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SPRING TERM OF ART CLASSES FOR ADULTS

Applications are being accepted now for the Spring Term of art classes for adults at the People's Art Center of the Museum of Modern Art, 21 West 53 Street.

For adult laymen interested in exploring the arts or in pursuing a hobby, the Center offers evening or daytime classes in ORIENTATION IN THE ARTS (for beginners who have never before worked in any medium), ORIENTATION IN THE CRAFTS, an EXPERIMENTAL COURSE IN DRAWING AND PAINTING, PAINTING CLASSES for beginning, intermediate, and advanced students, a LIFE CLASS, a course in the FUNDAMENTALS OF DESIGN, WORKSHOPS in CERAMIC and WOOD SCULPTURE, and courses in WOODWORKING AND JEWELRY MAKING. In addition, a laboratory course in the appreciation of painting, sculpture, and allied arts of our time called EXPLORING MODERN ART will be offered for business and professional people.

Classes, which meet once a week, begin February 1 and continue through May 23. Registration and payment of fees for this term must be completed by January 22. Registration forms are available at the People's Art Center, 21 West 53 Street, or will be mailed upon request.

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SPRING TERM OF ART CLASSES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Applications are being accepted now for the Spring Term of art classes at the People's Art Center of the Museum of Modern Art, 21 West 53 Street. Children and young people, aged three to eighteen, may sign up for one or two classes a week for the fifteen week term which begins February 1 and continues through May 29. Classes are organized by age level, not according to special training or ability. Fees start at \$27.50 for the term.

MODERN ART FOR HOMEMAKERS, a new course offered for the first time last fall, will be offered again this term. It is an introductory course designed for those who wish to have a practical and basic understanding of the various arts of today as cultural enrichment for the family and as they apply to the home.

Because of their growing popularity, the Center will offer this term several classes in which parents can paint, sculpt, and make collages and constructions with their children, aged three to five. Instruction in these classes is individual and informal and is based on the theory that a good way to learn about what children do is to join them in their activities.

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