

# Step Into

# Art

Step Into Art at Harvard's Sackler Museum  
Programs for HBS Alumni Kids, Ages 7-12

**SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 2010 11:30-3:30 P.M.**

HBS alumni kids are invited to Step Into Art! Discover the treasures of Harvard's world-class art collection with Step Into Art, Inc., a non-profit devoted to providing dynamic art education programs for kids. The program will be led by Abby Rischin, Ph.D., the organization's founder and an award-winning teacher, together with gifted museum educator Susan Foster. Kids will explore paintings by Ingres, Sargent, Monet, Matisse, and Pollock through a variety of participatory activities focused on the theme of "The Artist's Studio." Highlights will include: interactive art-viewing with drama activities that help bring works to life; a Matisse-inspired mixed media studio art project; and sketching in the museum galleries. Parents have celebrated Step Into Art programs as "a dream come true," "a 'do not miss,'" "a perfect...learning experience," and "a 'must' for any family interested in giving their children the skills to truly enjoy an art museum." Join us for a memorable, fun, uniquely Harvard adventure!

Step into the artist's studio! Discovering many different kinds of artists' studios—from Monet's portable studio on the Seine River to Pollock's converted barn in East Hampton, N.Y.—kids will explore artists' changing subjects and materials as they "step into" the visual worlds their paintings bring to life....

From left to right: Looking together, Pollock-inspired "action painting" with yarn, Sketching in the impressionist gallery.



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### Sample Schedule (11:30-3:30)

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- 11:30-12:00 Check-in and Lunch
- 12:00-12:30 Transportation to Sackler Museum
- 12:30-12:45 Welcome and Introduction in Sackler Museum Courtyard  
Distribution of HBS kids sketchbooks
- 12:45-2:00 Interactive Art-Viewing with Drama Activities  
Focus on paintings by Ingres, Sargent, Monet, Matisse, and Pollock  
Pollock-inspired group "action painting"  
Sketching in the Museum Galleries
- 2:00-2:50 Matisse-Inspired Mixed Media Art Project in the Museum Studio
- 2:50 -3:00 Program wrap-up
- 3:00-3:30 Return to HBS for parent pick-up

