

Art and Design II



Sewing Seminar I

Instructor: Michelle Ferranti
Grades 4-9
Cranbury School, Room 41
Two weeks - July 6-16
PM session
Cost: \$300

Join us for a beginner-level sewing class that teaches you the basic sewing vocabulary and skills. Learn how to thread and correctly operate your sewing machine and how to use a commercial pattern to make something uniquely yours! You will begin by making an apron to hold your supplies, and then progress to a pajama bottom, a tote bag, and a simple top. The course is for the first-time sewing student who does not know how to use a sewing machine. Please bring a working sewing machine with a manual, if possible, and bobbins and needles for your machine. Project-specific supplies, like fabric and trims, will be requested in class for each project.

Sewing Seminar II

Instructors: Michelle Ferranti and Gina Ricca,
Wardrobe Supervisor, American Repertory
Ballet, Princeton
Grades 4-9
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This class is for returning or experienced sewers. You will do a quick review of the operation, threading procedure and maintenance of your sewing machine before you progress to making dresses, pants, and more from commercial patterns. The instructors will provide lots of individual help as you learn how to stitch facings, zippers, pleats, pockets, and whatever else is required to complete your project. Please bring a working sewing machine with a manual if possible, and bobbins and needles for your machine. Project-specific supplies, like fabric and trims, will be requested in class for each project.

Fashion Design and Merchandising

Instructor: Gina Ricca, Wardrobe Supervisor,
American Repertory Ballet, Princeton
Grades 6-9
Cranbury School, Room 42
Two weeks - July 6-16
PM session
Cost: \$300



In this class you will design and merchandise a clothing line for the company of your dreams! First, you will learn techniques for illustrating and flat sketching, and look at lots of fabrics. There is a whole textile and fashion vocabulary that you will be introduced to and encouraged to use. The class will create a storyboard presentation to communicate your design concept, your target customer, and your individual garment designs. The class will take a field trip into New York City and tour a fashion manufacturer's showroom (or similar place of interest) and then visit the Fashion Institute of Technology and receive a guided tour in its museum.



Jewelry Making

Instructor: Meg Hayden
Grades 4-9
Cranbury School, Room 40
Two weeks - July 6-16
AM session
Cost: \$300



This workshop will introduce you to the materials and techniques used to make simple jewelry. In this class, you will learn how to use all the tools and materials that one needs to create some of the season's most trendy looks or classic designs that will last a lifetime. Along with the jewelry creation, students are challenged to also create a visual display environment to show and sell their work. The "Jewelry Boutique" is open for shopping excitement on the last day of class. Have fun while you design the jewelry, a logo, and a store front. You might even make a little money at your very own boutique which opens for business on the last day of class.