

Thank you for contacting us about our Acrylic Pilot!

We look forward to working together to create fun and unique art pieces for the children to enjoy!

The Acrylic program is for grades 3 and up and is a great way to teach children about colour mixing, hues, tints, shades, as well as the basics of painting. During this program, the children will create **one 12" x 16"** painting on canvas in a monochromatic theme. The children will be provided with a colour value sheet, pick a hue to paint with and then create 2 to 3 tints and shades derived from that hue. On the canvas, the children will draw out lightly the imagery they would like to work with, creating many layers, then using their colour value sheet as reference, they will paint lightest tint to darkest shade creating a work that has depth and perspective. By the end of the program, the children will have an amazing artwork to bring home with them as well as the basic knowledge of acrylic painting, colour value and perspective.

Examples of imagery to choose from:

- Landscape - (trees/mountains in the foreground, mountains or hills in the background)
- Skyscape- (trees in the foreground, moonlight/sky in the background in layers)
- Seascape - (sharks/turtles/jellyfish etc in the foreground, looking up through the water at the sun in the background)
- Cityscape - (darkest building in foreground - lightest buildings at top in background)

*** Each project can be adjusted to fit different age groups by adding more details/layers.**

To include the children in the entire process, we ask them to set up their work areas prior to the instructor's arrival and during the class we ask for help with distributing, and tidying up of materials. We also ask that the children have an idea of which subject matter they would like to create, and images if needed for trees/animals as reference.

The program costs \$7 per child and takes approximately 1.5 to 2 hours to complete and is available throughout the entire school year. Each child will be supplied with **one 12"x 16" canvas, a tray to mix the colours, acrylic paint, a colour value sheet, a cup for water and paintbrushes**. Any additional requests for canvas will be an additional charge of \$7.

Thank you for your continued support, we would not be able to offer these programs if it was not for the cooperation and participation of local area schools/groups.

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Examples of each project for the Acrylic Pilot:

Landscape:



Skyscape:



Seascape:



Cityscape:

