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## MOSAIC

Mosaic is an ancient technique, used by artists for the decoration of walls, floors, interiors and exteriors, as it is well preserved over time and resists to atmospheric agents.

During the Mosaic Course, different techniques will be introduced, focusing on the expressive skills of the various types of mosaic and on the use of color and different materials. Students will learn to copy images using small ceramic tiles, and those who already are more experienced, can also use those of enamel or marble for the creation of their original works. To create a good mosaic it is necessary to study it in all its aspects: shadow and light, movement, the copy from reality, the use of warm and cold colors, relief, depth, perspective. All these aspects will be addressed during the course.

First the fundamental basics will be introduced, such as the project of a mosaic, the preparation of the base, the cutting techniques of the different materials (tiles, ceramics, enamel, marble), the realization of a mosaic with direct and indirect method and the various laying techniques, and then students will start experimenting and developing their own style.

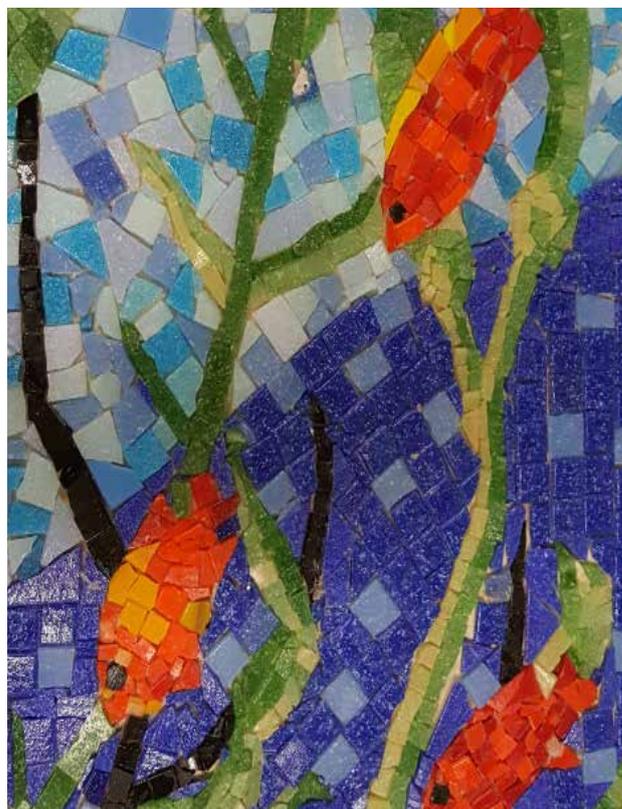
The advanced student can decorate furniture and objects, make decorated tiles for the garden, decorate vases, frames, boxes and much more.

The program may go through possible changes based on the degree of preparation acquired by the student previously.



## PROGRAM

- History of the mosaic
- Study of the techniques of realization of the mosaic
- Creation of the copy sketch or own design
- Cutting techniques of different materials (tiles, ceramic, enamel and / or marble)
- Realization of the mosaic with direct method and / or indirect method on temporary lime
- Laying techniques
- Expressive color techniques with tiles, ceramics, enamel and marble



## PRICES

Number of weeks	<b>BASIC CORSE</b> <i>6 hours a week</i>	<b>SEMI-INTENSIVE COURSE</b> <i>10 hours a week</i>	<p>The materials are not included in the price and their cost will depend on the size of the mosaic that the student wants to carry out.</p> <p>At school can be found wooden boards of various sizes and tiles of various materials to use for the realisation of the mosaic.</p>
1	165 €	230 €	
2	285 €	395 €	
3	370 €	515 €	
4	440 €	615 €	
5	515 €	725 €	
6	580 €	840 €	
7	670 €	965 €	
8	760 €	1085 €	
9	850 €	1235 €	
10	940 €	1340 €	

The course is held Monday to Friday from 3 PM to 7 PM, in Italian and/or English and German  
At the end of the course students will receive a Certificate of Participation (Diploma).

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