

## Venture Arts Presents

A showcase of vibrant and wide-ranging work by 80 Venture Arts studio artists, celebrating bold individual voices and the creativity at the heart of the studio.

For over 30 years, Venture Arts in Hulme, has supported learning disabled artists to develop and share their practice. Today, their work is gaining national recognition: Leslie Thompson was commissioned by the Government Art Collection for the King's Coronation; Barry Finan received the Paul Hamlyn Award for Visual Arts; and Michael Beard became the first non-verbal learning-disabled artist to receive a major commission from Manchester International Festival last summer.

This exhibition celebrates a studio where creativity, ambition, and visibility continue to grow.

### Gallery 3 List of works (clockwise from door)



*Chocolate Cake*  
Darren Bates  
Print  
2026  
£175

### *Untitled*



John Groake  
Watercolour  
2025  
£125



*Nikka*  
Niamh Ball  
Digital Drawing  
2025  
£55



*Hey, Can You See Mars?*  
Lucy Ryder  
Digital collage  
2025  
£55



*Mr Blobby Nemesis*  
Michael Gleave  
Digital collage  
2025  
£125



*Sonic*  
S.A.  
Illustration  
2025  
NFS



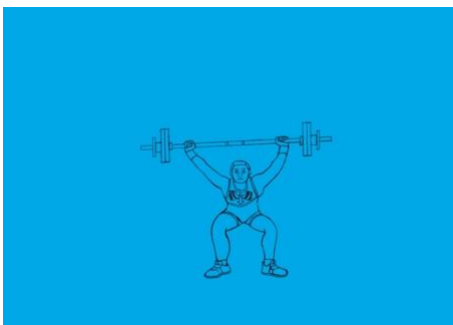
*Untitled*  
Shannon Ratcliffe  
Print  
2026  
£125



*Untitled*  
Faith Mason  
Illustration  
2025  
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*Spot The Difference*  
Liam Ashworth  
Digital art  
2026  
£150



*Untitled*  
Nathaniel Cheung  
Digital Illustration  
2025  
£55



*Untitled*

G.W.

Reproduction print of hand drawn Illustration

2025

£100



*Rob 14*

Shea Sandbach

Illustration

2025

£150 (framed print)



*Untitled*

James Desser

Mixed media

2025

£175



*Untitled*  
Reece Singh  
Digital Illustration  
2025  
£45



*Untitled*  
Rhea Holmes  
Ink on paper  
2025

£150



*Untitled*  
Matthew Bell  
Hand embroidery and Applique  
2025

NFS



*My Pool*  
Michael Nash  
Hand embroidery and Applique

£450



*Untitled*  
Quinza Ashraf  
Hand embroidery and Applique  
2025

£550



*Riding a Bike in A Flight Suit*  
Sarah Lee  
Hand embroidery and Applique  
2025

2025



NFS  
*Untitled*  
Terry Williams  
Digital photography

2025

£150 each



*Untitled*  
Terry Williams  
Digital photography

2025



GLASS CABINET

*Mary Brown ( 2 ceramic hands)*  
Sally Hirst

Ceramic



2025  
NFS

*Aunty Angela*

Justin Lees

2024  
NFS



*My Mum from Ghana*

Deborah Makinde

Ceramic

2024  
NFS





Ceramic  
2025  
£300

*Untitled (vase)*

Maryam Vohra



Ceramic  
2024  
£150

*Untitled (plates)*  
Rahima Imtiaz

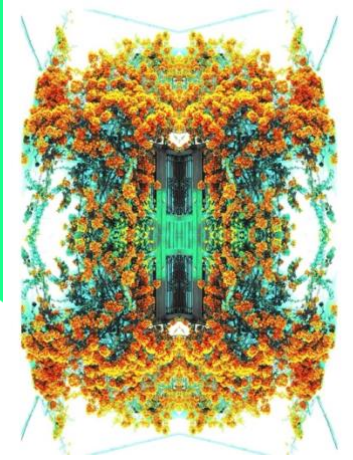
Ceramic



2025  
£150 large plate  
£100 small plate

*Ceramic hands*  
Maryam Vohra  
Ceramic  
2025  
£300





Maddi Lingard  
illustration  
2025  
NFS

*Untitled*



Jess Taylor  
Digital photography and photoshop  
2025  
£125

*Untitled*  
Elsie Kilbane

Print  
2025  
£150 unframed  
Edition of 5

*Venture Arts Presents* continues in Gallery 1, Gallery 2 and the corridor.

For more information about Venture Arts please visit [venturearts.org](https://venturearts.org) or contact [katherine@venturearts.org](mailto:katherine@venturearts.org)