The Cantor Arts Center is a wonderful place to draw. The broad range of the collection can provide subjects for literally years of drawing.

We will be drawing from both two and three-dimensional objects located in various galleries throughout the museum. Using pencils only (a requirement by most museums) we will produce drawings in simple line, or with values using cross-hatching. We will practice measuring proportions and placement, and may add detail views to the overall image. Part of the enjoyment of drawing in museums is the pleasure of getting to know a particular artwork by spending time with it, of not feeling you have to move on to the next object, of looking closely and translating with your own simple tools the work of another’s hand.

This spring we will have the opportunity to view “Italian Master Drawings” from the Princeton University Museum of Art and to make our study drawings from works in the exhibition.

Each week we will meet in the lobby of the museum and proceed to the gallery selected for drawing. If you arrive late, the person at the reception desk will be able to direct you to that gallery. The drawing session will end with a wrap-up look at our production and with supportive comments.

Note: Parking restrictions are lifted on Saturdays.
The Cool Cafe in the museum is open for lunch at 11 am.