**Teacher Institute Day – March 1, 2024**

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| **Audience:** | Art teachers for all grade levels (elementary through high school) |
| **Title:** | Create. Yourself. @ Fine Line |
| **Description:** | In this hands on program, you will have the opportunity to explore new techniques and projects in clay, fiber, metal, paper and more. Participants leave with artistic possibilities adaptable to any age level from elementary through high school. The day will be broken into morning and afternoon sessions. This is not an online class. |
| **Location:** | Fine Line Creative Arts Center  37W570 Bolcum Road  St. Charles, IL 60175 |
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| **Time:** | 8:30 AM – 11 AM and 12:30PM – 3PM (lunch on your own off campus 11 – 12:30) |
| **Fee:** | $60 (payment is due February 1) |
| **Credit:** | 5 CPU’s |
| **Questions:** | Jodi Younglove, Fine Line Creative Arts Center  PHONE: (630) 584-9443 jodi@fineline.org |
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| **To Register:** | **e-mail** application to, [jodi@fineline.org](mailto:jodi@fineline.org) or  Mail registration and check to:  Fine Line Creative Arts Center, 37W570 Bolcum Road, St. Charles, IL 60175 |
| **Registration:** | **Begins:** November 20, 2023 **Ends:** when full |

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**March 1, 2024 Teacher Institute Day Registration Information**

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| **NAME:** | **Please indicate below your top 3 choices**  **(number 1-3) descriptions below** |
| **COUNTY (KANE/DUPAGE):** |  |
| **DISTRICT NUMBER:** | Rigid Heddle |
| **GRADE YOU INSTRUCT:** | Basket Weaving |
| **ADDRESS:** | Felted Bangle Bracelet (no handicap access)\*\* |
| **CITY/STATE/ZIP:** | Needle felting |
| **PHONE:**  **FAX:** | Book Binding |
| **EMAIL:** | Handbuilding Ceramics |
|  | Metalsmithing |
|  | Fused Glass |

**SESSION DESCRIPTIONS**

**Felted Bangle Bracelet** – Learn to weave a tube you will felt and turn into a bracelet.\*\*

**Rigid Heddle –** Learn the basics of Handweaving on a rigid heddle loom..

**Basket Weaving** – Make a simple pencil holder basket.

**Book Binding -** You will learn the basic techniques used to bind a book.

**Metalsmithing**– This class will explore some basic jewelry hand fabricating techniques.

**Handbuilding Ceramics –** Learn some basic ceramic hand building techniques you can take back to your classroom. You will need to come back to pick up your project after it has been kiln fired.

**Fused Glass –** This class will introduce you to basic fused glass techniques. You will need to come back to pick up your project after it has been kiln fired.

**Needle Felting** – Join us for an introduction to the technique of needle felting. You will make one or two fairly simple projects to take with you. This is a very fun and rewarding craft!

**\*\*This classroom is not handicap accessible. Must be able to walk-up flight of stairs.**

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 Waiver and release of liability and assumption of risk acknowledgement:

* By this instrument I hereby release the “Fine Line Creative Arts Center.” I recognize and acknowledge that courses offered by the Fine Line can be a potentially dangerous activity. I understand that courses may include damage to or destruction of personal property and serious physical injury.
* I am submitting this release, waiver of liability and assumption of risk declaration voluntarily and of my own free will.
* I have had no physical or emotional problems, nor any history thereof, which will impair my ability to participate in this event.
* I understand and EXPRESSLY ASSUME all the dangers incident to courses at Fine Line and herby RELEASE ALL CLAIMS, including but not limited to, personal injury, property damage or destruction and death, whether caused by negligence, breach of contract or otherwise, and whether for bodily injury, property damage or loss or otherwise, which I may ever have against the “Fine Line Creative Arts Center” and their employees, assistants, volunteers and any other person or entity who is a participant in or promoter of this event as well as any supplier of materials and equipment employed in connection with my participation in this event.
* I agree to assume all financial responsibility for any medical, rescue or other expenses that I may incurred or may be incurred on my behalf and agree to defend, hold harmless and indemnify the “Fine Line Creative Arts Center,” employees, assistants, volunteers and assigns for any loss or damage, including attorneys’ fees, that they may suffer should I or anyone else on my behalf pursue an action or claim that is waived or barred by this release or waiver or any other claim by or on behalf of me arising out of the activity to which this release relates.
* This waiver, release and assumption of liability shall be binding upon me, my heirs, executors and administrators.

**Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19**

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

Fine Line Creative Arts Center (“Fine Line”) has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, Fine Line cannot guarantee that you or those with you will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, being at Fine Line could increase your risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by visiting Fine Line and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, or death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at Fine Line may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, Fine Line staff, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

* I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I may experience or incur in connection with my attendance at events and/or participation in Fine Line programming and classes (“Claims”). I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless Fine Line, its staff, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of Fine Line, its staff, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any Fine Line program.

**Participant Signature: Date:**

**Print of Participant Name:**

**Address/City/State/Zip :**