

About the Artist

My name is Becka Rahn and I designed all of the art for the utility boxes in Prospect Park and for the book "I See Art Every Day".

I am an artist as my full time job and that means I actually do a lot of different things.

Sometimes I make art just for myself.

Sometimes I make art for other people to enjoy, like the boxes in the Prospect Park neighborhood.

Sometimes I help other people make the art they need for their websites or emails.

Sometimes I am a teacher and I get to teach people about making their own art.

When I was a little girl, I wanted to be a teacher (like my mom) and an artist (like my dad). And then I grew up and I studied hard and I made a lot of art. And now my job is being an artist and a teacher. I made my dream come true and I think that's pretty neat.

I am short with blue eyes and brown hair. I live in a little house in the city with two dogs, two goldfish and a very tall husband. My favorite things about my house are the huge trees in the back yard and the little pond that has waterlilies in it. My dogs are named Leo and Chester and my fish are named Harold and Henry.

Most of the time I make art using fabric. That's my favorite art material. I like to take my photos and drawings and print them on to fabric and then make things to wear, like skirts and dresses. I made myself a t-shirt that has Pita the squirrel on it. I love to sew and to draw. When I am not making art, I like to read. My favorite kind of books are stories about space ships, magic or dragons.

My favorite colors are green and turquoise. My favorite food is fresh peaches. My favorite animal is a leafy sea dragon.

I make art every day.

