

WHAT IS ART? PHILOSOPHICAL PERSPECTIVES

[DAY COURSE]

Date

Saturday 17th June 2023
10.30am until 3.30pm

Venue

The Highgate Literary and Scientific Institution
11 South Grove
Highgate
London
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Fee

Full fee £60 | HSLI Members £50 | Benefit £10

Level

Beginners to Intermediate

Description

What is art? What is the difference between Tracey Emin's *My Bed* and Botticelli's *The Birth of Venus*? Have we reached a stage where almost anything can be called art? This course will explore some of the theories used to help us define art, including idealist theory, significant form and the institutional theory.

Outline

10.30am - 11.35pm	Introduction Clive Bell and Significant Form
11.35am - 11.45am	Break
11.45am - 1pm	R.G. Collingwood and Expression of Emotion
1pm - 2pm	Lunch Break
2pm - 3.30pm	George W. Dickie and Institutional Contexts Conclusion

Suggested Reading

The Art Question by Nigel Warburton

Booking

To book a place on this course, please ring the HSLI on 020 8340 3343, or go to the following link hlsi.net/courses/summer-programme/what-is-art-philosophical-perspectives.

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