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## Northwest Iowa Community College Life and Leisure Classes Starting Week of April 3

Want to learn a new hobby, improve your day-to-day life or experience a relaxing outing with friends? At Northwest Iowa Community College, we are striving to develop programming that is relevant, up-to-date, informative and FUN.

**Art Start: Watercolor Journaling:** Instructor: Judy Thompson. This engaging class for beginners will take the fear out of drawing and painting as we create personal art journals. Participants will explore contour and gestural drawing and the fundamentals of watercolor painting. All techniques will be demonstrated with individual attention given to each student. This fun, hands-on class provides the artistic tools you need to explore your creative side with confidence. The fee for this class includes \$60 for all the supplies needed. This course will be on four consecutive Mondays, April 3, 10, 17 and 24 from 6:30-8:30 pm in the Dining room at Northwest Iowa Community College. Tuition: \$149

Judy Thompson, the instructor, is an award winning artist and signature member of the Iowa Watercolor Society. She has been an Artist-in-Residence with the National Park Service and is an approved teaching artist with the South Dakota Art Council. Her winsome and engaging style makes her a popular instructor. See her art and learn more at her website: [judythompsonwatercolors.com](http://judythompsonwatercolors.com)

**To register, call Northwest Iowa Community College at 712-324-5061 or 800-352-4907 and ask for Continuing Education.**