



ELON UNIVERSITY

Creative Arts Living Learning Community 2024-2025

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LLC Description

Are you interested in art, writing, music, or filmmaking? Been involved in theatre as an actor, scenic designer, costumer, or director? Have you written screenplays, or simply love going to the movie theater? Or do you just love listening to music, creating playlists, or sound engineering? What if you could live and hang out with other people who were into those things, too? We're looking for open-minded, creatively engaged, and culturally aware people to live and play together. Students must show an interest in the liberal arts either by majoring in an artistic field or the humanities (art, English, film, music, theatre, philosophy, poli sci, history, etc.) or by simply enjoying and getting involved in the arts. Join the Creative Arts Living Learning Community, home of Elon's arts culture. This living-learning community is designed to generate an atmosphere for students to express and explore the liberal arts, creativity, and artistic interests or skills.

Living Learning Community Goals

- Living Learning Communities provide students with a sense of belonging in a community of their peers united by a common interest.
- LLCs support students' intellectual, personal, and social growth by providing them with opportunities to learn in a collaborative, engaging environment.
- LLCs work to integrate students' academic, social, and residential experiences, providing a seamless learning environment in which students develop "connected knowing" outside of the classroom on disciplinary and interdisciplinary projects.
- LLCs challenge students to test their skills and knowledge through applications, experiences, reflection and synthesis outside the classroom. Examples of this include intellectual discussions, trips, projects, speakers and events.
- LLCs provide opportunity for faculty and staff to engage in university service and student mentoring in intentional mentorship with students outside of the classroom in their field of interest or discipline.

Creative Arts LLC Goals & Commitments

This community will:

- Foster a respect and appreciation for art as a mutual space for communication
- Connect through art on a intellectual and emotional level
- See the world through different perspectives and mediums advancing appreciation for diversity
- Support one another's artistic and creative endeavors
- Connect to the larger Elon campus community through advocacy of the arts
- Use the arts as a means of serving others



Important Dates for Fall 2024

Date	Event	Time	Location
8/26	LLC Kick-Off	6:30pm	Whitley Theater
8/28	Global Neighborhood Cookout	5-7pm	GBL Basketball Courts
9/3	1st Global Neighborhood Dinner	6pm	Upstairs Lakeside
9/17	1st Global Film Series Cooked: Survival by Zip Code	7pm	GloCo 103 (Media Room)
9/19	Common Reading Keynote w/ Leah Thomas	7pm	Alumni Gym
9/27	Fall Convocation w/ Arthur Brooks	3:30pm	Alumni Gym
9/27-28	Dancing in the Landscape	5:30pm, 12pm	Center for the Arts
10/4-10/8	Rosencrantz & Guildenstern are Dead	times vary	Roberts Studio Theater
10/18-19	Instant Laughter	7:30pm	Yeager Recital Hall
10/27-11/2	Legally Blonde	times vary	McCrary Theater
11/7	Elon University Chorale	7:30pm	McCrary Theater
11/12	Elon Orchestra Fall Concert	7:30pm	Whitley Auditorium
11/14	A Night at the (Rock) Opera	7:30pm	McCrary Theater
11/15-17	Unboxed: The Fall Dance Concert	times vary	Roberts Studio Theater
11/16	Elon Jazz Ensembles Fall Concert	7:30pm	McCrary Theater
11/19	Elon Bands Fall Concert "Music from Abroad"	7:30pm	McCrary Theater
11/21	Elon Music Ambassadors	7:30pm	McCrary Theater

Proposed Community Events

- Attend events in support of fellow community members
- Attend music and cultural events on and off campus
- Sponsor creative events
- Participate in LLC challenges
- Participate in neighborhood association events

Events that will be scheduled throughout the semester may include:

- Group trips to local museums, theatres, film festivals, or other arts-inspired events
- Movie nights
- Dinner and a show nights (attend a performance at the Center for Fine Arts after getting a meal together)
- Game Nights
- Maker Hub outings
- Elon by Design workshop
- Advisor lunch/coffee with Alison/Morgan