

Art: Life Drawing Level 2b

This is a level 2B course for those who have attended life drawing previously or who have drawing and painting experience.

The life figure drawing and painting course offers a comprehensive introduction to essential drawing techniques, emphasising the accurate representation of human anatomy, proportion, and likeness. Students will explore key concepts such as composition, negative and positive space, and the effective use of props, all of which contribute to capturing the unique character and personality of the model. This hands-on approach fosters both skill development and artistic expression.

Start Date: 04 February 2026
Start Time: 10:00
Lessons: 10
Weeks: 10
Hours: 20.00

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If you are interested in developing your creative skills, book onto one of our courses from the Creative Arts offer.

PLEASE DO NOT BUY TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT UNTIL YOU KNOW THAT THE COURSE WILL RUN.

Venue

Rochester Adult Education Centre
Rochester Community Hub
Eastgate
ME1 1EW

What Will I Learn On This Course?

1. Use at least one measuring technique when drawing to represent angle accurately.
2. To use observational skills and structure to create at least one image of accurate proportions
3. Create at least 2 works using different media to develop individual style of life drawing

Whether you would like to learn new creative skills or to investigate the possibility of a new art -based career, MAE Community Learning courses can provide you with a stepping stone to progress

Is This Course Suitable For Me?

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Is There Anything Else I Need To Know About This Course?

Please be aware that whilst this course is practical in nature some sessions will include theory and professional related training such as H&S, risk assessments, public liability etc

Learners will need the following tools and equipment please do not purchase until you are sure the course will run:

You will need to prepare the following tools and equipment before the start of the course:

- Basic drawing equipment - at least one HB pencil, sharpener and rubber
 - Masking tape
 - A sketchbook will be provided but large paper will need to be purchased in the classroom from your tutor for a small fee
 - Some examples of your drawings and painting if you have any, so that the tutor can assess your skill level.
- Assessment will play a regular role in your tuition, both initially to set you on the right learning path, and continually during the course to help you achieve personal goals and standards.

Will There Be Additional Costs?

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What Could I Go On To Do After This Course?

Your tutor can talk to you about another subject related course available. Your progression course is R251356A Art Life Drawing Level 2C

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Medway Adult Education works with many partners locally such as MidKent College, Medway School of Arts and the University of Kent; information about their courses can be found in our studios, café and on Moodle. Medway has an exciting and wide-range of events, exhibitions and activities to inspire and help you make further progress - please see the community noticeboards in the Rochester Centre and again on Moodle. Your tutor will be able to talk through your individual progression options.

If you wish to explore your learning, work or career options, you can speak to a fully trained careers advisor on 0800 100 900. <https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk>

If you need further advice please telephone 01634 338400.

What Is The Attendance Policy?

To get the most out of your course you will need to attend as many sessions as possible. We recommend at least 90%. If you do have a holiday booked during term time, please let the tutor know in advance so that we can help you catch up on missed sessions and ensure that you still achieve the course outcomes. If you are unavoidably ill or unable to attend, please contact 01634 338400 so that we can let your tutor know, and so they can send you any work you may have missed

Health & Safety

By participating in the live class, you accept that you understand that art involves potentially hazardous tools and equipment and that such activity carries the risk of injury. You understand that it is your responsibility to judge your motor skills and physical ability.

It is your responsibility to ensure that by participating in classes and activities from Medway Adult Education, you will not exceed your limits while performing such activity, and you will select the appropriate level of task for your skills and abilities.

You understand that this is an art activity, and you will need to be suitably dressed, you will need protect your work surface and be mindful of the correct Health & Safety processes when working with art materials. MAE is not responsible for damage to items in your house / home or person.

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