

# Tyler Museum of Art's Teacher Newsletter: November 2025

#### **Exhibitions**



Making a Mark: Women in Early Texas Art

The exhibition *Making a Mark: Women in Early Texas Art* presents a collection of work made by well-known women artists who created artwork during the Early Texas Art period. The showcase features a variety of art styles, mediums, and techniques.

The exhibition is currently open, and it will close on November 30, 2025.

Information about the artwork: click here!



Assembled:
A Look at Contemporary Collage

The Assembled: A look at Contemporary Collage examines the modern collage styles of Lance Letscher, Ellen Frances Tuchman, Jerry Jeanmard, and Kelly Moran.

The exhibition is currently open, and it will close on January 4, 2026.

Information about the artwork: click here!

#### **Educational Activities and Events:**



Family Day: In Person

The Tyler Museum of Art's Family Day program is held every second Saturday of the month from 1:00pm – 4:00pm at the museum. The event will have art activities for children and students of all ages, art books to read for all ages, coloring pages of the museum's permanent collection, and snacks. All art activities are compliant with the TEKS. Additionally, all Family Day participants will get free admission to the exhibitions.

For November, the art activity will be a Fall Leaf Design Project. The event will be held at the museum on November 8, 2025 between 1:00pm – 4:00pm.

For more information on the Family Day Event, click here!

#### TMA Lesson Plans for Elementary, Middle School, and High School



Lesson Plan: Día de los Muertos

This lesson plan contains the Texas TEKS for Elementary, Middle, and High School art teachers. The lesson explains the history and iconography of *Día de los Muertos*.

Students will learn the cultural context of the holiday and create an *ofrenda*.

To access the lesson plan, <u>click here!</u>
To information on the artwork, <u>click here!</u>



#### Tyler Museum of Art's

#### Elements and Principles of Design: Lesson Plan and Activity

This lesson plan and following activity define each of the principles and elements of design. Art examples of each element and principle are included with the vocabulary words. The artworks used in the lesson are from the Tyler Museum of Art's permanent collection.

To access the lesson plan, click here!

To access the activity, click here!

For information on the artwork, click here!

#### **Student Exhibitions:**



#### 2025 Día de los Muertos Art Exhibition

The *Día de los Muertos Middle School Exhibition* is an annual event held at the TMA. Students between the grade levels of 5<sup>th</sup> grade – 8<sup>th</sup> grade are eligible to create artworks in their classrooms that celebrate the cultural festivities of *Día de los Muertos*.

The exhibition is free and currently open to the public until November 2, 2025.

This year, 28 schools, 31 teachers, and a total of 731 students from 5 Texas counties in the East Texas area participated in the exhibition.

### Schedule a Free School Tour with the Tyler Museum of Art



## Planning a Free School Tour and Art Activity

If you are interested in scheduling a tour and art activity for your students at the museum, please contact <u>ranthony@tylermuseum.org</u> and provide the following information:

- The grade level of the visiting students;
- The number of students who will attend;
- And three days in your class schedule that are available for the tour.

For more information, click here!

#### **Tyler Museum of Art Connection**

For more information about the Tyler Museum of Art's events, activities, and educational tours:

Email: ranthony@tylermuseum.org

Call: 903-595-1001

#### **Tyler Museum of Art: Memberships**



Members get free admission to all exhibitions plus access to members-only gallery openings and special events.

Free or discounted admission is available to hundreds of other museums through our North American Reciprocal Program (NARM) Card.

TMA Memberships are available at various levels, each providing support for our community-driven exhibitions and educational programs.

For more information, click here!

The next TMA Newsletter will be sent to teachers on: December 1, 2025.

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