

COVID-19 Guidelines

Please excuse the formality with the COVID-19 Guidelines. I want everyone to feel safe and know we will all do our best to keep us all healthy. Please know I am learning and evolving with this new way of being. There may be changes to the current protocol as we move forward. I certainly welcome any feedback to help with improvements. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to me.

For inside: I will have six stations set up in the downstairs studio and two in the upstairs studio. **For outside:** Three stations can fit on the deck outside of the down stairs studio and two stations can fit on the upstairs deck with an umbrella. You are welcome to setup on the lawn as well.

There may be a bit of physicality needed to move easels, tables, and chairs for outside stations. I will help too. We'll have to play this out to see what the best strategy will be for outdoor set up. I'm sure it will be fine once we get the hang of it.

For now I will only take nine students for the whole class. This means I have enough to fit eight inside, so if the weather isn't good one person may be on a waiting list to see if someone cancels. Upstairs students will need their own supplies. I can set up another supply station upstairs in a pinch if needed. I will do my best to accommodate inside and outside stations every week.

If you aren't comfortable being inside please let me know, so I'll be able to figure out the registration for each class. I think we'll figure this out together!

More COVID-19 Guidelines

- Use disinfectant before entering the studio door. It will be placed outside on a table by the door.
- Remain six feet apart to the greatest extent possible. Take turns getting supplies and cleaning up.
- Stations are placed six feet apart inside. Outside stations will be placed six feet apart. Please clean personal brushes at home as it will help manage the end of the class clean up time.
- Plastic gloves will be used when using art supplies. I will supply them.
- Require face coverings or masks for all inside. Masks are not required outdoors with the six feet distance, but must be worn when stepping inside.
- Disinfecting wipes will be placed in the bathroom for each individual to wipe down all contacted areas after each use.
- Frequent hand washing is recommended.
- I will sanitize each station, chairs, common surfaces, high touch areas, such as: equipment, doorknobs, restrooms between classes.
- I will allow as much fresh air into the studio as possible depending on weather conditions.

STAY HOME WHEN SICK

If you or anyone you have been in direct contact with is or has exhibited any of the symptoms of COVID-19 or tested positive, please stay home. Please take this very seriously to keep our community safe. The list of COVID-19 symptoms are listed on the CDC website <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>. Let me know if you develop COVID-19 or were in contact with anyone with COVID-19.