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Online Learning

Engaging Citizen Artists Around the World
Starting August 31, 2020

Idyllwild Arts is one of the most supportive, enriching, and artistically vibrant environments I have ever experienced. I was offered a wealth of creative opportunities and exposed to a unique community of artists from around the globe. Elliot Mercer Instructor of Visual & Performing Arts University of Colorado, Class of 2005, Dance.

Idyllwild Arts Academy is committed to building your connection to a community of teachers and professional artists who will guide your education. In both arts and academics, you will pursue your creative passion in a virtual community of like-minded people who want to immerse themselves in art. We know that building relations between peers and teachers is essential to meaningful learning. Therefore, students will find multiple ways to interact and to participate in a comprehensive arts education that will help develop their talent, skills, and awareness of how they, as citizen artists, can affect change through their art. A commitment to educating the citizen artist informs the curriculum and encourages students, both in and out of the classroom, to appreciate multiple perspectives and art forms while also helping them find a voice for expressing their own convictions. In a world that is changing fast and posing what seems to be overwhelming obstacles, Idyllwild Arts emphasizes that art is not static. It is ever-changing and it is, as stated in our vision: “an essential solution to global challenges.”

All students will receive credits toward their graduation requirements and their arts certificate. Our curriculum, tailored to your individual needs and aspirations, will equip you with the skills needed for success in higher education.

The Idyllwild Arts online learning program includes the following:

- At least three academic and three arts courses-- Idyllwild Arts will consider partial or full funding of, and accepting credit for, additional online courses taken from other institutions.
- Consistent meetings, class sessions that accommodate different time zones
- Private instruction, lessons, portfolio review, audition preparation
- An assurance of progress toward graduation and an arts certificate
- Opportunities for virtual rehearsals, collaborations, and performances
- MathLab--a way to learn mathematics at your own pace while receiving individual instruction
- A comprehensive curriculum for ESL students, including the unique “push-in” method which lets students experience full language immersion while engaging in the arts
- Discussion-based humanities courses focusing on relevant topics such as critical media studies, the artist’s place in society, social justice, and current events

- Opportunities to take part in clubs and school-wide activities
- A regular check-in with an advisor
- Individualized college counseling
- Learning support from an experienced Resource teacher
- Access to a global Master Series featuring prominent artists and successful Idyllwild Arts alumni
- The opportunity to apply for Arts Enterprise Laboratory (AEL) grants that support initiative and the creation of individual art projects.
- The opportunity for students to take part in Art in Society--a program designed to engage students in their community through their art.
- Access to fun and collaborative Intermester courses that allow students to play, collaborate, create, and have fun.
- Students will also have the opportunity to continue their learning and arts enrichment by joining a summer workshop

Online Schedule

The following online schedule allows students to learn within their own time zone. No one will have to take a class at an unreasonable time.

Academic classes run from 6 AM to 10:45 AM, Monday through Thursday. Arts classes run from 11 AM to 8:30 PM, Monday through Thursday. Friday and Saturday have special arts and academic blocks. Please note that we may need to make slight adjustments to the schedule.

All times are listed to show the different options available to you based on your time zone. For example, 6 AM would be 4 pm in Europe, while 7 PM would be 10 AM in China. All classes are listed in Pacific Daylight Time.

Students will have extended arts blocks so they can dive deeper into their work, whether through collaboration, rehearsal, filming, or setting up for an exhibit.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Period 01 6am - 7am	Period 03 6am - 7am	Period 01 6am - 7am	Period 03 6am -7am		
Period 02 7:15am - 8:15am	Period 04 7:15am - 8:15am	Period 02 7:15 am - 8:15 am	Period 04 7:15am -8:15am	Arts Block 7am - 8:30 am	Arts Block 7am - 8:30 am
Period 1 8:30am - 9:30am	Period 3 8:30am - 9:30am	Period 1 8:30am - 9:30am	Period 3 8:30am -9:30am	Arts Block 8:30 am -11:00 am	Arts Block 8:30 am -11:00 am
Period 2: 9:45 am -10:45 am	Period 4: 9:45 am - 10:45 am	Period 2: 9:45 am - 10:45 am	Period 4: 9:45 am -10:45 am		

Arts Block 11am -12:30pm	Arts Block: 11am -12:30pm	Arts Block 11am -12:30 pm	Arts Block: 11am -12:30pm	Arts Block 11am -1:30 pm	Arts Block 11am - 1:30 pm
Arts Block: 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Arts Block: 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Arts Block: 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Arts Block: 12:30 pm – 2:00 pm		
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Arts Block: 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Arts Block: 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Arts Block: 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Arts Block: 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Academic Block 3:30 pm -5:00 pm	
Arts Block: 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Arts Block: 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Arts Block: 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Arts Block: 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Academic Block 5:00 pm -6:30 pm	
Art Block 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	Art Block 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	Art Block 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	Art Block 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm	Academic Block 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm	

A definitive online schedule will be communicated to families in early to mid-August. If you have questions about online scheduling, please contact Marianne Kent-Stoll, Head of School, mkentstoll@idyllwildarts.org or Elaine Huddleston, Director of Student Information, lhuddleston@idyllwildarts.org