

# Summer Classes for Kids

## Lighthouse ARTS & EDUCATION Inc.

### BUILD A TOWN!

Tuesdays 3:30pm to 4:30pm

June 18 & 25 | July 2, 9 & 16

Ages 8 to 12

\$50.00 / 5 weeks (weekly payments accepted)

A five week workshop introducing the art of planning and building a town while working on a deadline.

Children will work together to collaborate on the geology, planning, creating and finishing a floor model complete with roads, park, schools, and all the necessary businesses and homes to make their town!

**WEEK ONE:** Children will work together with teachers to plan, construct and set up a town. They will choose several children in the group to work on each project. They will plan the layout of the town, create the roads and decide where buildings will go. They will make a 'blueprint' and start thinking of a name that will be voted on by the class.

**WEEK TWO:** Time to create the businesses! Children will paint and decorate different sized blocks of wood into schools, stores, offices, etc. Each child will be assigned different tasks and will work together to make their buildings unique yet attractive to the public.

**WEEK THREE:** Create the layout of the town on a large piece of plywood. Design and creation of playgrounds, parks, and public spaces.

**WEEK FOUR:** Paint, surface and prepare the 'town' for construction – put down turf, set sidewalks, signs.

**WEEK FIVE:** Put the town together! Create a 'Welcome to' sign, and add cars and other finishing touches.

The finished project will be on display July 20 during the Bucksport Bay Festival and at Jerry's Hardware in August!

Registration deadline is TWO DAYS BEFORE the start date; **by 5:00pm on Saturday, June 15**, to allow teachers preparation time and to secure the space for the class. Payment is not due until the first class.



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Hours: Tuesday - Saturday 10:00am to 5:00pm