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City Art Centre  
**Events Programme**  
Summer 2010

City Art Centre has a programme of exciting activities for families, schools and adults to accompany the summer 2010 exhibitions.

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**Our family workshops** are suitable for all ages and are designed for families working together. All workshops, talks and lectures are free with the price of an exhibition ticket, but booking is essential. For booking and further information contact Margaret Findlay on 0131 529 3963, e-mail [margaret.findlay@edinburgh.gov.uk](mailto:margaret.findlay@edinburgh.gov.uk).

**Joint admission to Edward Weston and William Wegman:**  
Adult £8, Concession £5, Children £2.50, Family £15.  
**Admission to In Our Own Image:** Free

**FAMILY PROGRAMME**

**William Wegman Workshops**

**Big zzzzzzs**  
*Saturday 4 September*  
10.30am-12.30pm or  
1.30-3.30pm

If animals dream, what life do you imagine your pet might dream of? Inspired by the exhibition images, you will use paint and collage techniques to create an image of your own pet or animal and place it in a wonderful Wegman style setting. *With artist Stephanie Walker.*

**Animal Magic**  
*Saturday 11 September*  
10.30am-12.30pm or  
1.30-3.30pm

Photographs capture a magical moment in time. Select your favourite Wegman photograph to inspire you to create a funny short story. Your story will be brought to life by creating a simple pencil line drawing to be animated in a small flick book – the next part of the story is up to you! *With artist Stephanie Walker.*

**My Pet Portrait**  
*Saturday 16 October*  
10.30am-12.30pm or  
1.30-3.30pm

Come along to this lively collage and drawing workshop and create amazing pictures of your favourite pets in unusual situations and costumes inspired by William Wegman's photographs. *With Artist Tessa Asquith-Lamb.*

**Catwalk Creations!**  
*Monday 18 October*  
10.30am-12.30pm or  
1.30-3.30pm

Create a stylish paper pooch and a whole fashion collection of paper clothes to dress her/him up in at this special workshop inspired by William Wegman's fantastic photographs. *With Artist Tessa Asquith-Lamb.*

**Edward Weston Workshops**

**Close-up Collages**  
*Saturday 21 August*  
10.30am-12.30pm or  
1.30-3.30pm

Taking inspiration from Edward Weston's beautiful photographs of natural forms such as fruits and vegetables we will create large-scale collage images from still-life arrangements using colourful papers and paints. *With Artist Tessa Asquith-Lamb.*

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## Zoom in on Printmaking

**Saturday 25 September**  
10.30am-12.30pm or 1.30-3.30pm

Come along and be inspired by Edward Weston's exquisite photographs of still-life objects and create your own images, using simple printmaking techniques. *With Artist Tessa Asquith-Lamb.*

## Sunshine and Shadow – Your Treasured Place

**Saturday 2 October**  
10.30am-12.30pm or 1.30-3.30pm

Inspired by Edward Weston's fabulous photographs of Mexico and California, we will recreate a dramatic picture of your very favourite place – a place that is special and dear to you. We will use an assortment of exciting collage materials. *With artist Stephanie Walker.*

## Fruity Fabric Painting

**Wednesday 20 October**  
10.30am-12.30pm or 1.30-3.30pm

Imitating Edward Weston's famous photographs of fruit, vegetables and shells, we will create vibrant fabric paintings inspired by natural forms and succulent tropical fruits. *With artist Stephanie Walker.*

## ADULT PROGRAMME

### Focus on Dogs Printmaking Workshop

**Saturday 14 August**  
10am-4pm

Inspired by William Wegman's funny and touching dog photographs, try your hand at creating quirky images of your own pets. Using simple printmaking techniques we will layer images of dogs, clothing and props to create unique artworks. *With Artist Tessa Asquith-Lamb.*

## Children's Storytelling Tours

Join storyteller, musician and performer Marion Kenny for a bewitching, inspiring and fun walking tour of two of Edinburgh's art galleries. An exploration of art, stories and music, for children aged 4 plus.

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Edward Weston

FRUITMARKET GALLERY  
Martin Creed

**Wednesday 4 August**  
11am-1pm

**Wednesday 11 August**  
11am-1pm

**Wednesday 18 August**  
11am-1pm

Meeting Point:  
City Art Centre Reception at 11am on each day.

Visitors are advised that the Edward Weston exhibition contains some nude photography. Tickets: £5 per child, accompanying adult free. Advance booking is essential as places are limited.

Please call 07500 461332 or e-mail [bookings@edinburghartfestival.com](mailto:bookings@edinburghartfestival.com)

## TALKS AND LECTURES

**Monday 23 August and Monday 30 August**  
1.30pm

David Patterson, Curator, Fine Art Collections, will give an introductory guided tour to the Edward Weston exhibition, highlighting some of the images that secured his reputation as one of America's greatest photographers. Duration 30 minutes.

**Saturday 18 September**  
1.30pm

Specialist Scottish landscape photographer Lindsay Robertson will discuss the pioneering images of Edward Weston and his working relationship with Ansel Adams.

William Wegman, *Leaf Line*, 2005.  
© William Wegman. Courtesy the artist.



## FREE ACTIVITIES

### In Our Own Image – The Activity Studio for Families

Come and learn all about the human figure in our exhibition, *In Our Own Image*. Explore our texture laden Activity Studio and experience our amazing activities. Draw yourself in various guises and explore with our eclectic and varied range of art materials. Learn all about the human body and portraits. *Please note this exhibition contains some images of nudity.*

## RELATED WORKSHOPS

### Fabulous Figure Drawing

**Saturday 11 September and Saturday 9 October**  
10am-12noon and 1-3.30pm

Come along to our drop-in family drawing days in the gallery. Inspired by the varied artworks in the *In Our Own Image* exhibition, join us for these artist-led drawing sessions exploring new and exciting ways to draw the human figure. Through fun activities and quirky challenges, you will learn about proportion and how to express movement and character in your artwork. *With artist Tessa Asquith-Lamb.*

