

Creative Resources: The Local Edition

A collection of fun links highlighting arts-related lessons, projects, and programs from individuals and organizations close to home.

Children:



Join Petaluma artist
Gio Benedetti
every Wednesday
morning via Zoom to
Draw a Dragon.



Artist Nina Katchadourian's cat wants your art and he wants it NOW! He's started Stickies Art School and will keep you busy with Stickies-related art assignments and funny critiques, all while staying as lazy and cozy as can be.



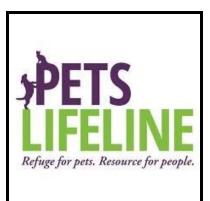
ArtEscape offers a newsletter full of projects and resources in both English & Spanish. They're also seeking donations to continue offering free art packets to the Sonoma Valley community. Here is a fun, bilingual tutorial they shared on How to Learn to Knit as well as some online lesson plans. Follow them on Instagram for more ideas and updates!



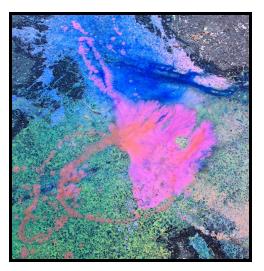
The Sonoma Community
Center is offering Curbside Clay
Sales. They'll even load the clay right
into your trunk! There are video tutorials
online where you can learn all about
working with clay, and when they
reopen you can get your amazing clay
creations fired and glazed!



Drop your beautiful handmade cards off at Vintage House between 9am and 4 pm Monday-Friday to help brighten an isolated senior's day.



Sign up to be a Volunteer Artist for Pets Lifeline and create a custom pet portrait of a special furry friend while supporting your favorite local pet shelter!



Have you seen <u>sidewalk chalk</u> <u>drawings</u> popping up on your walks around town lately? Why not join in and spread a little colorful joy?

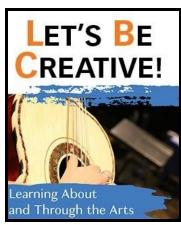
Did you know that you can make homemade Chalk Paint? Just mix equal parts water and cornstarch and add some food coloring or non-toxic paint! Goes on wet... dries just like chalk!



Transcendence Theatre
Company has launched
LEARN@HOME, a free and
fun online curriculum for
1st-5th graders with new
videos every week!



Children's Museum of Sonoma County has a Resource Page full of at-home activities, video demonstrations, and more. Follow them on Social Media to get new, fun ideas!



Luther Burbank Center's new virtual program Let's Be Creative is releasing arts education videos every day on their Facebook page. It could be a live dance or improv class, an instrument care tutorial, a visual art project, a musical challenge, a literature-based lesson... You'll just have to check it out and see!



The Museum of Sonoma County has some fun resources, including art and craft <u>tutorials</u>, virtual tours, and a <u>printable coloring book</u> featuring Sonoma County history and architecture.



Check out Visual Thinking
Strategies' Image of the Day for a great way to practice talking about art.



California Poets in the Schools is offering an Online Poetry Workshop for youth where professional poets from throughout California offer creative poetry writing lessons for youth and families.



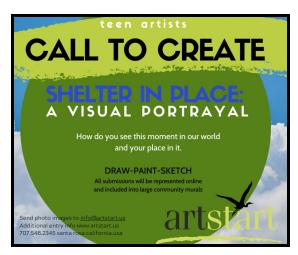
CreateCA has a <u>curated list</u> <u>of resources</u>, available by topic, from visual and performing arts to music and healing.



Be sure to check

Creative Sonoma regularly for <u>events</u> and <u>resources</u> for all ages and interests as they work to advance and support the creative community of Sonoma County.

Teens and Young Adults:



Artstart in Santa Rosa
has issued a <u>Call to Create</u>
for youth 14-20 to share their
experiences while sheltering in
place. Artists can submit sketches,
drawings, and paintings that
answer questions about their role
in the community, how they are
finding hope and strength, and
how they view this moment in
history.



Enter to win the
Sonoma County
Stars of Tomorrow
talent contest
with a video of your talent.
Submissions due by
3:00pm on April 30.

Everyone:

Come and view our <u>ONLINE A.R.T.S. Exhibition</u> showcasing work created by the 4th and 5th graders of Sonoma Valley during Art Rewards The Student. New projects added weekly!