

KELECHI

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THEATER/ACTING WORKSHOP

Kelechi provides a theater workshop entitled “Movement & Myth: Aztec Stories through Nonverbal Performance”. In this performance-based workshop, youth learn about Aztec mythology through physical storytelling. Participants do not use scripts but instead rely on guided movement, gesture, and masks to interpret and perform myths narrated aloud.

The focus is on body awareness, ensemble work, and cultural storytelling through nonverbal performance. This workshop can function as a single session or be extended into a series exploring different myths and characters.

VISUAL ARTS WORKSHOPS

Kelechi provides two visual arts workshops. The first, “Watercolor & Still Life: Houseplants and Bloom”. This is a guided painting workshop where participants create watercolor studies from live still-life arrangements. The still lifes are composed of the teaching artist’s collection of houseplants and seasonal flowers, set against curated backdrops. Participants will focus on observational drawing, composition, color layering, and mindfulness. This workshop is suitable for all skill levels.

The second, “Charcoal and Contrast: Drawing from the Roots”, This drawing workshop introduces participants to charcoal techniques using natural and symbolic still-life objects. Participants will practice basic gesture drawing, value shading, and composition, working from dried flora,

seed pods, roots, and other found materials. The focus is on understanding light, shadow, and expressive mark-making using basic 3D forms as a foundation

Participants and audiences aged 6 and older