

Teacher Kits

Our *Teacher Kit* nights are open to all K-12 and pre-service teachers. Make a work of art, discover helpful resources and take home curriculum-aligned materials to engage your students in innovative art making techniques.

Monday, November 17, 2008, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Explore mono printmaking

Monday, February 9, 2009, 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Try your hand at mixed media techniques

Free Evening for Educators

Wednesday, April 1, 2009, 4 – 6 p.m.

All K-12 and pre-service teachers welcome.

Relax and unwind with fellow educators. Create a work of art, explore art from our permanent collection, tour *Expressions 34*, and take home ready to use lesson plans and materials for your classroom.

Call Katherine Sunday at 519.579.5860 x 219 to register.

The Kitchener-Waterloo Art Gallery

is a unique learning environment that connects people and ideas through art. Our highly interactive *Tour and Studio Workshops* relate current exhibitions to the curriculum, build critical thinking skills, and inspire students in their own art making. Students can explore works from our permanent collection and gain valuable visual literacy skills in preparation for their gallery visit through our popular in-school *Think Art* programs. We currently welcome approximately 5,000 students each school year and our programs continue to thrive and expand.



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Register for School Programs

KW|AG offers School Programs mornings and afternoons. (Two classes may be accommodated at one time to share on bussing costs.)

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School Programs Coordinator: Katherine Sunday
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Independent Schools:

Tour and Studio Workshop –
\$100 per group of 20 or less.
\$5 per additional youth.

Think Art + Tour and Studio Workshop –
\$175 per group of 20 or less.
\$8.75 per additional youth.

School Program Partners:

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**KITCHENER - WATERLOO
ART GALLERY**

Located in the Centre In the Square,
101 Queen Street North, Kitchener

Tour & Studio Workshops

Open to all grades

- ♦ One hour interactive tour
- ♦ One hour hands-on workshop
- ♦ Connects our current exhibitions with the Visual Arts curriculum

September 19, 2008 – January 4, 2009

Featured Exhibition:

Seth: The North Star Talking Picture House

Step inside a fictitious Ontario town created by acclaimed cartoonist, Seth. Exhibitions also feature paintings by Will Gorlitz and Andrew Wright.

Workshop: Graphic Spaces and Comic Places

Explore architecture and comic book artistry by creating your very own city.

January 15 – March 22, 2009

Featured Exhibition:

ANTHEM: Perspectives on Home + Native Land

Discover diverse perspectives on the theme of national identity by artists from Vancouver to Labrador and points in between.

Workshop: Symbols of Identity

Beavers, multicultural mosaics, and hockey anthems are symbols we commonly associate with Canadian identity, but what about your identity? Create a one of a kind personal icon using print-making techniques.

March 28 – May 3, 2009

Featured Exhibition: *Expressions 34*

In its 34th year, *Expressions* showcases the diverse talents of young artists in Waterloo Region.

Workshop: Soundtracks

Breathe life into silence and tell your own story with sound art in this technology-based workshop.

May 8 – July 5, 2009

Featured Exhibition: *Phil Irish: Watershed*

Get your feet wet with Elora artist Phil Irish's inspired paintings, part of the River Grand Chronicles series. Further works from the series on view include those by Susan Coolen, Gwen MacGregor, and ceramicist Catherine Paleczny.

Workshop: 'X' Marks the Spot!

Now is your chance to move mountains and rewrite history by envisioning the ultimate landscape. Design a sculptural map to bring your dream geography to life.

Think Art

Available for Grades 1 – 12

Expand your Gallery experience by adding a visual literacy workshop. *Think Art* workshops empower students in responding to art and prepare them for a trip to the Gallery. Workshops take place at your school one week prior to your visit.

Animal Connection

Curriculum connections for grades 1 and 2 – 1 hour

Journey Into Canada

Curriculum connections for grades 3 and 4 – 1.5 hours

What's the Story?

Curriculum connections for grades 5 and 6 – 1.5 hours

Learning to Look

Open to all grades (our former *Arts Awareness* program) – 1.5 hours

NEW *Environs through Time*

Open to intermediate and senior grades – 1.5 hours

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