



Dear Parent Helpers,

Thank you so much for volunteering to help in your child's Young at Art class. We value your time and are grateful to have you share the joy of art with our students. Your presence is very much needed and greatly appreciated.

In order to have an enjoyable and successful art experience, we wish to remind you of the following:

- © Do not do the artwork for the child. Your student will not be proud of his/her work if someone else has helped create it.
- © Do not write or draw in any way upon a child's art project. This is NEVER allowed.
- © You are here for all the students, not just your own. Please circulate and help other children as well; they also need your help.
- © Do not judge the Artist or child's artwork in any way.
- © Please do not "hover" over your own child. Our children love to see us in the classroom, but too much individual attention to our own kids may hinder their creativity.
- © Some children want to be left alone in the process of creating.
- © Do not over-acknowledge a child's work. Too much attention will cause self-consciousness, and the work you are praising may be imitated.
- © Honor the child above all.

Thank you for sharing in the magic of Young at Art.

Gratefully,
Your YAA Docents.

