

Art Palette – 9 March

Art Lecture in the Club at 8pm on 21st March

'Crafting the Kimono' by Suzanne Perrin

This lecture is free for all members of the Club, so bring along your friends to introduce them to the joys of being a member of the art group.



Japan has perhaps the most exciting textiles of any country. Japanese textiles developed into a huge industry between early 17th and late 19th centuries. From tiny craft shops to large mechanised industries, Japanese artisans, spun, wove, dyed, painted and embroidered fine silks and other materials for an increasingly demanding and wealthy market. We explore the craftsmanship that still produces exquisite designs for private buyers, commercial ventures, shops and outlets within Japan and overseas.

Suzanne Perrin is an independent researcher and historian specializing in Japanese history, art and culture, who lectures on Arts of Asia at the V & A.



Young bull in the pastels class

Opening drinks for the Classwork Exhibition at 6pm on 27th March followed by a brief Art Group AGM

You are all invited to the opening of the Classwork Exhibition in the Reading Room, with drinks served at 6pm on Monday 27th March.

The exhibition will then be on display from 27th March to 28th April; a great way to enjoy the different mediums and styles of our students!

The Art Group AGM will follow at 6.30pm to celebrate another year of understanding, enjoying and practicing art! Come along to meet your fellow Art Group aficionados and the committee members, to ask questions or just to say thanks. I will keep it brief!

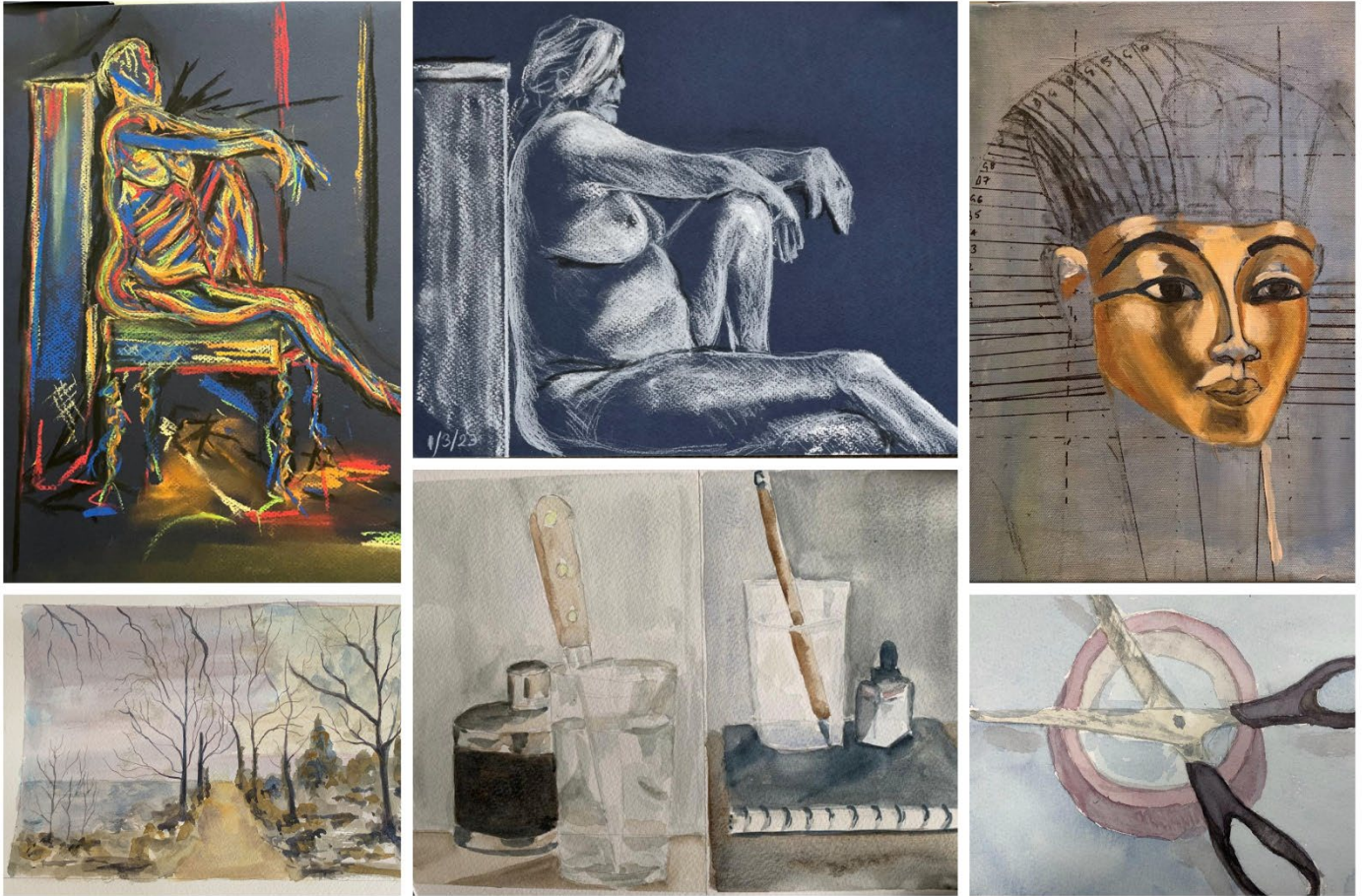
Master Classes – fully booked

Thanks to everyone who signed up so quickly for the portrait and the pastels masterclasses in the Easter holiday.

Both of the classes sold out in a day with full waiting lists. I missed out! The art group is bursting with enthusiasm!

I am sorry if you missed out. However, we will be holding these master classes again in the summer holiday. Do not do anything now. Just wait for emails nearer the time and watch this space.

Try an Art Class with Pay Per Class



Recent work by students in the art classes

If you'd like to try an art class, you can now take single lessons with 'Pay Per Class'. Book an individual 3-hour class for £23.50 - or £28 for Life Drawing – or come along to as many classes as you wish for the rest of the term, subject to availability. You'll find full details of the available classes on the Art Classes page of the Members' Website or on the poster on the Art Group noticeboard opposite Reception.

It's easy to book and pay at Reception or by calling them 020 8480 4200. Pay Per Class bookings are subject to availability and please note that it's half term week from 13th – 17th February.