

Art 1

This is a year long class that introduces students to visual arts. Students will be able to work with a variety of mediums in 2D and 3D while studying art history. They will also study and research various art careers.

Welcome to Art!

My name is Ms. Davies and this is the start of my 4th year teaching fine art at the high school. I have my degree in Drawing & Painting, but I'm also experienced in Sculpture & Ceramics. I am looking forward to this year!

Fee & Supplies

There is a **\$5.00 fee** for sketchbook and art materials if you do not purchase your own.

9x12in. Sketchbook (at least 50 pages)

Wooden pencils

Eraser

Sharpener

12 ct. Crayola color pencils

Earbuds or headphones

Expectations

No food or drink. Bottled water is o.k.

Be on time. You will get a detention for being tardy.

Don't open the courtyard door without permission.

No digital devices unless I've given you permission.

You **MUST** clean up your area & supplies when you're done. You are not the only person using them.

NO WHINING! You have other options to get your fine art credit.

Always Be Respectful to Everything and Everyone!

Respect the space, tools, materials, yourself & others. Many people use the space, and it should be a safe environment to create in and grow as an artist.

Clean Up!

It's important for health & safety reasons (and proper etiquette) for shared studio spaces.

It is your responsibility to take care of your own supplies & artwork.

GRADING RUBRIC	Unsatisfactory 0-6	Basic 7-8	Proficient 9	Advanced 10
Concept/ Creativity	Copied others, no original ideas	Simple solutions, little evidence of original ideas	Some areas are not completely original	Finished piece shows complete originality
Craftsmanship	Looks sloppy and rushed, unfinished	Sloppy and looks unfinished in places	Minor flaws, most areas completed well	Finished piece is excellent quality
Time Management/ Effort	Tried to avoid working, off task most of time	Worked during class, with little effort	Worked most of the time, with effort	Worked entire time, with enthusiasm
Following Directions/ Process	Not followed, steps were skipped	Steps skipped or minimally completed	Process and steps were followed	Process & steps followed with experimentation beyond directions
Overall Appearance/ Effect	Not finished/ not done according to assignment	Some areas not finished or according to assignment	Completely finished	Completely finished with excellent quality and creativity

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