

## ILLUSTRATION for books

### **Description:**

Illustration for books aims to provide the students with essential skills such as digital painting character design, etc. to enter the illustration for books industry. Students will learn the art and techniques to illustrate for books whether for digital books or printed ones especially the popular genre of children books.

**Course Prerequisite:** The “Drawing course” OR good knowledge of drawing basics are required to enter “Illustration for books” course

### **Course Contents**

#### **Class 1 Introduction**

- Intro to illustration for books
- Character design for books

#### **Class 2 Digital Painting**

- Color theory and using colors
- Light and shadow
- Digital painting techniques

#### **Class 3 Composition and script analysis**

#### **Class 4 Visual storytelling**

- Thumbnails
- Color schemes and color moods

#### **Class 5 Draw from simple shapes (A simplified style for children's books)**

#### **Class 6 Reference research and Finalizing sketch**

#### **Class 7 Backgrounds and adding depth to illustration**

#### **Class 8 Final Project and marketing your work**

### **Grading Policy**

Grades are based on Assignments, Attendance and the final project