

San Diego Community College District  
**San Diego Continuing Education**  
Emeritus/Older Adult Program

## Course Syllabus

Semester: Spring 2/5-2019—6/7-2019

Course Title: SUMI-E :Japanese Brush Painting

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Tuesday Santa Clara Recreation Center

11:00—2:00

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**Course Description:** This course offers the older adult student an opportunity to explore individual creativity as an approach to self-expression and problem solving through the media of drawing and /or painting. Students will cultivate creative growth and aesthetic awareness. The students will learn a basic study of Sumi-E, materials, tools, and techniques, from diverse cultures, both traditional and contemporary.

**Admission Requirements:** 51% of class members must be 55 years and older.

**Attendance Policy:** Attendance on a regular basis is necessary to keep this class open as non-fee, as we must maintain a minimum of 26 students at every class meeting.

**Course Goals:**

1. Students will develop a working knowledge of traditional and contemporary drawing and painting techniques combined with the basic elements and principles used in the creative process to complete personal drawings and paintings.
2. Students will gain awareness and ability to apply the major aspects of design in judging their own art work and those of others.
3. Students will gain knowledge of the both the basic aspects of design along with the building blocks of design.