



Pratt

Jewelry & Metals Studio



Studio Access User Process

1. **Take at least one 6 or 8 week class** at Pratt's JM Studio to learn our studio's safety policies and procedures as well as our studio's practices. Every studio is different. We want to make sure you are familiar with ours before you can safely rent it independently.
2. Call (206) 328-2200 or visit the Pratt Front Desk to pay the \$25 appointment fee. This fee will be credited towards your first rental once accessed.
3. A Studio Access Coordinator will contact you to schedule two appointments
4. Meet with Studio Coordinator to see what equipment you have taken classes on and what you are requesting access to.
5. Clear a Studio Access Test to show proficiency and safety knowledge.
6. Purchase an annual Pratt Membership.
7. Turn in signed Acknowledgement Form & Waiver.
8. **Reserve and pay for the studio online!**

**Jewelry & Metals Studio
& Student Friday Sessions Schedule**



FAQs

Q: I have never taken classes at Pratt but I have experience in a different studio, can I rent Pratt's studio?

A: Our community studio has our own policies, safety procedures, and culture that you can only learn through taking a weekly class with us, that is why we require a 6 or 8-week class to qualify. While you may have a lot of valuable experience in other spaces, we appreciate your commitment to our organization's mission and values while in our home. We understand that the price of classes may be a barrier for some, please visit our website for more information on scholarships and tuition assistance.

Q: What equipment can I get access to as an independent renter?

A: Most equipment in our studio can be used by Access Users including jewelry benches, basic tools (hammers, files, saws, etc.), soldering equipment, acetylene tanks, flex shafts, sheers, hydraulic press, belt sanders, buffing wheels, pin polishers, pickle pots, rolling mill, and more. See JM website for full list. *Remember you must first take a class to be properly trained on each equipment or tool and pass an access test prior to approval.

Access Users do not have access to casting equipment, PMC kilns, and must provide their own consumables like saw blades, soldering wire, sandpaper, and patinas.

Q: When do you have open studio times for Access Users?

A: Access users can reserve studio times online using the online calendar and vary depending on weekly classes and workshops. Use the QR code above to see available times.

Q: But your studio is always full of classes and Friday sessions!? When can I come in?

A: Our studio has many open times during the week days and evenings on the weekends. If Studio Friday Sessions are not busy, you can access the JM back studio as a renter on Fridays. Also if you are wanting to access the studio during a booked class time, talk to an instructor prior to the start of their class and see if you can share the back studio together. Often times they are only using the front and they do not mind. They just need to be asked so they know who you are and they can plan for it.



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Classes & Workshops

Our well-equipped jewelry and metalsmithing studio provides a professional space for a wide variety of classes and workshops, as well as a robust studio access program. We offer **classes for all levels**, including beginner, intermediate, and advanced weekly classes and specialized 1- or 2-day workshops designed for multiple levels of experience.

Whether you are a newcomer to the jewelry community looking to start a new hobby or an experienced artist wanting to hone your craft, the JM Studio and its highly skilled teaching artists have something for you to learn.

All our classes and workshops provide the necessary tools and materials for the course included in the supply fee.

*For information about accessibility or to request a reasonable accommodation, please contact the studio manager or front desk.

QR code to current class offerings

Fun Fact: Pratt's prices are kept as low as possible, thanks to our donors who help subsidize our programs up to 40%!

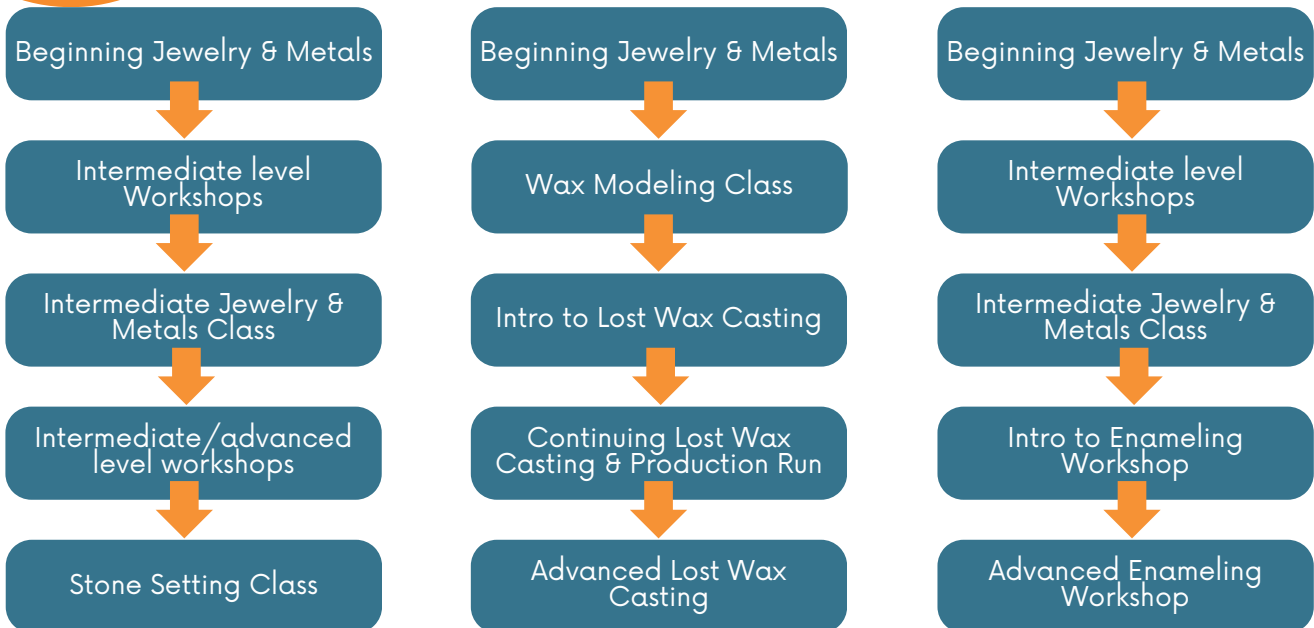


Try out a JM class with an introductory 1-day workshop!

like Stacking Rings
PMC Silver Clay or
Lavender Bunch
Casting!

Examples of studio pathways!

or choose your own adventure...



and much more! Like our visiting Master Artist Workshops!

Pratt Fine Arts Center is a nonprofit...

What does that mean?

Founded in 1976, Pratt Fine Arts Center serves as a lasting tribute to Edwin T. Pratt, who championed open and equal access to education and housing opportunities for all of Seattle's residents. Pratt Fine Arts Center honors his memory by continuing to pursue its mission of making arts education accessible to everyone, for people of all ages, all skill levels, and all backgrounds. Operating as a nonprofit 501(c)3 organization, Pratt has had a significant impact on the creative health of our community and launched the careers of many established local, regional, and nationally known artists. What began as a small arts center has become a beloved resource for thousands of students and hundreds of working artists annually.



Edwin T. Pratt



Mission

As a nonprofit 501(c)3 organization, Pratt Fine Arts Center provides access to the transformative power of artistic expression through an inclusive community, culture of learning, and specially equipped studios.

Subsidized Programming

Pratt offers free public events and keeps its programming as low as possible thanks to our generous donors who help **subsidize all of our classes and workshops up to 40% of the market cost**. This helps keep our programming accessible to our community and serve our mission.

Pratt is the only facility in the Northwest where absolute beginners and established professional artists learn and work side-by-side creating art in: glass; metal, stone and wood sculpture; jewelry and metalsmithing; painting; drawing; printmaking; and mixed media.

Interested in helping others benefit from Pratt as well?

Follow this QR code to learn how you can volunteer, make a tax deductible financial donation, or drop off items to help support our programs!

