

**SMITH STUDIO AND GALLERY - Fall 2021
GENESEO PUBLIC LIBRARY - ART CLASSES**

**Student classes are on Saturday, 10:00-11:30
Classes are a one-day event;
and they are designed to challenge children at 1st through 6th grade levels.**

SATURDAY CLASSES

FAIRY GARDEN- August 7th -10:00-11:30

Cost: \$FREE- 1 ½ hour class

Grade Levels **1-6**

Creating a landscape is a fun way to start the day. On this Saturday we will be BUILDING a landscape with air-dried clay and drawing. This will be a unique 3-D environment for our imaginary fairies to enjoy. Use your creativity to fashion a fairy's home and garden, perhaps a pet dragonfly to occupy the fairy's yard. This is your own special landscape so be inspired ...and it all fits in a box!

METAL TOOLING- August 21st -10:00-11:30

Cost: \$FREE- 1 ½ hour class

Grade Levels **1-6**

Metal tooling is usually a project for older students. On this extraordinary Saturday even our younger artists will be inspired by what they can "tool" out of a special sheet of aluminum. Participants start with a simple metallic summer bouquet of flowers. But then our works of art grow as our inspiration also grows. Wonderful metallic color is added for a special summer touch.

YARN COLLAGE- September 4th -10:00-11:30

Cost: \$FREE- 1 ½ hour class

Grade Levels **1-6**

This is an exceedingly colorful project as layers of yarn are applied to create a beautiful mask that resembles a person or animal. These images often become as "flamboyant" as a colorful parrot or as "flashy" as a rainbow trout. Each participant will be guided through the careful application of yarn while they create their own unique artwork.

ORIGAMI PUPPET- September 18th -10:00-11:30

Cost: \$FREE- 1 ½ hour class

Grade Levels **1-6**

This unique puppet form was invented here in Geneseo! It starts as an origami structure with a carefully folded piece of paper. But it becomes a functional structure as a body, arms and legs are added to create a unique, and functioning, puppet of your own design. Build a person, animal or robot! They all become wonderful companions to take home.