



Introduction to Gel Printing Adults 50+



PROGRAM: Introduction to Gel Printing is a four-week course that meets 2 hours per class for a total of 8 hours.

Week One: Introduction to Printmaking. Show examples of what Gel printing can look like. Print six or more papers, some with acrylic paint and just water, others with paint, stencils or combs/forks etc. Add layers to original color using stencils or other methods.

Week Two: Cut papers to make note cards. Assemble note cards. Practice anagram of initials to sign each print. Place cards in plastic sleeves.

Week Three: Print papers for two journals or use prints from week two or three. Assemble journals.

Week Four: Finish journals, paint with gel glass. Dry. The instructor will provide plastic sleeves. Choose one print to frame. Sign with an anagram. Instructor will demonstrate how to glue and place print under mat. Framing elevates any picture!

Art Show at end of class: Stop by for a cookie and punch and admire the wonders of creating abstract art and the gel printing experience.

INSTRUCTOR: Leslie Metzger's goal is to empower students and teach them about the joy of "process" which is why we make art in the first place. Her students will benefit from her personal experience as a late bloomer in the art field. She is able to demystify art supplies from gum erasers to techniques to color and mostly to let go and take chances.

SUPPLIES: All materials are supplied by the instructor.

REGISTRATION: Registration is open to all age 50+ and over on a first-come, first-served basis. Registrations are accepted at the Exeter Recreation Office during our business hours, online, mail or by phone. Payment must be made at the time of registration. Late registrations are on a first-come, first-bases pending availability. Class size minimum is 4 students, maximum 8 students.

FEES: Free for residents or \$5 for non-residents. Please make check payable to E.P.R.D. Visa, MasterCard, Discover and Apple Pay also accepted. Cash is accepted at our registration office as well. Sorry, no refunds unless the program is cancelled or a doctor's note saying you cannot participate in the program. There is a \$20 fee for each returned check.

Tuesdays, April 15 – May 6, 2025		
Time	Resident Fee	Non-Resident Fee
1:00-3:00pm	\$0.00	\$10.00

LOCATION: The program will be held at the Parks & Recreation building in the downstairs room at 32 Court Street, Exeter NH.

DEADLINE: The deadline to register for this program is April 11, 2025 or once the program is full.

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