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Programs and Curriculum

Drawing

Our Drawing program for kids introduces essential skills while encouraging creativity and exploration.

- **Level 1: Drawing Basics**
 - **Objective:** Build confidence with simple drawing techniques and basic shapes.
 - **Skills Covered:** Understanding lines and shapes, using different drawing tools (pencil, crayon, marker), and creating basic forms.
 - **Projects:** Simple animals, cartoon characters, and shapes-based drawings.
 - **Level 2: Exploring Perspective and Proportion**
 - **Objective:** Introduce kids to basic perspective and proportion in a playful way.
 - **Skills Covered:** Basic concepts of size, depth, and simple perspectives.
 - **Projects:** Drawing houses, trees, and people with proper proportions.
 - **Level 3: Expressive Drawing and Composition**
 - **Objective:** Encourage kids to create more complex compositions and explore personal expression.
 - **Skills Covered:** Simple shading, composition, and storytelling through drawing.
 - **Projects:** Story scenes, self-portraits, and imaginative creatures.
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Painting

Our Painting program lets kids experiment with colors, textures, and a variety of paint types to spark creativity.

- **Level 1: Introduction to Colors and Painting Tools**
 - **Objective:** Familiarize kids with colors, mixing basics, and different types of paint (watercolor, tempera).
 - **Skills Covered:** Basic color mixing, brush control, and painting within shapes.
 - **Projects:** Simple landscapes, rainbow color wheels, and abstract art.
 - **Level 2: Exploring Techniques and Texture**
 - **Objective:** Introduce kids to creating textures and exploring color relationships.
 - **Skills Covered:** Layering, blending, and experimenting with textures.
 - **Projects:** Animal portraits, textured paintings, and underwater scenes.
 - **Level 3: Themed Painting Projects**
 - **Objective:** Encourage individual style through themed projects and personal expression.
 - **Skills Covered:** Creative use of colors, layering, and painting techniques.
 - **Projects:** Fantasy landscapes, seasonal themes, and story-based art.
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Sculpture

Our Sculpture program introduces children to the world of three-dimensional art using safe, child-friendly materials.

- **Level 1: Introduction to Sculpting with Clay**
 - **Objective:** Familiarize kids with clay and basic sculpting tools.
 - **Skills Covered:** Basic clay manipulation, creating simple shapes, and hand-building.
 - **Projects:** Small animals, pinch pots, and fun creatures.
 - **Level 2: Building Forms and Adding Texture**
 - **Objective:** Teach kids to make more detailed forms and add texture to their sculptures.
 - **Skills Covered:** Adding texture with tools, using multiple pieces to build a sculpture.
 - **Projects:** Miniature landscapes, textured tiles, and decorative objects.
 - **Level 3: Creative Sculpting Projects**
 - **Objective:** Allow kids to use their imagination to create unique sculptures.
 - **Skills Covered:** Combining different shapes, personalizing sculptures.
 - **Projects:** Fantasy creatures, imaginative buildings, and collaborative projects.
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Decoupage

Our Decoupage program allows kids to create colorful, decorative projects by layering papers and images onto everyday objects.

- **Level 1: Basics of Decoupage**
 - **Objective:** Introduce kids to the fun of decorating objects with paper and glue.
 - **Skills Covered:** Simple cutting, gluing, and layering.
 - **Projects:** Decorative jars, small boxes, and photo frames.
 - **Level 2: Adding Layers and Colors**
 - **Objective:** Encourage creativity through more complex layering and design.
 - **Skills Covered:** Layering techniques, arranging patterns, and combining colors.
 - **Projects:** Jewelry boxes, colorful wall plaques, and pencil holders.
 - **Level 3: Creative Decoupage Projects**
 - **Objective:** Inspire kids to personalize their creations with their own themes.
 - **Skills Covered:** Creating cohesive designs, using stencils and additional embellishments.
 - **Projects:** Decorative containers, picture frames, and small themed objects.
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Scrapbooking

Our Scrapbooking program encourages children to tell their own stories through creative page designs and photo layouts.

- **Level 1: Introduction to Scrapbooking Basics**
 - **Objective:** Teach kids how to design simple, colorful scrapbook pages.
 - **Skills Covered:** Arranging photos, using stickers, and creating borders.
 - **Projects:** My Favorite Things page, My Family page, and Fun Memories page.

Scrapbooking (Continue)

- **Level 2: Adding Layers and Personal Touches**
 - **Objective:** Guide kids to personalize their scrapbooks with more creativity.
 - **Skills Covered:** Using layers, adding text, and arranging decorative elements.
 - **Projects:** Travel memories, friends collage, and seasonal themes.
 - **Level 3: Themed Scrapbook Projects**
 - **Objective:** Encourage storytelling and personal expression through themed scrapbooks.
 - **Skills Covered:** Organizing a series of pages, using embellishments.
 - **Projects:** Birthday memories, school days, and favorite adventures.
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Jewelry Making

In Jewelry Making, kids learn to create unique accessories while building fine motor skills and creativity.

- **Level 1: Introduction to Beading and Stringing**
 - **Objective:** Teach kids basic jewelry making using beads and string.
 - **Skills Covered:** Stringing beads, using clasps, and choosing colors.
 - **Projects:** Beaded bracelets, necklaces, and keychains.
 - **Level 2: Mixing Materials and Simple Wirework**
 - **Objective:** Introduce kids to using different materials like charms and simple wirework.
 - **Skills Covered:** Basic wire manipulation, creating loops, and adding charms.
 - **Projects:** Charm bracelets, personalized necklaces, and earrings.
 - **Level 3: Designing Unique Jewelry Pieces**
 - **Objective:** Encourage kids to design their own jewelry sets.
 - **Skills Covered:** Combining materials, color coordination, and creative patterns.
 - **Projects:** Jewelry sets, friendship bracelets, and special gifts.
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Sewing

Our Sewing program teaches kids the basics of textile arts, helping them create simple yet fun projects.

- **Level 1: Introduction to Hand-Sewing**
 - **Objective:** Teach kids basic stitches and introduce them to fabric.
 - **Skills Covered:** Threading needles, sewing simple stitches, and knotting.
 - **Projects:** Fabric bookmarks, small pouches, and stuffed shapes.
 - **Level 2: Machine Sewing Basics**
 - **Objective:** Introduce older kids to simple machine sewing with supervision.
 - **Skills Covered:** Operating a sewing machine, sewing straight lines, and following patterns.
 - **Projects:** Pillowcases, tote bags, and simple clothing accessories.
 - **Level 3: Creative Sewing Projects**
 - **Objective:** Let kids design and complete projects with more creative freedom.
 - **Skills Covered:** Choosing fabrics, combining materials, and decorating.
 - **Projects:** Personalized pillows, custom bags, and small plush toys.
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Knitting

In Knitting, kids learn the basics of creating fabric with yarn, progressing from simple stitches to fun projects.

- **Level 1: Basic Knitting Stitches**
 - **Objective:** Teach kids basic stitches like casting on and knitting.
 - **Skills Covered:** Holding needles, casting on, basic knit stitch.
 - **Projects:** Small scarves, headbands, and simple wristbands.
 - **Level 2: Patterns and Color Changes**
 - **Objective:** Guide kids to create patterns and change colors in their knitting.
 - **Skills Covered:** Reading simple patterns, switching yarn colors.
 - **Projects:** Striped scarves, patterned coasters, and cozy hats.
 - **Level 3: Project-Based Knitting**
 - **Objective:** Encourage kids to design their own projects.
 - **Skills Covered:** Combining techniques, following complex patterns.
 - **Projects:** Small blankets, custom scarves, and bags.
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Origami

Origami introduces kids to paper folding, from simple shapes to intricate creations.

- **Level 1: Basic Folds and Shapes**
 - **Objective:** Teach foundational folds for simple origami figures.
 - **Skills Covered:** Folding, creasing, and following step-by-step instructions.
 - **Projects:** Paper animals, simple flowers, and basic boxes.
 - **Level 2: Intermediate Origami Projects**
 - **Objective:** Encourage more complex designs and introduce modular origami.
 - **Skills Covered:** Layering folds, creating 3D structures.
 - **Projects:** Butterflies, modular stars, and jumping frogs.
 - **Level 3: Advanced Origami Creations**
 - **Objective:** Challenge kids with intricate origami projects.
 - **Skills Covered:** Patience, precision, and complex folding techniques.
 - **Projects:** Origami flowers, dinosaurs, and elaborate animals.
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Mosaics

The Mosaics program lets kids create decorative patterns by arranging colorful materials on various surfaces.

Introduction to Mosaics

- **Objective:** Teach kids to create patterns with colorful tiles and glue.
- **Skills Covered:** Simple tile placement and pattern-making.

