TITLE OF COURSE: Creating Greeting Cards with Watercolors

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COURSE MEETING TIMES: Thursdays (January 16 - February 6, 2020) 1:00-3:00 pm

COURSE MEETING LOCATION: Ruffatto Hall, Room 304

INSTRUCTOR BIO: Mitra Verma is an artist and a craft designer who has been working and practicing art as a discipline of self-empowerment, as well as inspiring people of all age group to discover their own inner artist. She studied Bachelor in Fine Arts (BFA) from a recognized Indian University, which led her to become handicraft designer by finishing her Post-graduation from a distinctive handicraft design institute, India. She was assigned empanelment as a Handicraft Designer by Development Commissioner Handicraft (DCHC) India and formerly professionally worked in a handicraft sector of India on various projects for five years. She is self-motivated, conscientious, passionate artist and past ten years she held classes and workshops in painting and crafts for all age group.

COURSE DESCRIPTION:
Sometimes, all you want to do with watercolors is throw some paint onto a piece of paper just for the fun of it! Creating watercolor postcards can be the perfect way to turn that enjoyable experience into an extremely rewarding craft. We will create our own watercolor greeting cards and postcards that can be used for any occasion. Participants will spend 4-week sessions learning how fun and easy it is to make great note cards with various watercolor techniques. This is a beginner friendly course, no experience is necessary. All levels are welcome.

RECOMMENDED BOOKS OR MATERIALS: Materials requires- pan water colors, water color brushes, paper napkins, pencil, eraser, Water colors card stock.

Session #1 – Creating textures
Session #2 – Blocking and Stencil technique
Session #3 – Wet into wet technique
Session #4 – Layering technique