

BEMIS X CENTER

Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts

Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts facilitates the creation, presentation, and understanding of contemporary art through an international residency program, exhibitions, and educational programs. Bemis Center's free community tours and educational programs are designed to inspire creativity, foster curiosity, and connect diverse audiences to the world of contemporary art. Whether you're exploring as a family, pursuing your studies, or looking to enrich your classroom experiences, Bemis provides opportunities for learning and engagement.

EXPLORE ARTISTS STUDIOS AT OPEN HOUSE / OPEN STUDIOS

The ultimate behind-the-scenes Bemis experience! Participate in an artist-led, hands-on art activity for visitors of all ages, engage in a tour of the current exhibition, and go beyond the galleries to discover Bemis's upper floors, where you can visit with artists-in-residence to see their studios and view their works in progress.

Who: Daisies, Brownies, Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors, Ambassadors, Family

When: Saturday, July 26, 2025 from 1–5 p.m.

Recognitions: Art or Museum fun patches

GROUP TOUR OF FROM THE GREAT LAKES TO THE GREAT PLAINS: THE VISIBLE CURRENTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE

Guided tours are an engaging way to learn about current exhibitions. On tours tailored to your group, Bemis Center staff provide insights into artists' methods and practices and share knowledge to contextualize artworks.

Looking at the relationships between past, present, and future landscapes of the Great Lakes and Great Plains regions, this exhibition highlights how water remains at the core of all climate change conversations. This visually dynamic exhibition brings together 21 artists working in a wide variety of engaging mediums.

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When: Friday, June 13 – Sunday, September 14, 2025 (any time)

Recognitions: Art, Museum, or Climate -related badge or fun patches

Capacity: 50 maximum

Where: Bemis Center for Contemporary Arts, 724 S. 12th St., Omaha, NE 68102

Cost: FREE

Registration:

- Tours: Email [Abby Fogle-Erickson](#) or [Visitor Services](#)
- Open House / Open Studios: [RSVP Online](#)

Chaperones: Follow [Safety Activity Checkpoints](#)

Questions: Contact Abby Fogle-Erickson at 402.341.7130 x32 or [via email](#).

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