



**Transforming
Our Community...
One Student
at a Time**

**Socially Distanced
Senior Scholars**



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ALL CLASSES OFFERED THROUGH REMOTE INSTRUCTION

Senior Scholars

SPONSORED BY THE UNION COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

This program is funded by the Union County Board of County Commissioners for Union County residents who are at least 60 years old. Early enrollment is encouraged due to limited class availability. If you do not show up for the first class, you will be dropped from the class. To provide more people the opportunity to take advantage of this program, registration is limited to four courses per person until February 15.



ART • 60+

Materials list for all art classes can be picked up at the Continuing Education Office at registration. Please bring all materials to the first class. Fees for materials are extra.

Beginning Watercolor

The class will provide students with a foundational understanding in watercolor painting techniques as well as the principles of color theory and two-dimensional composition.

AEAS 010
Dates TBA

Beginner Drawing (14 hrs)

Drawing is a skill based on eye-hand coordination and the basis for all art. An interest in art, not talent, is the most important tool for learning. Fundamentals including contour line, shape, shading and perspective will all be addressed while working from life. Students will receive individual attention based on their level. Bring a 5B pencil, eraser and newsprint pad to the first class.

AEAS 001 Sec 030
W, 1/20 - 3/3, 9:30 - 11:30 am

Intermediate Drawing (14 hrs)

This class is designed for those with past drawing experience who would like to expand or refresh their drawing skills. Demonstrations, discussions and critiques will focus on refining values, composition, perspective and edge quality. A variety of subject matter will be utilized to inspire each student to discover their unique drawing style and interests. Students will work at their own level and will be encouraged to initiate their own personal drawing projects by the conclusion of the course. Bring a newsprint pad, eraser and 5B pencil to the first class.

AEAS 003 Sec 030
W, 3/17 - 5/5, 9:30 - 11:30 am
(no class 3/24)

Pastel Beginner (14 hrs)

Enjoy the pure, vibrant color of soft pastel. Explore techniques such as layered color mixing, mark making techniques and deciding when and how to blend color. Gain a solid foundation of composition, color and values through a variety of subject matter. Each student will be encouraged to discover their own unique, artistic voice in a supportive and creative atmosphere. Background in drawing preferred.

AEAS 007 010
M, 1/25 - 3/15, 9:30 - 11:30 am
(no class 2/15)

Intermediate Pastels (14 hrs)

Take your pastels to the next level! This class will include weekly demonstrations, discussion and critiques focusing on nuanced, layered color mixing, creating an expanded range of mark making and blending techniques as well as developing compelling and creative compositions. Subject matter including still life and portraiture will be explored in this class. Students will be encouraged to initiate their own personal projects by the conclusion of the course. Previous experience in both drawing and pastel are preferred. Bring a newsprint pad and pastels to the first class.

AEAS B07 Sec 010
M, 3/29 - 5/10, 9:30 - 11:30 am

Mixed Media

The class will explore approaches to mixed-media processes, focusing on collage and painting. Students will be exposed to several techniques, and will be guided through two main projects, each of which allows for individualized direction.

AEAS 058
Dates TBA

COMPUTERS/ TECHNOLOGY

Everything Seniors Want to Know about Computers

AECS 030 Sec 080
T, Th, 2/2 - 2/4,
11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 5 pm

Windows 10

AECS A22 Sec 080
T, Th, 2/9 - 2/11,
11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 5 pm

Word Beginner (8 hrs)

AECS A23 Sec 080
T, Th, 3/9 - 3/11,
11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 5 pm

Word Intermediate (8 hrs)

AECS B23 Sec 080
T, Th, 3/16 - 3/18,
11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 5 pm

Excel Beginner (8 hrs)

AECS A47 Sec 080
T, Th, 4/13 - 4/15,
11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 5 pm

Senior Scholars courses are free to Union County residents 60 years of age or older.

Enrollment is easy!

Subscribe to our mailing list for Individual program invitations. When a course interests you, simply click on the link that says "Click here to Register." The online enrollment form will submit your registration, and a confirmation email will be sent to you. Early enrollment is encouraged.

Currently all classes are conducted remotely.

Excel Intermediate (8 hrs)

AECS B47 Sec 080
T, Th, 4/20 - 4/22,
11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 5 pm

PowerPoint Beginner (8 hrs)

AECS A71 Sec 080
T, Th, 2/16 - 2/18,
11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 5 pm

Google Apps (8 hrs)

You get so much more than email when you create a Google Account! Google apps are either free, or if you need a professional version, you can purchase a G-Suite subscription. In this course you will learn about the free and paid plans, Google Drive, Google Docs, Google Sheets, Google Photos and more, all of which are available across multiple devices and operating systems.

AECS 040 Sec 080
T, Th, 4/27 - 4/29,
11 am - 1 pm and 3 - 5 pm

Introduction to Social Media (9 hrs)

AECS 005 Sec 050
F, 2/5 - 3/12, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Social Media II (9 hrs)

AECS A05 Sec 050
F, 4/9 - 5/14, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

DANCE

Zumba (16 hrs)

AEES 531, Sec 112
M, 1/25-5/24, 2-3 pm
(no class 2/15 & 3/22)

FITNESS

Chair/Barre (12 hrs)

AEES 536 Sec 070
M, W, 2/1-3/15, 12-1 pm
(no class 2/15)

AEES 536 Sec 07A
M, W, 3/29-5/5, 12-1 pm



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Tai Chi (18 hrs)

AEES 091 Sec 080
T, Th, 1/12 - 3/11, 10 - 11 am

AEES 091 Sec 08A
T, Th, 3/30 - 5/27, 10 - 11 am

Yoga (16 hrs)

AEES 080 Sec 090
M, F, 1/11 - 3/12, 10 - 11 am
(no class 1/18 & 2/15)

AEES 080 Sec 09A
M, F, 3/29-5/24, 10 - 11 am
(no class 4/2)

SPECIAL INTEREST

Conversational Spanish I (15 hrs)

AEES 010 Sec 060
S, 1/23 - 3/6, 10:00 am - 12:30 pm
(no class 2/13)

Conversational Spanish II (15 hrs)

AEES B10 Sec 060
S, 3/13 - 5/1, 10:00 am - 12:30 pm
(no class 3/27 & 4/3)

Knit & Crochet for Beginner and Beyond (15 hrs)

AEAS 020 Sec 020
T, 1/12 - 3/16, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

AEAS 020 Sec 02A
T, Th, 3/30 - 5/25,
10:30 am - 12:00 pm

The Sixties: The American Pop Era (20 hr)

This ten-week course will focus on the many innovative artists that created new sounds that captivated a generation, and whose influence endures five decades later. From the remarkable Brill Building songwriting teams to the art of Bob Dylan, from The Wrecking Crew studio musicians to the California magic of Brian Wilson & The Beach Boys, from Motown to The Monkees and many other artists. Our journey will examine folk rock (Simon & Garfunkel), pop/soul (Sly and Family Stone), psychedelic rock (The Doors) and the rock festivals that defined the era.

AEVS 086 Sec 052
F, 1/15 - 3/19, 2 - 4 pm

The Beatles Next ... The Solo Years (16 hrs)

This eight-week course will follow in the footsteps of The Beatles story as they embark on their post Beatles-solo careers. Our journey will start with John Lennon from his peace and political activism to his Plastic Ono Band and solo recordings. We will explore the extraordinary career of the multi-instrumentalist Paul McCartney as he becomes the most successful composer of the modern age from his Wings and solo recordings to his world-wide sold out performances. Our journey with George Harrison will include his solo catalog, his music and film productions. We will end with the greatest 'backbeat' drummer of all time - we will survey Ringo Starr's career as a musician, singer, songwriter and actor.

AEVS 087 Sec 052
F, 4/9 - 5/28, 2 - 4 pm

The Writer Within: Creative Writing (8 hrs)

Have a story to tell? This workshop will help you develop your story, characters and plot into a cohesive work. Learn how to develop an outline, as well as information about self-publishing. Come prepared to write and share your work and turn your ideas into a finished project.

AEVS 089 Sec 041
Th, 3/11 - 5/6, 1:30 - 2:30 pm
(no class 3/25)

Emotional Wellness (9 hrs)

This workshop lead by Diane Lang will be held every other Thursday and cover the following topics: Living with Uncertainty, Stop the Panic and Anxiety, How to Deal with Change and Triumph Over Loss, Releasing Anger and Finding Forgiveness, Declutter your Life and Reduce Stress, and Positive Psychology: Finding your Happiness.

AEVS 088 Sec 043
Class will meet every other Thursday
Th, 1/21, 2/4, 2/18, 3/4, 3/18, & 4/1,
3-4:30 pm