

The Museum of Modern Art

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SATURDAY CLASSES OFFERED TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AT THE MUSEUM OF MODERN ART

February 25 - May 20, 1989

This spring high school students throughout the metropolitan area are invited to The Museum of Modern Art to explore the world of modern art. The SATURDAY CLASSES FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS include informal discussions on painting, sculpture, and photography designed to encourage experimentation, discovery, and the development of critical thinking skills in a nonacademic setting. Organized by the Department of Education, the classes are scheduled between February 25 and May 20 from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. Each week a different theme provides the context for exploring the Museum's collection. The schedule is as follows:

- PART ONE: February 25
Introduction to Modern Painting
- March 4
Introduction to Modern Sculpture
- March 11
Introduction to Photography
- March 18
Walker Evans and American Photography

- PART TWO: April 1
The Sculpture of Rodin and Brancusi
- April 8
Marcel Duchamp and his Followers
- April 15
Andy Warhol: Self-Made Celebrity

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PART THREE: May 6
The Nude in Modern Art

May 13
The Artist and the City

May 20
The Power of Images: Art and Political Meaning

Classes are free and no preregistration is required. A certificate of merit is awarded to those students attending seven or more of the ten spring sessions. For further information, call Peggy Schneider in the Department of Education, 212/708-9828.

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