



School of Visual Arts
Fundamental Arts

Welcome to the fundamental Arts program for 2020-2021. The best way to prepare for the coming year is to draw every day. Just a quick sketch every day will keep your skills sharp. Have a wonderful summer and I hope to see you in September. I am currently preparing a package of supplies for you to pick up. I will send you more information on the date and time for pick up if you are self isolating we will arrange a drop off of supplies for you. The first two weeks of class will be online. You can check out sam.hollandcollege.com once you are confirmed as a student.

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I am not sure how much time we will spend in our classroom first semester but we will meet across the hall in the first year video game room for digital photography. This will start on the third week of classes.

Program Highlights:

All materials and supplies are provided, you will have to pick up a kit of supplies but I will get back to you regarding the time for this. Most instruction first semester will happen online but we plan to be in the classroom one day a week.

Emphasis is placed on enhancing your drawing skills and learning the basics of design through exploration of a variety of mediums. You will also study art history and create an online portfolio.

At the conclusion of the year you will have a strong portfolio to study further in the arts.

Students also get to participate in trips to art galleries and have their work included in a gallery show at Confederation Centre of the Arts.



Important Dates:

Classes begin - September 1

New Student Orientation - September 2

Last day of classes before Christmas break - December 11

First day of classes in the new year - January 6

Spring break - February 22-26

Last day of class second semester - April 23

I am looking forward to meeting you and working with you this coming school year. Have a great summer! Gweneth