



PRISM ARTS

Art without barriers



Who we are

- For over 35 years Prism Arts has been developing and delivering arts projects which are accessible to everyone. We are based in Carlisle but works throughout Cumbria.
- Our vision is a society where everyone can create, access, engage, experience, and participate in excellent arts practice irrespective of age, finance, ability or health.
- Prism Arts' mission is to deliver arts programmes that empower people with disabilities to drive their own creative journey and develop as artists, leaders and advocates for change.

Our Goal

Our goal is to develop and create diverse artists, who discover their voice and then develop the confidence to use it. We believe in progression and development of all our people through the arts.



E.H.C.P. PROJECT WITH JAMES RENNIE SCHOOL.



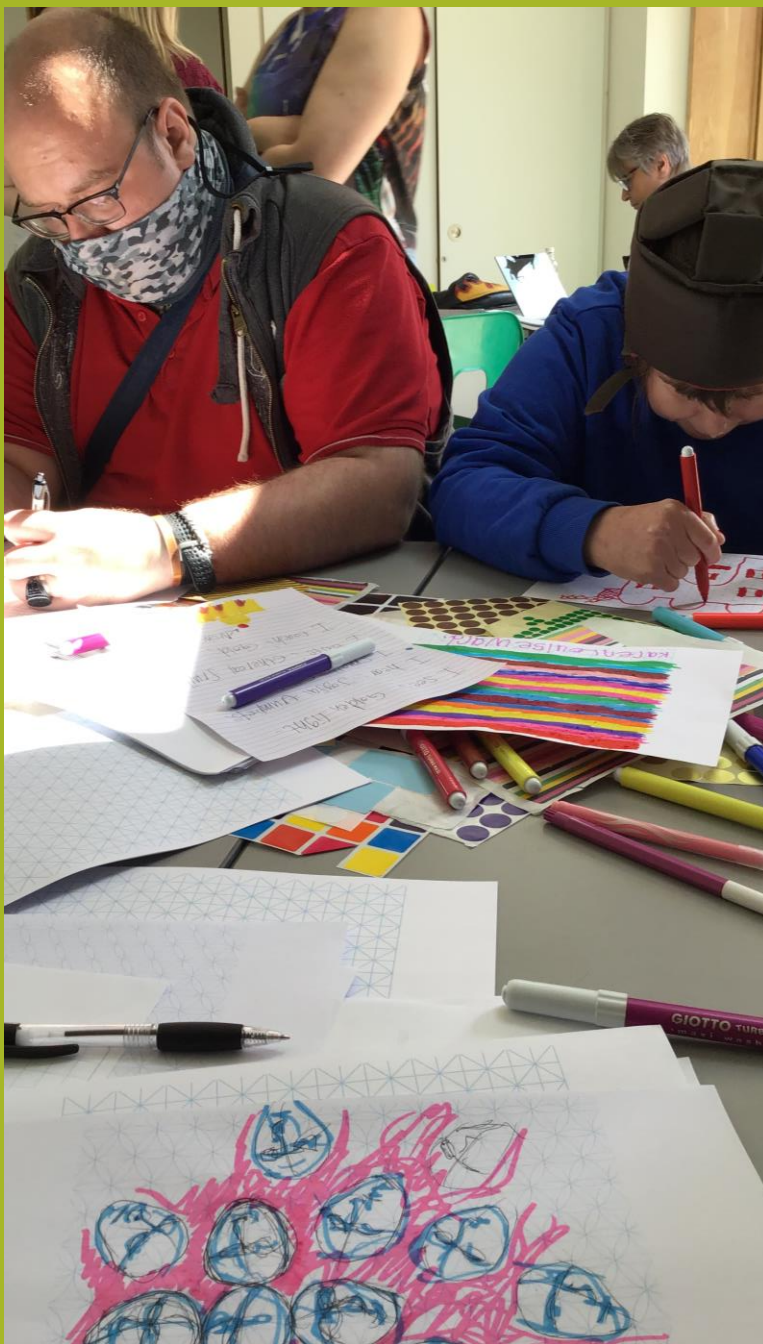
What we've done so far..

- This session is for post 16 students and runs Thursday morning 9.30am - 11.30am
- This session gives you the opportunity to:
 - Explore a variety of different art forms that may not be included in school curriculum
 - Work with professional artists
 - Exhibit your artwork
 - Allows you to explore who you are as an individual
 - Develop creative practice
 - Develop imagination - with the aim of applying this to future aspirations
- The programme is participant led; each person is given the opportunity to direct their own learning



STUDIO ARTS

- Studio Arts is our fine arts programme for adults with learning disabilities and/or autism which runs once a week, on Mondays from 9.30am-3.30pm throughout the academic year
- Joining Studio Arts gives you the opportunity to:
 - Create art
 - Learn new skills
 - Work with professional artists
 - Meet new people
 - Exhibit your artwork.
- Weekly workshops take a multi art form approach
- The programme is participant led; each person is given the opportunity to direct their own learning



STUDIO FOCUS

- Studio Focus is our applied arts programme for adults with learning disabilities and/or autism which runs once a week, on Thursdays, 9.30am-3.30pm throughout the academic year.
- Joining Studio Focus gives you the opportunity:
 - to create art
 - learn new skills
 - Work with professional artists
 - meet new people
 - exhibit your artwork.
- The programme is participant led; each person is given the opportunity to direct their own learning



STUDIO THEATRE

- Studio Theatre is a course for adults with learning disabilities and/or autism which runs once a week, on Fridays from 9.30am -3.30pm, throughout the academic year.
- Joining Studio Theatre gives you the opportunity to:
 - Perform
 - Create your own stories
 - Learn new skills
 - Work with professional artists
 - Meet new people

OTHER PROJECTS



Dove Cottage Exhibition
At Wordsworth Museum June 22



Picture of Me Launch Evening
At Prism Arts June 22



Harvey Tye - Solo Exhibition
At Carlisle Cathedral Nov. 2022



Rest Under the Stars - Carlisle
Cathedral - Summer 2022

Testimonials



I love to come to Prism Arts and I'm proud of how far I've come with my artwork. I have made lots of new friends and have loads of support and encouragement to help me do my artwork independently while being patient and understanding. - Prism Artist

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"Prism Arts has given him the platform to extend his skills and ability into other areas that he had previously never experienced. It has made him more confident to speak out and communicate with others in a group..." - Artists Parents



Testimonials



"Prism Arts has been life-changing for Emma. I have seen massive changes in Emma since being at Prism Arts. But most important changes have been in the growth in her self-confidence, the pride she takes in the work she produces and her ability to make choices." - Parent of Prism Artist, Emma

OUR OFFER

From September 2023 we're hoping to have a new session running. Which will be a Youth Arts session. This means there will be an opportunity to try out lots of different art forms; painting, print making, dance along with others.

When: Tuesday from 9.30am-3.30pm

Where: Central Methodist Hall, Carlisle

Cost: £52 per full day -1/2 day options available

How to sign up:

- Pop your name and contact details on our sign- up form
- Email office@prismarts.org.uk
- Phone 01228 587691

OVER TO YOU!

IS THERE ANYTHING YOU WANT TO ASK?

"Prism Arts is a great asset
for all the disabled students
in Cumbria." - Artist's Parent