**ART**

**Ages 16 & older unless otherwise stated**

Supply lists for adult classes are available online at [auroragov.org/artclasses](http://auroragov.org/artclasses)

**Drawing**

**Ages 14 & up**

Drawing is the foundation for learning most forms of art. Learn basic drawing or kick it up a notch & add charcoal, pastels, colored pencils. Hilliard Moore.

Tue., 6-8 p.m.

**70516** Nov. 7-Dec. 12, no class Nov. 21

Expo Rec Center

$100 ($80 Resident)

**Watercolor Painting**

Learn techniques such as how to compose a picture, add texture, find value & layer color in watercolor painting. Suitable for beginners to intermediate artists.

Instructors: Terra Necessary, Hilliard Moore.

**Watercolor Days- Aurora Center for Active Adults**

Ages 16 & up

Tue., 10 a.m.-noon

**70529** Sep. 12-Oct. 10

**70530** Oct. 24-Nov. 28, no class Nov. 21

$100 ($80 Resident)

**Watercolor Nights- Expo Rec Center**

Ages 14 & up

Tue., 6-8 p.m.

**70531** Sep. 12-Oct. 10

$100 ($80 Resident)

**Bob Ross Oil Painting**

Complete an oil painting in this fun, paint-along class with Certified Ross Instructor Hope Blakely. Bring a 16”x20” canvas & a roll of paper towels.

Sat., 2-5 p.m.

**70544** Sep. 16

**70545** Oct. 14

**70546** Nov. 18

**70547** Dec. 16

$111 ($89 Resident) Central Library – Cultural Services Studio

**Creative Drawing**

Cultivate your inner artist - you don't have to be a professional artist to love making art!

Using basic art concepts students will learn to use simple techniques to make original art pieces & maintain a sketch book. Supply list available online auroragov.org.

Instructor: Terra Necessary

Thu., 1-3 p.m.

**71544** Sep. 14-Oct. 12

**71546** Oct. 26-Nov. 30, no class Nov. 23

$100 ($80 Resident)

Aurora Center for Active Adults
Painting Mondays
Turn Mondays into making art days. A unique picture picked for each class. Mixed media will be using a mix of drawing, markers, watercolors, acrylics or oils. Acrylic painting will be using acrylic paints. Great for beginners. Bring a 16"x20" canvas & a roll of paper towels. Instructor: Hope Blakely.

Acrylic Painting
72830 Sep. 18  73823 Oct. 9
73826 Oct. 16  73824 Nov. 6
73827 Nov. 13  73825 Dec. 4
73828 Dec. 11

Mixed Media
71898 Sep. 25  71900 Oct. 23
71902 Nov. 20  71904 Dec. 18

$81 ($65 Resident)
Central Library – Cultural Services Studio

Beyond Paint & Sip
Want to learn to paint with something more than watercolor but don’t want the commitment of oil paints? Try Acrylic Painting! Instructor will cover the basics of acrylic painting, the materials specific to acrylic painting & their uses. Topics such as color mixing, brush control, color values, blocking in & shadowing will also be covered. Instructor: Hope Blakely. Mon. 1-4 p.m.
71537 Sep. 11-Oct. 16
71538 Oct. 23-Dec. 4
$150 ($120 Resident)
Aurora Center for Active Adults

Polymer Clay
Ages 14 & up
Polymer clay is a colorful modeling clay that stays soft until cured in an oven. It takes paints, powders & patinas well for virtually any finish. $20 supply fee due to instructor at first class. These classes are 6 weeks long. Heather Jones. Wed., 6:30-8:30 p.m.
70490 Sep. 20-Oct. 25
70491 Nov. 1-Dec. 13, no class Nov. 22
$103 ($82 Resident)
Central Library – Cultural Services Studio

*Aurora Center for Active Adults
30 Del Mar Circle
*Aurora Public Library Central Location
14949 E. Alameda Pkwy
*Expo Rec Center
10955 E. Exposition
YOUTH ART CLASSES

Supplies are provided for youth classes

**Comic & Manga Drawing**
Ages 11-16
Learn the basic building blocks of drawing, work on character design & creating dynamic poses with your characters. Terra Necessary.
Thu., 6-7:30 p.m.
**70548** Sep. 21-Oct. 12
**70549** Oct. 26-Nov. 16
$73 ($58 Resident)
Central Library - Cultural Services Studio

**Drawing**
Ages 7-10
Explore the world of art through drawing while also learning essential techniques such as perspective, shading & how to draw forms. Shari Myers.
Thu., 6-7:30 p.m.
**70551** Sep. 21-Oct. 12
**70552** Oct. 26-Nov. 16
$73 ($58 Resident)
Central Library – Small Community Room

All youth classes held at
Aurora Public Library – Central Location
14949 E. Alameda Pkwy
MUSIC

Guitar – Basic skills & strumming. Bring your guitar. Central Library – Cultural Services Studio. David Freshman
Ages 6-8
Sat., 10:15-11:15 a.m.
70481 Sep. 23-Oct. 21
70484 Nov. 4-Dec. 16, no class Nov. 11 & 25
$100 ($80 Resident)

Ages 8-14
Sat., 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
70485 Sep. 23-Oct. 21
70486 Nov. 4-Dec. 16, no class Nov. 11 & 25
Sat., 11:30-12:30 a.m.
$100 ($80 Resident)

Keyboard – Beginners with no previous experience learn the basics of reading music & playing simple songs using electronic keyboards. Keyboards provided in class. Central Library – Cultural Services Studio. Amy Thorne.

Keyboard 1 -ages 8-14
Tue., 5:30-6:30 p.m.
70468 Sep. 19-Oct. 24
70469 Nov. 7-Dec. 19, no class Nov. 21
$120 ($96 Resident)

Keyboard -ages 14 & up
Tue., 7-8 p.m.
70479 Sep. 19-Oct. 24
70480 Nov. 7-Dec. 19, no class Nov. 21
$120 ($96 Resident)

Ukelele
The ukelele is a fun instrument to play & with only 4 nylon strings it is easier to learn than the guitar. This class is a good introduction if you are considering learning how to play the guitar. Tallyn’s Reach Library.
Instructor: Leroy Leonard

Family Play Sat., 1-2 p.m.
This is a class for the entire family. Ages 9-12 must be accompanied by adult & both must register & pay.
70535 Sep. 9-Oct. 7, no class Sep. 30
70537 Oct. 14-Nov. 18, no class Oct. 21 & Nov. 11

Youth ages 12-16 Sat., 2-3 p.m.
70539 Sep. 9-Oct. 7, no class Sep. 30
70540 Oct. 14-Nov. 18, no class Oct. 21 & Nov. 11
Tallyn’s Reach Library -
$58 ($46 Resident)