

## ART PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN, TEENS, AND YOUNG ADULTS WITH AUTISM 2018 - 2019

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### **Creative Expeditions**

**A program for children (Ages 5-12 years) with Autism & their families**

**Program Dates: Saturdays (10:00 – 11:15)**

**October 13, 27/November 17 /Dec 8/March 30/April 13/May 11, 25/June 8,15**

Families will engage in fun interactive gallery experiences that provide opportunities for everyone to look at and talk about art in a group setting followed by hands on art making activities that encourage experimentation with new materials, processes and creative play. This program gives families a chance to witness their child experience success in a welcoming and creative learning environment. Throughout the course of this program parents and caregivers will gain skills in behavioral methods that they can employ when bringing their child into a community setting.

### **Art Compass**

**Building Social and Vocational Skills for Teens and Young Adults with Autism**

**Teens and Young Adults Ages 13 -21 /Program Dates: Tuesdays (4:00-5:15)**

**October 16, 30/November 13 /December 4/April 2, 16/ May 7, 21/June 4, 11**

During this workshop series, participants will receive hands on training in basic artistic processes that can be translated into practical job skills. Inspired by current exhibitions in the galleries at Nassau County Museum of Art and the Manes Center, these workshops encourage students to explore different approaches to art making and design.

**Program fee is \$300.00 for 10 classes.** Both programs take place at The Manes Family Art & Education Center (the first building on the left as you enter the museum grounds).

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