

# Books & Learning

## EXPLORE THE ARTS!

*Recommended for Ages 7 - 12*

Finding yourself with more time on your hands than usual and looking for ways to fill it? Learning a new form of art or delving into a creative project can be a great way to enrich minds of all ages.

### **Books**

[\*Great Art in 30 Seconds\*](#) by Wesley Robins

[\*Linus the Little Yellow Pencil\*](#) by Scott Magoon

[\*Kid Artists: True Tales of Childhood from Creative Legends\*](#) by David Stabler

### **Free Online Courses**

*Drawing for the Absolute Beginner*

[education.gale.com/l-down54663/online-courses/drawing-for-absolute-beginner?tab=detail](https://education.gale.com/l-down54663/online-courses/drawing-for-absolute-beginner?tab=detail)

This class will teach you the basics of drawing and the best ways to get started.

### **Useful Websites**

*Deep Space Sparkle*

[www.deepspacesparkle.com](http://www.deepspacesparkle.com)

This website offers step-by-step instructions on how to create art with children.

*Art for Kids Hub*

[www.youtube.com/user/ArtforKidsHub](https://www.youtube.com/user/ArtforKidsHub)

Easy to follow lessons that are perfect for any age and require minimal supplies.

### **Kids' Art Activities**

*Norton Simon Museum*

<https://www.nortonsimon.org/learn/schools-and-teachers/teacher-resources/>

Museum resource for free art, art history, and art project ideas.