The Autumn 2019 Adult Education Programme at the Sharjah Art Institute offers courses focusing on different aspects of modern art practices. Running from 22 September to 28 November, all courses take place at the Sharjah Art Institute, Arts Square. The programme is designed for participants aged 16 and older.

To register please send an email to institute@sharjahart.org or phone: 06 568 8800.

**Ceramic Course - Level I: Beginner**
22 September to 27 November
Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
9:00 am - 2:00 pm

This course is a link between the fine arts and the applied arts. Participants will learn about some of the different ways to produce ceramics, whether with clay ropes, clay slabs or a combination of both, additionally by the electric weal.

Learning outcomes: They will develop an understanding of how to build a ceramic shape.

**Print Making Course - Level I: Beginner**
22 September to 28 November
Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday
2:30 pm 7:30 pm

This course is introduction to the world of engraving, printing and graphic design and methods. Participants will learn the basics for analysing two-dimensional surfaces through a study of symbols, lines, visual vocabulary, geometric shapes and the design of surfaces. They will also produce artistic engraving and printing works according to aesthetic values.

In addition, they will develop an understanding of various gradations (e.g. from white to black, through different shades of gray), methods of distribution in the art work.

Learning outcome: They will learn the basics of engraving and printing by analysing work surfaces and produce a work with multiple gradations.

**Sculpting Course - Level I: Beginner**
22 September to 27 November
Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
2:30 pm 7:30 pm

This course is a general introduction to the world of sculpting, sculptures and three-dimensional shapes. Participants will gain an understanding of the foundations of sculpture, different moulds, different materials such as clay and gypsum, processing by hand and the relationship between mass and space.

Learning outcome: They will learn the basic materials used in sculpture and how to develop a sculpture from a geometric shapes.
Painting and Drawing Course - Level I: Beginner
23 September to 28 November
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
9:00 am - 2:00 pm
Or
2:30 pm - 7:30 pm

This course is a first step to the world of art and design. Participants will develop an understanding of the main elements in a work of art, from lines, shapes and composition to shadow and light, colour values, shading and surface texture. They will also be trained in the correct use of different pencils, erasers and paste through still life paintings.

Learning outcomes: Participants will learn how to use develop their skills in using pencil for drawing and the main elements of drawing.