



# GORDON SCHOOL OF ART

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FALL 2015-16

## Dear Students and Parents:

Welcome to the first quarter of the 2015-16 school year. **Classes are held at 2201 South Oneida St.** in the former Heid Music building (Now Ski's Meat Market) on the corner of Oneida and Marvelle, two blocks south of the Packer practice field. Enter the building on the Marvelle (north) side. (The Gordon School of Art logo is on the window next to the door.) Follow the hallway (there are four turns) to the classroom. It is off the general purpose room. Check the Parent/Student Handbook on the web site for more information on the courses, make-up policies etc. I also have copies in class.

**NOTE: Tuition Increase** (See GSA NEWS below) Tuition for this quarter is **\$135 per student** payable the first class. (Books and supply packets for new students are \$50 and books for students moving to higher levels are \$40.)

**NOTE THE TIME CHANGES.** There will no longer be a half hour interval between classes. The 4PM students will start getting their things together at 5:25. **NOTE: a limited number of "private" lessons are now available:** Call or email to sign up. See the private lesson schedule below.

### CLASS DAYS AND TIMES

Classes meet once a week for 8 weeks.

<b>Tuesdays</b>	<b>4:00 – 5:30 PM</b>
	<b>5:30 – 7:00 PM</b>
<b>Thursdays</b>	<b>5:30 – 7:00 PM</b>

### 2015-16 FALL CLASS DATES

	<u>Tues.</u>	<u>Thur.</u>
Week no.		
1	Sept. 15	Sept. 17
2	Sept. 22	Sept. 24
3	Sept. 29	Oct. 1
4	Oct. 6	Oct. 8
5	Oct. 13	Oct. 15
6	Oct. 20	Oct. 22
7	Oct. 27	Oct. 29
8	Nov. 3	Nov. 5

### **GSA NEWS:**

#### A new individualized class management system for the fall

Starting this quarter, students will have their own preset learning sequence sheet to guide them through each lesson. That sequence includes draw-along drills, worksheets and drawing projects. The instruction for these assignments are provided via laptop computers. There will be 10 of them available in the classroom, none with an internet connection.

**Students should keep a set of earbuds in their supply pouch and be sure to bring them to class each week.** (I will have some for sale in the studio for around \$3 to \$5 ea.)

#### Tuition Increase

Because of the new laptop purchase and the maintenance they will require, there will be a \$15 per student increase in tuition starting in the fall. (**\$135 per student** per eight-week quarter.)

#### A note to the oil painters:

Please let me know which of the following Saturday afternoons you would have open in September for a landscape painting session at my place: the 5th, the 19th, and the 26.<sup>th</sup>

**Portrait Drawing and Painting Sessions** are held at Mason Manor on Thursdays from 2 to 5 PM and are open to anyone. \$5 model fee.

### **FALL PRIVATE LESSON SCHEDULE**

The following half hour time slots are available for private lessons for children and adults this fall from September 15<sup>th</sup> through November 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Teacher: John Gordon**

**Tuition: \$35 for 1 student, \$50 for two**  
(Payable in 4 week blocks)

<b>Tues. PM</b>	<b>Thur. PM</b>
2 to 2:30	1:30 to 2
2:30 to 3	

Have a great Fall!