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JAPANESE CULTURE WORKSHOPS & OFFERINGS



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EXCURSIONS AND OFFERINGS

Our Japanese Culture excursion and workshop offerings outlined in this booklet are designed to be integrated into Half or Full Day Art Centre visit. These offerings have been produced in consultation with Campbelltown Arts Centre's Japanese facilitator Miki Orlandini to immerse students in aspects of Japanese Culture.

HALF DAY VISIT

Tour of Japanese garden and 1 x practical workshop

Ages: K – 12

Duration: 3 hours (including a break time)

Cost: \$16 per student

(minimum of 20 students – group fee of \$320 for less than 20 students)

Numbers: Groups of up to 25 students (maximum 3 groups per visit)

FULL DAY VISIT

Tour of Japanese garden and 2 x practical workshops (or 1 x extended practical workshop)

Ages: K – 12

Duration: 5 hours (including 1 extended or two shorter break times)

Cost: \$21 per student

(minimum of 20 students – group fee of \$420 for less than 20 students)

Numbers: Groups of up to 25 students (maximum 3 groups per visit)

Options

These workshops can be combined with exhibition tour and/or visual arts workshops upon request. Please speak to us if you require a shorter excursion, able to be programmed at a reduced cost.



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TOUR OF THE JAPANESE GARDEN

All Japanese Culture excursion bookings include a tour of the beautiful Japanese Gardens at Campbelltown Arts Centre by one of our friendly C-A-C Educators.

Students will visit key features such as the tea house, zen garden, and koi fishpond. Throughout the tour, students will learn about traditional Japanese garden design and construction as well as gain an understanding of the influence of Shinto philosophies in the design and symbolic elements.

To conclude the tour, students will have the chance to engage in a short sketching session, capturing their experiences and observations.

Ages: K-12

Duration: 45 mins - 1hr



EXTENDED DRAWING IN THE GARDEN

Students will explore the Japanese Garden, spending time sketching the koi fish, nature and structures within it.

Led by our experienced C-A-C Educators, this activity is perfect for students wanting to have extended drawing time in the tranquil Japanese Garden - allowing time to focus on particular aspects of the garden in detail and try timed drawing exercises. Students will work in a range of drawing media including pencil, charcoal, ink and pastels and explore different mark making techniques to capture this beautiful setting.

This activity can be tailored for Primary & Secondary students to suit the abilities, skill level and interests.

Ages: Years 2-12

Duration: 30 mins - 1.5hr

CALLIGRAPHY

Students will work with C-A-C Japanese facilitators to learn about the art of calligraphy, discovering traditional techniques for creating Japanese characters and gaining insights into the historical and cultural significance of this practice.

Guided by our experienced instructors, students will have the opportunity to practice these techniques and produce their own unique calligraphic works. By the end of the workshop, they will have a deeper appreciation for the artistry and tradition of Japanese calligraphy.



Ages: Years 3 - 12

Duration: 1hr

TEA CEREMONY

Students will be guided by one of C-A-C's Japanese facilitators in the demonstration of a Japanese tea ceremony.

This immersive experience will introduce students to traditional Japanese culture, with a focus on early Japanese history, particularly the Shogunate (Samurai) periods when many traditional arts, including the tea ceremony, were established. Students will also learn about the essential utensils and procedures involved in the ceremony.

The program touches on the significance of tea houses for the ceremony, as well as the religious beliefs (Shintoism and Buddhism) which inform the philosophy of Japanese arts.

Ages: Years 3-12

Duration: 1hr



CERAMIC KOI FISH

Students will engage in a hands-on ceramics workshop, drawing inspiration from the Japanese Gardens & Koi fish.

This workshop can be adapted to suit the skill levels of Primary and Secondary students.

Students will work with and experienced C-A-C ceramists to create their own Koi fish or Koi fish in a pond, practicing clay hand building techniques to craft their own take home ceramic piece.



Ages: K-6

Duration: 1hr

CERAMIC MYTHICAL CREATURES

Inspired by tales of Japanese mythical creatures, students will design their own imaginative beings that could inhabit the Japanese Gardens.

They will focus on drawing their creature's design, considering its physical attributes and how to adapt it for clay construction.

This workshop and the complexity of hand building methods being used can be adapted to suit both Primary and Secondary students.

Guided by skilled C-A-C ceramists, students will sculpt their creations and experiment with tools to add unique surface patterns and textures.



Ages: K-8

Duration: 2 - 2.5 hrs

KOI FISH PUPPETS

Taking inspiration from the Japanese Gardens and koi fish, students will be guided through an art making activity using mixed media to create Koi fish puppets and learn interesting facts about these beautiful fish.

During the workshop, students will explore different colours and pattern varieties of the koi fish and work with a fun array of craft materials, coloured pencils and markers to decorating their koi fish template.

Once coloured-in, students will add beautiful embellishments including sequins, patterned paper, stickers and ribbons to attach to their fish. Students will finish their puppet by attaching the straw puppeteering sticks to make their fish come alive!

Ages: K-8

Duration: 1hr



WATERCOLOUR KOI FISH

Drawing inspiration from the stunning koi fish found in the Japanese Gardens, students will have the opportunity to create their own watercolor paintings, exploring a variety of techniques to develop unique patterns and textures.

This engaging workshop is designed for students in grades K-12, both Primary and Secondary.

Under the guidance of a C-A-C Artist Educator, students will learn to infuse their artwork with the vibrant colours and enchanting forms of koi fish and their serene pond environment.

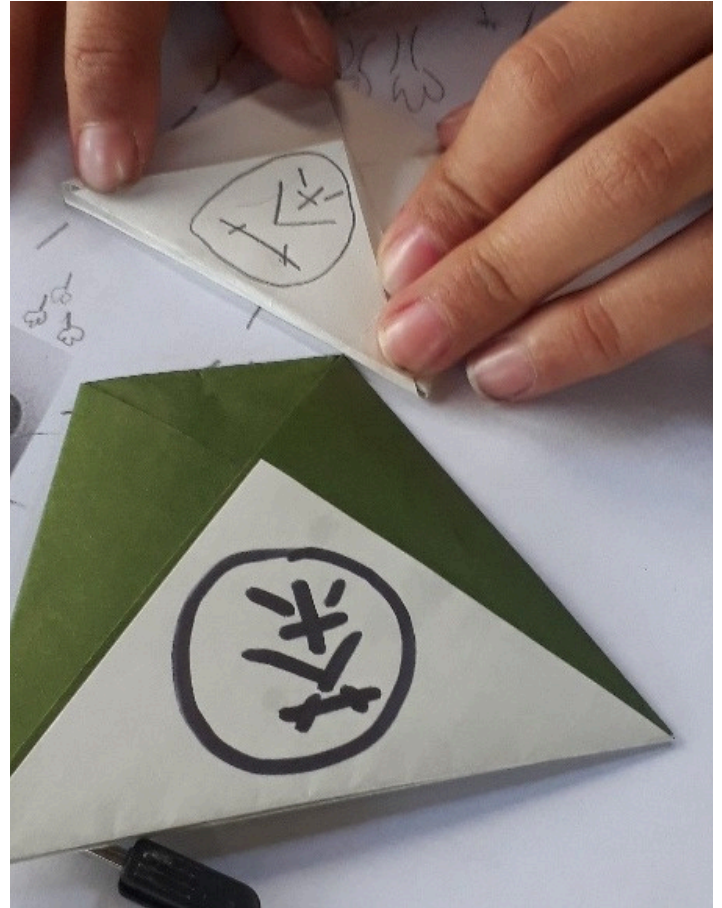
Ages: K-12

Duration: 1 hrs

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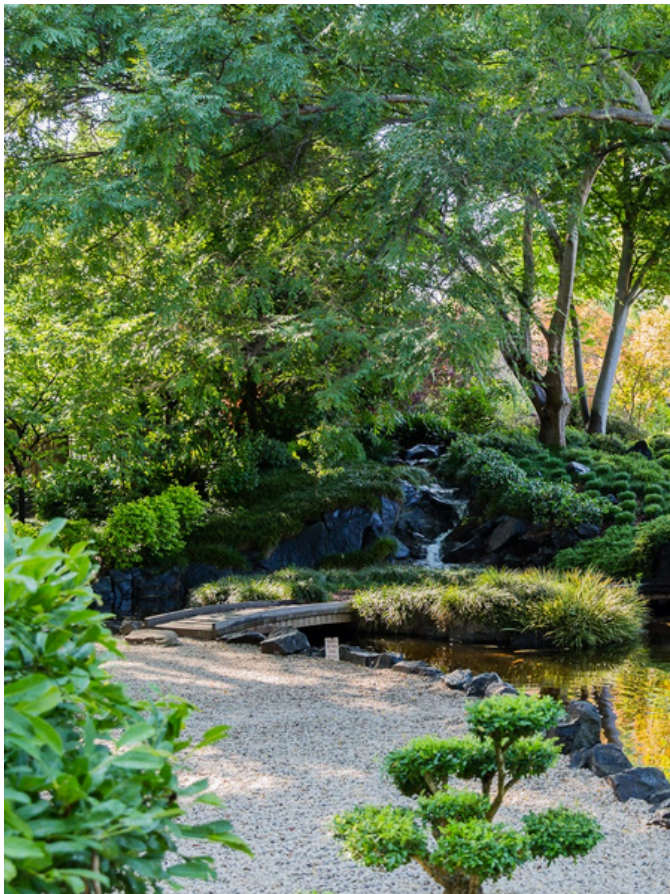
Students will explore the art of Japanese paper folding (origami) and learn how beautifully patterned coloured paper can be transformed into an array of 3D sculptures.

The workshop includes a brief history of origami, highlighting its cultural significance in Japan. Guided by our skilled educators, students will follow step-by-step instructions to create their own origami pieces, from simple designs to more complex figures. This hands-on experience will enhance their creativity, patience, and fine motor skills while providing a deeper appreciation for Japanese culture and art.



Ages: Years 3 - 10

Duration: 1hr



PHOTOGRAPHY IN THE GARDENS

Students will get inspired in the Japanese Garden, looking at it through a different lens - their camera! Participants will be guided by C-A-C facilitators as they explore the Japanese Garden and learn about the art of capturing the beauty of nature through photography.


Students will experiment and play with different camera techniques including: angles, lighting, depth of field and composition. This option can be tailored depending on the ability, experience and skill level of students. Students can either bring their own camera, use a school supplied camera, or use the C-A-C iPads. This workshop can also be adapted for phone photography.

Ages: Years 4-12

Duration: 1-2hr







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