

MaldenArtsMondays!



Weekly Activity Sheet

This project is done in cooperation with Malden Reads, Malden Public Library and Malden Historical Society

Suggested Activities

Week of July 27 **Perle Fine**

Age Level	Activity Instructions
All Ages	Come to week 4 of Malden Reads storytime 10:30am, July 30 at Fitzgerald Park, in front of the Ed Emberley mural Register Here
All Ages	In the first half of the 1900s, when Perle Fine was alive, it was customary for men and women to wear hats. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women's hats • Men's hats What kind of hat do you think Perle Fine might have worn? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw or paint a self-portrait of yourself wearing a hat • Or Make A Hat Out Of Newspaper or out of Paper That You Can Then Decorate! Then take a picture of yourself wearing it and send it to us. Fun Fact: In the olden days when newspapers were printed on presses, the pressmen used to make newspaper hats to keep the ink out of their hair!
All Ages	Look at the emotion Color Chart . Which color describes the way you are feeling right now? Create a work of art featuring that color and send it to us!
Family	Write and act out a play about a family coming to the United States from another part of the world, make a video of it and send it to us.
All Ages	Perle Fine's parents were immigrants from Russia. She was born in Boston, but grew up in Malden, where her parents ran a dairy farm. Imagine what life was like in the first half of the 1900s, still with farmland! What do you think it was like to grow up during that time?
All Ages	Finger painting is a fun way to make abstract art. Click Here to learn how and what supplies you will need, then send us your masterpieces!
High School through Adult	Perle Fine was part of the Abstract Expressionist movement and was one of the few women in her field. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What do you think that was like for her? • What challenges might she have faced? • How might it have affected her artwork?
Family/All Ages	Produce a play where the characters are the different colors of the rainbow make a video and send to us!.
3-8th Grades	Watch this Video . Then make your own map of Malden then (1900 to 1950) or now, send us your maps.
Family/Pre K-3rd Grade	Read the book aloud with friends or family or to yourself, Swatch: The Girl Who Loved Color by Julia Dena . What did you think of the book? What was your favorite picture in the book? Think of a color: how does it make you feel? What is your favorite color?

- Upload your masterpieces using <http://www.maldenarts.org/malden-arts-mondays.html> or post on [Malden Arts Facebook page](#)
- Every photo or essay submitted by Sunday@ midnight will be put into a drawing for a weekly \$20 or \$5 gift certificate to a local restaurant, donut or ice cream shop and other surprises!