



**SCHAUER**  
SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

## WINTER/SPRING 2025 SESSION

MON, JANUARY 6-SAT, MAY 31

### REGISTRATION OPENS:

Returning dance student registration starts November 11  
New student registration starts December 2  
Dance registration deadline is January 3

### SESSION & BREAK SCHEDULE

#### SPRING BREAK

Monday, March 24-Friday, March 28, 2025

### SSA DANCE SHOWCASE 2025

#### IRISH DANCE SHOWCASE

Friday, May 16 | 6:00 pm

#### CONTEMPORARY AND BALLET SHOWCASE

Saturday, May 17 | 11:00 am

#### IRISH, CONTEMPORARY, AND BALLET SHOWCASE

Saturday, May 17 | 4:00 pm

Friends and family reception to follow





# SCHAUER SCHOOL OF THE ARTS SERVICES

The Schauer School of the Arts offers a number of services and specialized learning opportunities to our current families as well as the general public. Contact our Education Director for additional information and pricing related to the services listed below.

[classes@schauercenter.org](mailto:classes@schauercenter.org) | 262-670-0560 x6

## TRY A CLASS OFFER

Families are welcome to observe or try a class before making enrollment decisions. Offer limited to one class per student per session. Offer not applicable to classes that are three days or shorter.

## ARTS IMMERSION EVENTS

The Schauer School of the Arts offers field trips related to dance, music, theater, and visual art. We offer half and full day options that include a variety of disciplines.

## ALL AGES AND ABILITIES

SSA embraces the opportunity to provide high-quality arts experiences for students of all ages and diverse abilities. Contact our Education Director for more information about how our programming may be adapted for individuals with special needs.

## ADDITIONAL SERVICES

- Studio Rentals
- Prop & Costume Rentals
- Choreography Services
- Private Lessons
- Party Packages
- Corporate Team Building
- School Outreach

## ADULT VISUAL ARTS

### SCHAUER ADULT ART CLUB

Ages 18+



Learn the basics of drawing and acrylic painting in this fun four-week class. Perfect for beginners or experienced artists. The instructor will lead the class in a step-by-step, two-hour lesson each week.

Subjects will include fruits, desserts, landscapes, and a still-life floral.

**Wednesday 10:00 am-12:00 pm**

**Dates: April 2, 9, 16, 23**

**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Rehearsal Hall**

**Tuition: \$160 | Includes Supplies**

**Instructor: Jeanne Kollmeyer**

### WINE & ART

Ages 18+

**Must be 21+ to drink alcohol.**

A relaxing night of creativity with friends.

**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Art Gallery**

### CHARCUTERIE ROLL BASKET WITH HANDLE



Hand weave a basket measuring 9" diameter x 4 1/2" tall (9" tall at the top of the handle). The basket is woven on a one-of-a-kind butcher block wooden base. The colors are browns and black. It is finished off with a

wire handle with a wooden knob. This class sells out quickly, so register today!

**Tuesday, February 25 or Wednesday, February 26 5:30-8:30 pm or until completion of project**

**Tuition: \$50 | Includes Supplies & First Drink**

**Instructor: Terri Feutz**

### FLOWER HANGING BASKET PAPER QUILLING



This popular craft from the 70s and 80s has been making a comeback! This minimal-mess creation will be one you will be proud to display. Learn how to curl and manipulate paper strips into different shapes to design your own one-of-a-kind beautiful spring piece. Customization suggestions will be given by our experienced instructor. Final projects will measure 12"x16". Perfect to attend with a friend or two for a fun and relaxing night out!

**Thursday, March 13 | 5:30-8:30 pm or until completion of project**

**Tuition: \$35 | Includes Supplies & First Drink**

**Instructor: Lindsay Duncan**

### MACRAMÉ PLANT HANGER



Celebrate the spring sunshine by creating a macramé plant hanger in a color of your choice! Twist, tie, and knot-colored cords in this fun class will bring back memories from the 80s. Pots, dirt, and plants are included to finish off the piece. The final piece measures 12" wide x 15" tall.

**Thursday, April 17 | 5:30-8:30 pm or until completion of project**

**Tuition: \$40 | Includes Supplies & First Drink**

**Instructor: Lindsay Duncan**

### TRIPLE FLOWER WREATH



Decorate your door with this beautiful spring wreath depicting three flowers on a 15" wreath. Cutting, twisting and gluing materials are used to build this piece, creating a spring themed door decoration that will be the envy of your neighborhood! The finished piece measures approximately 25" in diameter.

**Thursday, May 15 | 5:30-8:30 pm or until completion of project**

**Tuition: \$50 | Includes Supplies & First Drink**

**Instructor: Lindsay Duncan**

## ADULT DANCE

### HAPPY DANCE HOUR

Ages 18+

**Must be 21+ to drink alcohol.**

Kick up your heels and learn a variety of social dance styles with expert dance instruction. Signature cocktails are paired with dance styles in a combo that will put some pep in your step!

**Thursdays | 6:30-8:00 pm**

**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Pikes Peak**

**Tuition: \$25 Per Person**

**Includes dance instruction & first drink**

**Instructor: Eric Thomas**

**January 30 | Line Dance & Ranch Water**

**February 20 | Hustle & Harvey Wallbanger**

**March 13 | Waltz & White Lady**

**April 17 | Cha-Cha & Cha-Cha-Cha Gin Cooler**

**May 8 | Swing & Sangria**

## YOUTH THEATER

### RIISING STARS MINI-MUSICAL: THE MOST EPIC BIRTHDAY PARTY EVER

Ages 7-18



New this year! Join us for a mini version of our Rising Star Production.

Skyler is about to turn 12, and she's planned the biggest celebration of the year. But in the middle of the party, something mysterious happens—all the adults suddenly vanish! Trapped in the backyard, the kids realize they must create a brand-new society. However, when they elect Skyler's older brother, Charlie, as their ruler, things really begin to spin out of control. Eventually, the kids learn a big lesson in responsibility, while Skyler and Charlie develop a greater respect for one another.

#### PERFORMANCES

**FREE Friends and Family Performance | Saturday, May 31 at 2:00 pm**  
**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Ruth A. Knoll Theater**

#### AUDITION DATES

**Monday, March 31**

**Ages 7-11 | 4:45-6:45 pm**

**Ages 12-18 | 4:00-4:30 pm, 7:15-8:15 pm**

**Tuesday, April 1**

**Ages 7-11 | 4:00-5:15 pm**

**Ages 12-18 | 5:30-6:45 pm**

An audition is required for participation. There is no fee to audition. Pre-registration is required for the audition. Students will be contacted after pre-registering to sign up for a specific day and 30-minute audition slot during the above dates and times. If your student is unable to attend the scheduled time slots listed above, please contact the Education Director at [classes@schauercenter.org](mailto:classes@schauercenter.org) for other options. The Cast & Crew list will be posted by Wednesday, April 2, at 5:00 pm. Auditionees must be available for all dress rehearsals and performances to audition.

**\*Audition registration due Saturday, March 29 at 5:00 pm for material distribution and specific audition time slot sign-up.**

#### REHEARSAL INFORMATION

The Cast, Crew & Parent meeting will be Thursday, April 3, from 4:30-5:30 pm, where cast/crew will receive detailed schedule information followed by the first rehearsal for all cast from 5:30-6:30 pm. Specific rehearsal schedules will be shared bi-weekly, including which ensembles or roles will be scheduled for rehearsals. Rehearsals will run Tuesdays & Thursdays 4:30-6:30 pm and most Saturdays 9:00 am-12:00 pm. Evening rehearsal times will be extended in the month of May.

#### TECH CREW

Students interested in being a tech crew member and assisting with "behind the scenes" production work should register for the audition and indicate interest in tech crew. The audition will be an opportunity for potential crew members to meet the director and assist with the audition process by checking students in, running audio for the audition process, etc. Crew member positions are available for students 9 years or older. Crew members are not required to attend rehearsals in April. Crew members can plan to attend rehearsals beginning in May.

#### CAST & CREW MEMBER TUITION

**Cast Member (Grades 2-5) Tuition: \$175 | Due April 14**

**Cast Member (Grades 6-12) Tuition: \$225 | Due April 14**

**Crew Member Tuition: \$50 | Due April 14**

Cast and Crew members will not be named in the program until tuition is paid. Tuition includes Cast/Crew T-shirt.

## YOUTH THEATER

### NEW! ON THE SPOT IMPROV TROUPE

Ages 10-18

Over the past four years, our theater students have enjoyed participating in a hilarious improv theater camp. We are excited to offer a new opportunity, "On the Spot Improv Troupe," this spring.

Students will participate in activities and sketches that will teach them how to think quickly on their feet and let their imaginations run wild. Every Thursday night will be a new adventure with added twists and turns. We hope to combine our veteran improv students with newcomers who have a flare for comedy. The session will conclude with an afternoon performance at 2:00 pm on Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, showing off games and scenes for families, which will have the audience laughing out loud.

**Thursdays | 6:30-8:00 pm**  
**April 3, 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8**

**Location: Rehearsal Hall**  
**Tuition: \$120**  
**Instructor: Therese Burazin**

## YOUTH DANCE

**Early Registration for Returning Students: November 11-December 1**  
**New Student registration starts: December 2**  
**Mandatory Parent Meeting: January 3 at 6:00 pm**  
**Schauer Arts Center, Ruth A. Knoll Theater**

#### CONTEMPORARY DANCE

Ages 7-18



Contemporary dance blends elements of multiple dance styles and lets dancers express emotionality through movements and breath. All students are eligible to participate in the 2025 SSA Dance Showcase. Tuition includes the dance showcase participation fee. For the latest dress code for current classes, please visit the Dance-Policies page on the website: [schauercenter.org/school\\_of\\_the\\_arts/dance/policies.php](http://schauercenter.org/school_of_the_arts/dance/policies.php).

**Introduction to Contemporary Ages 7-10 | 5:30-6:30 pm**  
**Intermediate Contemporary Ages 11-14 | 6:30-7:30 pm**  
**Advanced Contemporary Ages 15-18 | 7:30-8:30 pm**  
**Tuesdays | January 7-April 29**

**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Dance Studio**  
**Tuition: \$258**  
**Instructor: Michelle Barfield**

# YOUTH DANCE

**Deadline to register for all studio dance classes is one week prior to class start and ends January 3.** Spring tuition includes January through May class tuition, plus the Dance Showcase participation.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Any students not participating in the showcase must be identified by Friday, January 10. Discounts for not participating in the showcase will not be given.

For the latest dress code for current classes, please visit the Dance—Policies page on the website: [schauercenter.org/school\\_of\\_the\\_arts/dance/policies.php](http://schauercenter.org/school_of_the_arts/dance/policies.php)

## WINTER SESSION: 16 WEEKS

**Monday, January 6–Friday, May 2, 2025**

## CLASS LOCATION

**Creative Arts Studios (CAS) 30 S. Johnson Street  
Schauer Arts Center (MAIN) 147 N. Rural Street**

## IMPORTANT DATES

- SSA Dance mandatory parent meeting Friday, January 3, 2025 from 6:00–7:00 pm in the Ruth A. Knoll Theater.
- Showcase Stage Rehearsal: Monday, May 5–Thursday, May 15, 2025.
- 2025 SSA Dance Showcase Friday, May 16–Saturday, May 17, 2025.

## NO CLASS IN SESSION

- Spring Break: March 24–28, 2025.

	CLASS	DAYS	SPRING SESSION	TIME	STUDIO	INSTRUCTOR	TUITION	
IRISH	Lads & Lasses (Ages 3–4)	Mondays	January 6–April 28	5:30–6:00 pm	CAS A	Autumn Evans	\$194	
	Irish 1 (Ages 5–7)	Tuesdays	January 7–April 29	5:30–6:15 pm	CAS B	Autumn Evans	\$210	
	Irish 1 (Ages 8–11)	Tuesdays	January 7–April 29	6:15–7:00 pm	CAS B	Autumn Evans	\$210	
	Irish 2 Placement Required	Tuesdays	January 7–April 29	7:00–8:00 pm	CAS B	Autumn Evans	\$258	
	Novice 1 Placement Required	Tuesdays & Thursdays	January 7–May 1	4:30–5:30 pm	CAS A	Celeste Keyes	\$466	
	Novice 2 Placement Required	Tuesdays & Thursdays	January 7–May 1	5:30–6:30 pm	CAS A	Celeste Keyes	\$466	
	Open 1 Placement Required	Tuesdays & Thursdays	January 7–May 1	7:00–8:00 pm	CAS A	Celeste Keyes	\$466	
	Open 2 Placement Required	Tuesdays & Thursdays	January 7–May 1	8:00–9:15 pm	CAS A	Celeste Keyes	\$570	
	Irish Choreography (Irish 2+)	Mondays	January 6–April 28	8:00–8:45 pm	CAS A	Autumn Evans	\$210	
	Irish Choreography Dancers (Irish 2+)	Mondays	January 6–April 28	8:00–8:45 pm	CAS A	Autumn Evans	FREE	
	Group Ceili (Novice 1+)	Mondays	January 6–April 28	4:30–5:30 pm	CAS A	Celeste Keyes	\$144	
	Solo Traditional Set (Novice 1+)	Tuesdays & Thursdays	January 7–May 1	6:30–7:00 pm	CAS A	Celeste Keyes	\$144	
BALLET	Pre-Ballet 1A (Ages 3–4)	Wednesdays	January 8–April 30	5:15–5:45 pm	CAS A	Katelyn Kauper	\$194	
	Pre-Ballet 1B (Ages 3–4)	Thursdays	January 9–May 1	4:30–5:00 pm	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$194	
	Pre-Ballet 2A (Ages 5–6)	Wednesdays	January 8–April 30	4:30–5:15 pm	CAS A	Katelyn Kauper	\$210	
	Pre-Ballet 2B (Ages 5–6)	Wednesdays	January 8–April 30	5:45–6:30 pm	CAS A	Katelyn Kauper	\$210	
	Pre-Ballet 2C (Ages 5–6)	Thursdays	January 9–May 1	5:00–5:45 pm	CAS A	Anna Nowicki	\$210	
	Pre-Ballet 3A (Ages 7–8)	Wednesdays	January 8–April 30	5:00–6:00 pm	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$258	
	Pre-Ballet 3B (Ages 7–8)	Thursdays	January 9–May 1	5:45–6:45 pm	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$258	
	Ballet 1 (Ages 9+)	Wednesdays	January 8–April 30	6:00–7:15 pm	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$310	
	Ballet 2/3 Placement Required	Mondays & Wednesdays	January 6–April 30	5:30–6:45 pm (Mon) 7:30–8:45 pm (Wed)	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$570	
	Ballet 4/5 Placement Required	Mondays & Thursdays	January 6–May 1	7:00–8:30 pm (Mon) 7:00–8:30 pm (Thur)	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$674	
	Pre-Pointe Placement Required	Mondays	January 6–April 28	5:00–5:30 pm	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$194	
	Pointe 1 Placement Required	Thursdays	January 9–May 1	8:30–9:30 pm	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$258	
	Pointe 2 Placement Required	Mondays	January 6–April 28	8:30–9:30 pm	CAS B	Anna Nowicki	\$258	
	CONTEMPO	Beginning Contemporary Ages 7–10	Tuesday	January 7–April 29	5:30–6:30 pm	MAIN	Michelle Barfield	\$258
		Intermediate Contemporary Ages 11–14	Tuesday	January 7–April 29	6:30–7:30 pm	MAIN	Michelle Barfield	\$258
Advanced Contemporary Ages 15–18		Tuesday	January 7–April 29	7:30–8:30 pm	MAIN	Michelle Barfield	\$258	



# YOUTH VISUAL ART

## YOUTH DRAWING

Ages 7-11



Young artists will explore drawing styles in this visual arts class series that takes students on an art adventure in color, line, shape, texture, and space while fostering self-expression and creativity!

**Mondays | 4:30-5:45 pm**  
**Session 1: January 27, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 3, 10, 17**  
**Session 2: March 31, April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5**

**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Art Gallery**  
**Tuition: Session 1: \$160, Session 2: \$120 | Includes Supplies**  
**Instructor: Audrey Swigert**

## YOUTH PAINTING

Ages 7-11



Young artists will explore a variety of painting styles in this visual arts class series that takes students on an art adventure in color, line, shape, texture, and space while fostering self-expression and creativity!

**Mondays | 6:00-7:15 pm**  
**Session 1: January 27, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 3, 10, 17**  
**Session 2: March 31, April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5**

**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Art Gallery**  
**Tuition: Session 1: \$160, Session 2: \$120**  
**Includes Supplies**  
**Instructor: Audrey Swigert**

## ARTIST SPOTLIGHT: YOUTH ART WORKSHOPS

Ages 10-14

Young artists will explore a variety of painting styles with acrylic paints, chalk pastels, and watercolors in this visual arts workshop series that takes students on an art adventure in color, line, shape, texture, and space while fostering self-expression and creativity! Each workshop focuses on a famous artist.

**Saturdays | 10:00 am-12:00 pm | April 5, 12, 26**

**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Rehearsal Hall**  
**Tuition: \$35 per Workshop | Includes Supplies**  
**Instructor: Jeanne Kollmeyer**



**April 5**  
**James Rizzi inspired watercolor painting**



**April 12**  
**Modigliani inspired self-portrait in oil pastel**



**April 26**  
**Laurel Burch Cats inspired acrylic painting**

# VISUAL ARTS FOR ALL

## PEEPS® VISUAL ART CONTEST

All Ages



The PEEPS® contest is back for the fourth year but with a twist! We want to see your creativity through PEEPS®! Create your own visual arts piece or model it after a famous piece out of PEEPS® to be entered into this fun contest.

The public will be asked to vote on their favorite based on the following combination of factors: quality of construction, cleverness, and WOW factor!

### PRIZES FOR ADULT AND YOUTH CATEGORIES:

**First Place: \$75 Schauer Arts Center Gift Certificate**  
**Second Place: \$50 Schauer Arts Center Gift Certificate**  
**Third Place: \$25 Schauer Arts Center Gift Certificate**

Pieces must be self-contained and easily displayed.

Entries may be dropped off at our front office from March 31-April 9 during regular box office hours.

Completed dioramas will be displayed in our Lower lobby from April 10-April 21.

The contest is limited to 25 entries. First dropped off, first served.

Be sure to stop in to view and vote on PEEPS® Art created by the Schauer Staff. Staff Art is not included in the public contest. Winning the Schauer Staff Art contest is for bragging rights only.

## CHALK ART

All Ages



Swing down to the Schauer Arts Center and join in the fun of creating a chalk art walkway! Register to participate by Friday, May 16; you will be assigned your own space to create. Come with your own inspiration.

**Sunday, May 18 | 10:00 am-12:00 pm**

**Location: Schauer Arts Center | Front Building Sidewalks**  
**Tuition: FREE | Includes Chalk and Sidewalk Space**  
**Instructors: You!**



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**CLASS REGISTRATION OPEN NOW**

## AN ARTFUL PARTY FOR COWORKERS

Perfect for the holidays, retirement parties, or any workplace celebration, our adult classes paired with a beverage are a recipe for fun!



### WINE & ART

Engage in a relaxing night, painting with coworkers while enjoying a glass of wine. Classes include step-by-step instruction by professional artists to help you create your own artwork to take home.



### HAPPY DANCE HOUR

Kick up your heels and learn a variety of social dance styles with expert instructor Eric Thomas. Signature cocktails are paired with dance styles in a combo that will put some pep in your step!



### EXPERIENCE LIVE PERFORMANCE

With a professional performing arts series, ticket discounts, and exclusive access to great shows, the Schauer Arts Center provides wonderful performance outings for your group.

## RESERVE YOUR DAY

For workshop details, customization, and pricing, contact [Classes@SchauerCenter.org](mailto:Classes@SchauerCenter.org).  
For information on group ticket sales for the Performing Arts Series, contact the Box Office  
Monday-Friday, 12:00-5:00 pm, 262-670-0560, ext. 3.