



Disclosure - Art 1

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In Art 1 we will learn to draw what we see and appreciate and study the world around us. We will explore techniques of creating art and being creative with the design, texture and lines. We will acquire the terms and ideas of art design (Elements and Principles). 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 power point can be completed on the artist and an oral presentation can be given to the class explaining the artist.

Progress grades can be accessed through the portal at www.wsdinfo.net. **Grading** will be based on: Doing quality work, being on task in class, care and clean up. The teacher and student will collaborate on grading of projects. The grading scale is 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%.

Late work can be turned in one week late with no deductions. After this time points will be taken away at teacher's discretion as per individual situation.

The **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. **There is an Art Fee of \$15.00 for art supplies for taking this class.** If you are on a fee waiver contact Mrs. Parslow by parental note or e-mail. The course overview and materials provided are as follows:

Topics and Materials for this course are as follows: (Some things may vary as needed.)

Art 1 course overview

1. Art history
2. Make portfolio
3. Learn to see
4. Shading
5. Drawing still life
6. Face proportions
7. Self portrait
8. Scale drawing
9. Color the scale drawing
10. Pen and ink techniques
11. 1 and 2 point Perspective
12. Cartooning
13. Color unit
14. Color pencil
15. Black board animal
16. Color wheel
17. Watercolor
18. Painting outdoor scenes
19. Tessellations
20. Clean room

I recommend that if you bring your own art supplies (none required) that you mark it with your name. Most of your materials and work can be stored in the classroom, in the portfolio you make at the beginning of class.

The skills that the student will acquire taking this course are: Art appreciation, Knowledge of some famous artists, Drawing, Shading, Color theory, Perspective and three-dimensional drawing, Cartooning and inking, Basic watercolor and patterns.

Detach and return to Mrs. Parslow with the art fee receipt.

Student signature for accepting the terms of this disclosure and the art fee.

Parent signature for accepting the terms of this disclosure and the art fee.

Parent contact information: _____ phone # during school hours. _____ after hours,
_____ e-mail or _____ other.