

The Young@Art area will provide young artists, from toddlers to high school, the opportunity to experience and create art with a variety of different mediums and styles.

Join us in creating a giant 6-foot paint-by-number! Each year, the community comes together to create a painting that goes on display in the Carmel community. This year will feature an engine and gear theme, which will be put in the new polytechnic/automotive building recently finished at Carmel High School.



Learn how to create your own stuffed animals and plushies! Carmel High School art teacher Chris Kuhne, along with the CHS Fiber Arts Club, doing demonstrations on the basics of creating your own plushie. With these skills, you'll be able to create your very own banana plushie to take home with you!



Discover the intricacies of stamp making! Students from Carmel High School's National Arts Honor Society will be on site doing demonstrations on how to use linoleum to create your very own stamp. There will be a variety of stencils available, and visitors will be able to create and take home their stamp creation.

Learn how pottery vessels are created -Young@Art will have live pottery wheel throwing demonstrations throughout both days of the festival. Watch professional artists and educators demonstrating how different shapes and forms can be created from clay.

For those interested in showing off their art skills, or just wanting to get their hands on a variety of art-making materials, Young@Art will be having its first Minumentals Art Competition. With only a 1-word theme (which will be revealed at the festival!), artists will be able to create a 1-inch x 1-inch work of art. These small but incredible works will then be put on display and judged by the Carmel Arts Council. Awards will be given for the top 3 designs!

We look forward to seeing all our young artists ready to experience and create incredible artworks at the festival!