

PROVISIONAL CLASS SYLLABUS
September – December 2024
Fundamentals of Art and the Art of Touring

This Unit	<u>Desired Goals</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn the fundamentals of art (<i>Living With Art</i>, C. 1-11) • Learn the fundamentals of touring adults and students (tour observations)
WEEK 1 – September 18 (Docent Council Meeting) – meet in auditorium	
9:30 -10:00	Photos, teacher introductions, and Social Time
10:00-11:30	DOCENT COUNCIL MEETING –
11:30-12:00 pm	Class Orientation; forms (attendance and volunteer hours), book (<i>Living With Art</i> , edition 9 and later), information, requirements, contacts, homework, syllabus, museum protocols (badges, lockers, UL no access, contacting staff, book store discount), attire, etc.. Museum tour with map
1:00 -2:30	Class Introductions
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Assignments:	<i>Living With Art</i> , Ch. 1, “Living with Art” read and answer homework questions Biography <i>Docent Handbook</i> – Introduction, C. 1 and 2
WEEK 2 – September 25	
9:30-10:30	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements Review LWA C. 1 and homework – 6 Tasks of Artists, Creativity and Looking Creativity exercise
10:45-12:00	Docent Website
1:00-2:30	Foundations of Touring – DH, Introduction and Foundations <u>Gallery Exercise</u> Highlights Tour
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Assignments:	<i>Living With Art</i> , Ch. 2, “What is Art?” read and answer homework questions Log onto docent website
NO CLASS on October 2nd – Rosh Hashanah	
WEEK 3 – October 9	
9:30-10:00	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements
10:00-12:00	Review LWA C. 2 and homework – Representational and abstract art, nonrepresentational art, style, form, content, subject matter PowerPoint “Living With Art – C. 2”
1:00-2:30	PowerPoint – “Pont St. Michel – Matisse” Highlights Tours
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Assignments:	<i>Living With Art</i> , Ch. 3, “Themes of Art” read and answer homework questions

WEEK 4 – October 16 (Docent Council Meeting) – meet in auditorium

9:30-10:00	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements
10:00-12:00	DOCENT COUNCIL MEETING – Dane Goodman, local artist Review LWA C. 3 and homework – “Themes of Art”
1:00-2:30	3 Minute Tour Introduction – PowerPoint 3 Minute tour evaluations will be November 20 th
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Assignments:	Living With Art, Ch. 4, “Visual Elements” read and answer homework questions

WEEK 5 – October 23

9:30-10:00	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements
10:00-12:00	Review LWA C. 4 and homework – “Visual Elements” PowerPoint Visual elements in works of art in our collection Introduce Object worksheet
1:00-2:30	<u>Gallery Exercise</u> Demonstration of 3 minute talks Complete Object Worksheet for a piece of art Choose artwork for 3-minute talk
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Assignments:	Living With Art, Ch. 5, “Principles of Design” read and answer homework questions

WEEK 6 – October 30

9:30-10:00	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements
10:00-12:00	Review LWA C. 5 and homework – Principles of Design Principles of Design - PowerPoint Visual elements and design of 3 minute talk artwork
1:00-2:30	<u>Gallery Exercise</u> Practice 3 minute talk
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Assignments:	Living With Art, Ch. 6, “Drawing”

WEEK 7 – November 6 (Docent Council Meeting) – meet in auditorium

9:30-10:00	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements Social Time
10:00-12:00	DOCENT COUNCIL MEETING – Isabel Barbussa, artist Review LWA C. 6 “Drawing” “Drawing from the Right Side of the Brain” – drawing exercise
1:00-2:30	<u>Gallery Exercise</u> Drawing Practice 3 minute talk
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Assignments:	Living With Art , Ch. 7, “Painting” read and answer homework questions

WEEK 8 (end of 1st quarter)– November 13

9:30-10:00	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements
10:00-12:00	Review LWA, C. 7 – Painting Painting materials and techniques – demo <u>Assign Research Paper – draft due January 17</u>
1:00-2:30	Gallery Walk - Painting 3 Minute Evaluation Simulation with teachers
Assignments:	Living With Art , Ch. 8, “Prints” read and answer homework questions

WEEK 9 – November 20 (Docent Council Meeting) – Meet in auditorium

9:30-10:30	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements
10:00-12:00	DOCENT COUNCIL MEETING – James Glisson “Reinstall of R-T Gallery” Assign Vocabulary Quiz – December 11 Review Homework, C. 8 <i>Living With Art</i> , “Prints”
1:00-2:30	<u>Evaluation of 3 minute talks</u> Lunch – Celebrate!!
Assignments:	Living With Art – C. 9 “Camera and Computer Arts” read and answer homework questions

THANKSGIVING – NO CLASS NOVEMBER 27th

WEEK 10 – December 4 (Docent Council Meeting) – Meet in auditorium

9:30-10:00	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements
10:00-11:00	DOCENT COUNCIL MEETING- James Glisson – “Dario Robleto”
11:00-12:30	Intro – Student Touring, Assign Student Touring Observation
1:00-3:00	Gallery Exercise – Photography, Video, New Media
Assignments:	<i>Docents Handbook</i> , C. 5 “Know Your Audience”

WEEK 11 – December 11

9:30-10:00	<u>Morning Meeting</u> Open Questions/Comments/Announcements
10:00-12:00	Student Touring vs. Adult Touring <u>Power Point on Photography</u> <u>Vocabulary Quiz</u>
1:00-3:00	Gallery Exercise – Photography, Video, New Media
Assignments:	<i>Living With Art</i> , C. 11 “Sculpture and Installation”

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