

CARTOONING CLASSES



Cartooning classes offer the chance to discover the fun of creating your own cartoon characters and funny situations together with the enjoyment of using them in gag cartoons, comic strips, comic books, humourous illustration and craft activities.

Students have the opportunity to work with a variety of materials which can include:

- ☺ Lead and coloured pencils
- ☺ Pen and ink
- ☺ Felt pens
- ☺ Water colours
- ☺ Acrylic paints
- ☺ Clay



Fun activities can include

- ☺ Bookmarks
- ☺ Caricature
- ☺ Puppets
- ☺ 3D figures
- ☺ Simple animation
- ☺ Pop-up cards

I have worked as a professional cartoonist/illustrator for twenty years (the last 10 being full-time) and have had many cartoons published in local, interstate and international magazines. I am a member of the Australian Cartoonist Association and Illustrators Australia.

I believe cartooning allows many children who would not normally see themselves as artists, to experience the joy and satisfaction of creating works in a medium they can enjoy and understand.

I am available to do cartooning workshops in schools and libraries.

To see examples of my work or for further information, contact me directly or visit my web site at <http://www.martinart.com.au>.

CARTOONING AND ART CLASSES

7 – 12 YEAR OLDS

Classes held at:

- ☺ Fullarton
- ☺ West Beach
- ☺ Black Forest
- ☺ Trott Park



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ART CLASSES



Art classes provide the opportunity for children to create interesting and fun works of art using a wide variety of materials and techniques.

Activities aim to develop perception, creativity, fine and gross motor skills and confidence in self-expression as well as an understanding and enjoyment of famous artists and their work.

Areas to be covered include:

- ☺ Drawing
- ☺ Painting
- ☺ Illustration
- ☺ Sculpture
- ☺ Crafts
- ☺ Printing
- ☺ Graphic design

Materials used include:

- ☺ Lead and coloured pencils
- ☺ Charcoal
- ☺ Pen and ink
- ☺ Acrylic paint
- ☺ Water Colours
- ☺ Clay
- ☺ Papier Mache



Trained at the South Australian School of Art I have had 25 years experience teaching art in country and metropolitan high schools. I have a Diploma in Teaching and am a registered teacher.

The aim of my classes is not always to produce finished 'masterpieces' fit to be framed and hung on the wall – although this can happen. I believe that, in art, it is important for children to feel free to experiment and be creative without the fear of making mistakes or spoiling their work.

I endeavor to strike a balance by teaching certain skills, techniques, etc. and, within broad guidelines, giving the children the opportunity to exercise their own creativity in applying these. Without some form of 'teaching' progress would be limited, but at the same time I want children to understand that there is not just one answer when it comes to artistic expression.

Through doing this I hope to develop children's confidence in their own expression as well as allowing them to develop their own unique style.

ART CLASSES

FRIDAY

Black Forest Primary School
3:45 – 5:15 pm

SATURDAY

Trott Park Neighbourhood Centre
10:30 – 12:00 noon

CARTOONING CLASSES

TUESDAY

Fullarton Park Centre
4:30 – 6:00 pm

THURSDAY

West Beach Primary School
3:45 – 5:15 pm

SATURDAY

Trott Park Neighbourhood Centre
9:00 – 10:30 am



\$10.50 per session
(includes all materials and handouts)

For further information and
bookings contact John Martin on
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