# Berrien Springs Partnership Lab Syllabus and Instructor Qualifications

LABS (CLASSES) ARE PROVIDED AS AN EDUCATIONAL SOURCE FOR PBL (PROJECT-BASED LEARNING)

**COMMUNITY CLASS TITLE: Pastel** 

**GRADE OR AGE LEVELS:** 6 -11

FORMAT: Maximum students 9 IN-PERSON

DAY AND TIME OF THE WEEK: Monday 4-6 p.m. LOCATION (address): 606 Lynn Dr.,

Berrien Springs, MI 49103Please Park along the road.

PRIMARY INSTRUCTOR: Elena Shabrova

CONTACT INFORMATION: Phone: +1(541)8416770

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ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION AT SITE REQUIRED? YES **NO** IF YES, INSTRUCTIONS FOR REGISTRATION:

INSTRUCTOR QUALIFICATIONS (may attach a separate page if necessary): Pastel certificates.

COURSE DESCRIPTION (OVERVIEW): Welcome beginner and experienced artists! Mrs.

Shabrova will guide you in learning the exciting and creative pastel art. Beginners students will be able to create their first paintings, and experienced artists will improve their skills and add professionalism to their work. Projects will be appropriate experience and age-appropriate.

## SYLLABUS/OUTLINE: WEEKLY BREAKDOWN OF PROJECT-BASED LEARNING LAB ACTIVITIES

Describe activities that will reinforce the lesson. Include any work and time to be required outside of class:

#### Course Outline

### Group: pastel; ages 6-11

Week 1 Winter landscape.

Week 2 Goldfish.

Week 3 The car in perspective.

Week 4 The Castle in Perspective Part 1.

Week 5 The Castle in Perspective part 2.

Week 6 The lighthouse.

Week 7 The bullfinches on a branch.

Week 8 The night winter landscape.

\*Lessons may differ from the plan because I adapt to the group.

#### Materials needed:

- Soft pastel pencils
- paper towel
- paper for pastel A3
- eraser
- pastel sticks
- vet wipes
- kitchen towel

### **Notes**

- Bring shoes with clean bottoms to change into before class.
- · Wear clothes that can be stained as accidents do happen.
- Projects will be stored in the studio until the last day of class.

## **COURSE OBJECTIVES AND APPROXIMATE TARGET DATES:**

Steps to check for student understanding, along with dates or # of weeks into class: Course begins 01/13/2025. The goal of the course is to learn how to work with pastels and create a series of paintings.

STUDENT ASSESSMENT - what will be used to evaluate student progress and/or end-of-semester pass/fail status?

- 1) Student agrees to attend at least 80% of class sessions/lessons offered. Attendance is kept online and tracked by Partnership staff. Failure to meet 80% or be on track to meet 80% may result in program discontinuation.
- 2) The Partnership Student Assessment or Performance Form is filled out by the teacher and turned in to the Partnership staff. The link to this form is found on the web page for this class. Failing marks for lack of participation, behavior issues, practice time, etc., may result in program discontinuation.

**Class-specific assessment:** discuss and include the form or a link to the form that you use.

# ADDITIONAL RESOURCES (online, books, video, etc.):

https://www.sophieploeg.com/blog/basic-pastel-painting-techniques-for-beginners/

# CLASS POLICIES: ATTENDANCE, BEHAVIOR, WEATHER, ETC.

#### **Attendance:**

Make arrangements ahead of time if possible. If not, please text before class starts. Student must attend 80% of this class to remain in good standing with the BSPP.

#### Weather:

If the teacher is canceling class, an email and/or a text message will be sent no later than two hours before a class is scheduled to meet. This message will go to the email and phone number on file with the BSPP. This information will be sent with the BSPP mass email and text software; therefore, you will not reach anyone by calling or texting that number. You must use Mrs. Shabrova's information listed above to contact her.

### Other:

- Please plan to bring your child 5 minutes before class starts and pick up your child promptly at the end of class.
- Parents are welcome at drop off and pick up times. Special arrangements must be made to stay during class time.
- Park on the side of the driveway. This allows everyone to come and go as needed.
- A class fee is charged if the class is dropped before count day.