



ENLIGHTEN EDUCATION TRUST VISUAL ARTS PROGRAMME

Enlighten Education Trust has a heart for Visual Arts.

We are changing the lives of budding young artists who would otherwise have very little access to self-expression and skills development in the arts... And they are blooming!

Visual Arts Classes are held in the afternoons for children from a variety of schools throughout Hermanus, including Zwelihle, Mount Pleasant and Hawston. Classes include a variety of mediums and themes and are taught by two experienced and passionate art teachers, Ashleigh Temple-Camp and Karin von Maltzahn. The children are encouraged to express themselves as well as learning a variety of art skills. The environment at Enlighten is one of acceptance of self and the differences of others and the art class is the ideal spaces to develop this.

The art classes for young teenagers (Grade 7's) focus on 'opening the doors to creativity', giving the teens an all round experience of various forms of art. In addition to learning many artistic skills, free expression draws on the healing power of art and encourages the development of emotional awareness, intuition and imagination. Learners are presented with the possibility of working in the arts as adults. Watch this space!



Art classes for younger primary children from all over Hermanus, including Zwelihle, Mount Pleasant and Hawston take place once a week at Enlighten.

Children get the chance to explore, learn and express themselves in a variety of mediums and themes. The space is quiet and undisturbed by the outside world, allowing the children space to express their experiences through art, as well as create works that they can feel proud of, building self esteem.





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GOLD MEDAL WINNERS

OUR GRADE 7'S ARE TAKING THE GOLDS IN THE ANNUAL 'PICTURES OF THE OVERBERG' ART COMPETITION!

Participants go on to represent the Overberg in the prestigious Western Cape celebratory Gala Event in Cape Town and Stellenbosch. What an experience and opportunity!

2017 GOLD MEDAL WINNER

Asemahle Mbedla won a gold medal in the senior division (grades 7—9) for her mixed-media and collage portrait entitled :

'I Celebrate My World'.

She went on to represent the Overberg with all the other gold medal winners from around the Western Cape at a prestigious Gala evening at the Iziko National Gallery in Cape Town and her work was exhibited for the month of October in the Iziko Gallery for Children.



We celebrated as a group by visiting the Iziko National Gallery and Natural History Museum in the Company Gardens. A morning enjoyed by all!



2018 GOLD MEDAL WINNERS

Siphosethu Ntetha and Tadiwanashe Dzeng won gold medals in the senior category for their mixed-media pictures entitled:

'I am a South African Artist too' and 'Behind the Mask'.

They too went on to the celebratory gala event with their teacher Ashleigh Temple-Camp, one of their parents and headmistress, Mrs Booysen from their school Zwelihle Primary.





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VISUAL ARTS TRAINING FOR EDUCATORS



Successful and popular Training for Educators workshops take place at Enlighten Education Trust once a term in partnership with the Overberg Education Department. These cluster workshops support and encourage teachers to develop existing skills and learn new ones that they can then use in their own art classes to inspire, assist and develop the visual arts skills of their learners.

The themes and techniques comply with the National Curriculum requirements and also include additional ideas and process related information designed to stimulate imagination, inspire and assist the learners to express themselves.

The workshops are held by Ashleigh Temple-Camp from Enlighten.



ABOUT ASHLEIGH AND KARIN



Ashleigh Temple-Camp is a trained Process Art Facilitator and has been facilitating workshops and teaching art to adults and children since 2007. Art and people are her passion, therefore she focuses not only on skills and techniques but also includes the healing and transformative aspects of art. Her work includes art sessions for children with special needs. At present she is also focusing on community projects for adults and corporate workshops for team building and transformation.



Karin von Maltzahn completed a 4 year Diploma from Michaelis school of Fine Art (UCT) with a distinction in Ceramic Sculpture. She has a National Professional Diploma in Education from the University of Northwest and she is currently busy with her Advanced Certificate in Education. She has 13 years experience teaching special needs children. It is her passion in life to empower learners to realise their potential through art.