

# ArtSeed Fine Arts Summer Intensive 2025



This in-person fine arts summer camp is led by experienced teaching artists and distinguished guest presenters. It gives highly motivated children, and youth, opportunities to learn both experimental and traditional fine arts skills, showcased in a public exhibition. They will also be invited to ask questions, and express concerns over current events affecting their communities. We will explore artists who have made history or who have shed light on controversial topics that youngsters may also choose to explore through writing and a sampling of visual arts media such as watercolor, graphite, and ink. Our keystone collaboration includes album jackets illustrations for a record: John Ashbery's epic poem, "Self-portrait in a Convex Mirror."

## **Schedule:**

Monday – Friday, July 7 – 11, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. Fine Arts Camp  
Saturday, July 12, 3 p.m. – 5 p.m. Presidio Exhibition Reception

**Six students ages 8 to 18, after parent/guardian interviews.**

- Teaching and presenting artists, volunteers, and optional parent participants provide a high adult-to-youth ratio.
- Field trips to museums, galleries, and/or artist studios.
- Scholarships and supplies available to those in need.
- Fun portfolio building and collaborative exhibitions at Tides Converge galleries in the Presidio of San Francisco.

## **Fine Arts Camp and related Exhibition Location:**

**Tides Converge Galleries** and ArtSeed's Presidio Workspaces,  
1007 General Kennedy Ave, Suites 206 & 210, SF, CA 94129

- **Exhibition, *About Face: Navigating the Dualities of Disruption***
- **Opening Reception Saturday, July 12, 3 pm – 5 pm**
- **Closing Reception, Wednesday, September 24, 5 pm – 7 pm**

**To Find Out How to Get Involved:** just click the "Volunteer" icon at top of our homepage at: <http://www.artseed.org> or contact: josefa@artseed.org, 415-656-9849 for more information, to set up an interview, or to receive our **Summer Intensive Registration Form**.

**Participant Profile/Waiver Forms** can be filled out and emailed to josefa@artseed.org or mailed with your **tuition check** (\$500 includes supplies), or **scholarship request, or teaching artist/volunteer resume** to: ArtSeed, P.O. Box 29277, San Francisco, CA 94129

Applicants preferring online transactions can use PayPal for ArtSeed's sliding scale tuition. To **sponsor a scholarship**, please indicate "Summer Camp" in the dedication section of your ArtSeed donation after clicking our **Donate** icon at top of our homepage at: [www.artseed.org](http://www.artseed.org).

ArtSeed's mission is to connect the most resourceful and gifted with the youngest and most vulnerable citizens of the Bay Area and beyond through projects that explore links between classical and cutting-edge fine arts disciplines.

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