrook gardens, gaining inspiration for their ceramic artistry. Under the expert guidance of local ceramist Sarah Rucker children will explore the intricate textures of the natural world, integrating them into their clay creations for a truly unique work of art.</p> <p>Artist: Sarah Rucker</p>	<p>Catch the Sun Embark on a sunlit adventure with visual artist Rachel Rector, where kids will discover the magic of sun printing through cyanotype with foraged garden treasures. Engaging activities blend creativity and exploration, allowing young minds to create stunning prints inspired by the beauty of the natural world.</p> <p>Artist: Rachel Rector</p>	<p>Power Threads Camp: Unleash Your Super Style! Unleash your inner hero as you design costumes fit for your unique superpower! Led by fashion design artist Pumudu Welikanna, campers’ imaginations will soar as they bring their superhero persona to life through fabric and flair.</p> <p>Artists: Pumudu Welikanna</p>	<p>EcoVerse Camp: Crafting Sustainable Poetry Zines Explore the intersection of poetry with local Black Moon artist Jiji Coul, sustainability, and creativity! Campers will craft unique poetry zines using blend recycled materials and vibrant hues from botanical and food dyes, turning nature’s beauty into verse</p> <p>Artist: Jiji Coul</p>	<p>Botanic Beats Explore the fascinating world of plant-powered music and sound painting with local music recording artist Mark Kuykendall. Campers delve into botanical beats and use natural materials to create sonic landscapes, blending art and science for an immersive musical experience.</p> <p>Artist: Mark Kuykendalll</p>	<p>Timeless Treasures Discover the timeless art of loom weaving, the ancient secrets of indigo dyeing, and the captivating world of photography in this immersive camp. Led by multi-disciplinary artist Amber Marie Deen, campers will dive deep into traditional techniques and explore the nuances of each craft while taking inspiration from the beautiful Philbrook gardens and galleries.</p> <p>Artist: Amber Marie Deen</p>	<p>Ink & Impress: Stamp and Printmaking Camp Embark on a creative journey where kids will carve their own path! Mixed media artist Candacee White will guide students in crafting custom rubber stamps and linoleum cuts to exploring the art of woodcuts and vegetable stamps while campers will leave their unique mark on the world.</p> <p>Artist: Candacee White</p>
9–11	<p>The Anatomy of a Portrait Unleash your artistic talent where campers will learn the secrets of drawing captivating face portraits while exploring the fascinating intricacies of facial anatomy. Using charcoal and graphite pencils along with the guidance of master artist Adam Carnes, young artists will embark on a creative journey, pursuing the art of expression and capturing the essence of every unique face.</p> <p>Artist: Adam Carnes</p>	<p>Earthly Impressions Campers will immerse themselves in the beauty of Philbrook gardens, gaining inspiration for their ceramic artistry. Under the expert guidance of local ceramist Sarah Rucker children will explore the intricate textures of the natural world, integrating them into their clay creations for a truly unique work of art.</p> <p>Artist: Sarah Rucker</p>	<p>Art Swap Welcome to the Creative Exchange! In this swap-tastic camp, young artists will create a free art gallery, like little free libraries you see around town. Throughout the week, campers will practice temporary artforms and create works of art to share with each other and other museum visitors through surprise art drops around the museum and gardens. With design artist, Jamie Pierson, campers will explore how small, shared spaces like free art galleries create places for community engagement and connection in plain sight.</p> <p>Artist: Jamie Pierson</p>	<p>Power Threads Camp: Unleash Your Style! Unleash your inner hero as you design costumes fit for your unique superpower! Led by fashion design artist Pumudu Welikanna, campers’ imaginations will soar as they bring their superhero persona to life through fabric and flair.</p> <p>Artist: Pumudu Welikanna</p>	<p>EcoScreens: Sustainable Clothing and Screen Printing Sustainable clothing artist Kieran “C.A.P. Crutison will guide young designers to shape the identity of their own brand. Campers dive into the world of small-scale screen printing, using embroidery hoops, and mesh to bring their unique personal logos and art to life on upcycled clothing, marking the beginning of their brand journey in style.</p> <p>Artist: Kieran “C.A.P.” Crutison</p>	<p>Puppet Palooza Welcome puppeteers! Engage in the enchanting world of puppetry, exploring various types of puppets while unraveling the rich history of this ancient art form. Through the guidance of multi-disciplinary artist Katy Bruce campers will bring their puppetry visions to life, crafting unique characters and discovering the magic of storytelling through their creations.</p> <p>Artist: Katy Brucel</p>	<p>Book Nook Bonanza: Building Mini Literary Worlds Embark on a whimsical journey with mixed media artist Kaci Burr, where literary worlds come alive through the enchanting art of crafting book nook dioramas. This camp encourages creativity and storytelling, offering a unique hands-on experience that combines literature and visual arts.</p> <p>Artist: Kaci Burr</p>	<p>Zine Zone: Your Tale, Your Canvas Discover the art of personal storytelling with local artist Juni Peraza, where campers weave their narratives into vibrant mixed media zines! Through a blend of artistic expression and personal tales, campers will embark on a creative journey to bring their stories to life in a unique and captivating way.</p> <p>Artist: Juni Peraza</p>	<p>Beth Henley Boost confidence and creativity at this mixed media portrait camp with Black Moon artist Beth Henley. Campers will explore a variety of media including drawing materials, collage, paint, three-dimensional additions, and more in this playful camp. Through a blend of art exploration and self-expression, campers will learn to celebrate their unique qualities while creating empowering mixed media portraits.</p> <p>Artist: Juni Peraza</p>	<p>Mirror Magic Incorporate some mirror magic into your self-expression! Mixed media artist Sierra Kramer will guide campers to design and laser cut their own shapes that will be used to generate a personally unique custom mirror.</p> <p>Artist: Sierra Kramer</p>