

# Early Learning Programme

25 September – 25 December 2023



Engage your children's creativity, and develop their artistic and sensory skills in the Early Learning Programme for Children aged 3 to 5 can enjoy an array of workshops and activities, often, and spend quality time with parents and caregivers as they connect with artists and learn a range of art skills.

Offered in English and/or Arabic, depending on participant needs, workshops take place at The Flying Saucer, Sharjah, on the last Monday of the month throughout the year. Please note that all children must be accompanied by an adult.

Sessions are free, and materials are provided by the Foundation. To find out more, please email [shefa@sharjahart.org](mailto:shefa@sharjahart.org), or call (06) 568 5050.

Sharjah Art Foundation is committed to making its programmes inclusive and accessible. Disability symbols are included with all session descriptions.

## Key to symbols



**Autism  
Spectrum  
Disorder**



**Attention  
Deficit  
Hyperactive  
Disorder**



**Physical  
Disability**



**Hearing  
Impairment**



**Visual  
Impairment**



**Intellectual  
Disability**



**Specific  
Learning  
Disorder**

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### WORKSHOPS

#### Play the Parachute Game

Ages 3–4 (accompanied by an adult)

Date: Monday, 25 September 2023

Timings: 11:00 am–12:30 pm

Location: The Flying Saucer, Sharjah

Languages: English and Arabic



Cheer on your young ones as they play an exciting game using a parachute and coloured balls. This activity will encourage children to cooperate and reinforce turn-taking and sharing. Your children will see physical activity as fun.

#### Make a Puppet

Ages 3–5 (accompanied by an adult)

Date: Monday, 30 October 2023

Timings: 11:00 am–12:30 pm

Location: The Flying Saucer, Sharjah

Languages: English and Arabic



Join your children as they experiment with shapes and patterns to make puppets of themselves from materials such as wool and buttons. The children will learn simple sewing techniques and improve their eye-mind coordination.

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### Explore Texture

Ages 4–5 (accompanied by an adult)

Date: Monday, 27 November 2023

Timings: 11:00 am–12:30 pm

Location: The Flying Saucer, Sharjah

Languages: English and Arabic



Enjoy exploring a variety of textures with your children, and encourage them to express their feelings about each one. They will develop their sensory awareness as they encounter and react to materials such as water, stones, feathers and more.

### Make Music Together

Ages 3–4 (accompanied by an adult)

Date: Monday, 25 December 2023

Timings: 11:00 am–12:30 pm

Location: The Flying Saucer, Sharjah

Languages: English and Arabic



Listening to music is fun, but what about making your own music? Your little ones will use objects such as wooden spoons and metal bowls to create their own musical compositions and then share their sounds with others. These activities will help them enhance their fine motor and listening skills.