

MR. JACKSON ART 3 MASTERY COURSE

Each drawing and painting unit extends and refines the skills taught in the beginning Drawing and Painting course's. Units should continue to build student confidence in drawing from life as well as challenge students with developing their own "voice" through individual choices in composition and the elements and principles of design. Creativity is extremely important to this course. Addressing conceptual ideas through the media and considering diverse "points of view" in compositions should also be included in units. Students should collaborate with instructor on planning student individual directions in media through the use of research of historical/contemporary/cultural art. Units should specifically engage students with the challenge of creating a "concentration" of work as part of the class. Students should consider presentation as a part of all work in this course.

GRADING:

This is an advanced art course; students should have basic art skills before entering this course. Students who are lacking these skills will be behind and it may affect their scores. Assignments in this course will focus on creative ideas and their implementation. This said, students will be pushed not to just copy magazine images but to modify and change images they use for reference to create more elaborate and interesting images.

- Students will be given opportunities to evaluate their own work as part of the Creative process.
- The student evaluation will periodically be reviewed and discussed with the student.
- For the conscientious student who not only completes the basics but puts in the time, effort and thought required to produce Fine Art. Above average points will be awarded.

-Late work can be turned in 1 week late with no deductions. After this time points will be taken away at teacher's discretion as per individual situation. Late work is to be done at home and not during class time.

- Grading scale A+ 97%, A 93%, A- 90%, B+ 87%, B 83%, B- 80%, C+ 77%, C 73%, C- 70%, D+ 67%, D 63%, D- 60%, F below 60%

-Citizenship will be based on attitude, behavior, preparation, care and cleanup of materials, and tardiness. I follow all school policies and infractions will affect citizenship marks including: no food, drink (except water), no gum, and tardiness. Class rules are to show respect for the teacher, for others, for property and for learning.

HOMEWORK

-There will be a research project. The project will include students researching an artist of their choice. The chosen artist's art movement will need to be studied and understood to the point that a project can be completed in that style and an oral presentation can be given to the class explaining the movement.

\$15.00 for materials needs to be paid no later than _____-thanks.

- This will buy=Various pens, pencils, rulers, papers and erasers.
- A portion goes to keeping classroom sets of tools on hand and in good repair.
- Students will receive materials needed for each unit at that time.
- Additional projects and tools will cost extra or materials can be brought from home to use with the equipment here.

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Parents are welcome. Please contact me to make arrangements. It's fun seeing our youth being creative.

Art III Disclosure Signature Form
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Thank you,
Jeremiah J. Jackson jjjackson@wsd.net

Parent

Date

Student

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