

GRAFFITI ART CLASS



A Program of the Southern California Library
Application Due May 31, 2008

About You

Name: _____ Date of Application: _____

School (if applicable): _____ Grade: _____

Age: _____ Gender: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Do you check this email often? Yes No

Myspace username (optional): _____

Are you enrolled in high school? Yes No

If not, please explain why:

Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____

Emergency phone: _____

Please tell us about yourself:

*If you have a resume, please feel free to attach it to this application

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Reflection

How long have you lived in Los Angeles?

What do you like and dislike about where you live?

What is your reaction when you see graffiti in your community?

Why would you like to learn about your community, art, and the history of graffiti?

Availability

Are you available every Wednesday and Thursday from 4:00-6:30 p.m. from June 11 to August 16?

Yes No

Do you have any other commitments (sports, clubs, jobs, babysitting, etc)?

Yes No

If yes, please list your commitments and specify times and days of the week:

How did you hear about the Graffiti Art Class?

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Supplemental Materials

Please attach a one page sample of any writing you have done (poetry, rap, short essay, short story, etc.).

Please attach a sample of artwork you have done (drawing, painting, photos you have taken, etc.).

*The material you provide is meant to help you tap into your creativity in preparation for the class and help us get to know you better

*Ask **Raquel** if you have any questions:
323-759-6063 x10, raquelcahvez13@gmail.com

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Participant Commitment and Parent/Guardian Consent Form

The Graffiti Art Class will take place over a period of 10 weeks, from June 11 to August 16, 2008. Participants will meet as a class every Wednesday and Thursday, from 4–6:30pm at the Southern California Library. Participants will learn about the history and current role of graffiti and public art in their community, while also having an opportunity to express themselves, explore their natural artistic abilities, and talk about issues they face to deepen their understanding of the role they play in their community. The purpose of this class is for students to build their self-esteem and pride, while learning teamwork and unity. The class will allow students to work independently to express themselves through the art of drawing and painting, as well as work together to design and produce a mural using a technique known as aerosol art. The class will culminate in an unveiling of the art the students create during the class. Upon completion of the program, participants will receive 10 high school credits, and 3 community college units from L.A. Trade Tech.

I understand that the Graffiti Art Class meets every Wednesday and Thursday from 4–6:30pm. I will make every effort to attend all sessions. If I am unable to attend, I will call the staff of the Library in advance to notify them of my absence.

Name of Participant (Print): _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

By signing below, I hereby give permission for my child to participate in the Graffiti Art Class. I give authorization for any necessary medical care to be given to my child should it be needed. I release the Southern California Library and its staff from any liabilities from my child's participation. I understand the class is from 6/11/08-8/16/08, every Wednesday and Thursday, from 4–6:30pm at the Southern California Library. If there are any questions and/or problems, I will notify the staff of the Library.

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

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Space is limited! Turn in your applications ASAP!

Submit your complete application to:

Southern California Library
6120 S. Vermont Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90044
323-759-6063
Fax: 323-759-2252

If you have any questions contact Raquel Chávez at 323-759-6063 ext. 10 or
email her at raquelchavez13@gmail.com

Be sure to attend the mandatory **orientation**,
Wednesday, **June 11th** from 4-6:30pm