

ART 1 SYLLABUS

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COURSE CONTENT

Students will be exploring and developing art skills that will become the foundation to their visual arts learning. This course will begin with the elements of art such as color, line, shape, space, etc. Students will learn how these elements work together to create a finished work of art. Students will be exposed to multiple art materials, methods, art movements, artists, and general art history.

GRADING

You will be graded on Art Projects with a Reflection Sheet , Guided Practice and other assignments. The criteria that will be graded for each project will be: Following Instructions, Content, Focus, Effort and Craftsmanship.

If you work diligently, follow project guidelines, attend class regularly and genuinely do your best work in this class, you will pass. My expectations are that students arrive to class on time and are ready to work by the last bell. Students will be focused and actively working during the entire class period. Finished projects are turned in on their due dates with a completed reflection sheet attached with a paperclip. The only way to fail this class is not to turn in projects.

All projects have a due date. If you do not have the project finished by the due date, you will have the opportunity to work on projects during lunch or after school which will be arranged with Ms. Seeman. All late projects MUST be turned in by the end of each semester or no points can be given.

CLASSROOM EXPECTATIONS

Students will:

- Arrive to class on time
- Be prepared to work by the tardy bell and actively participate during class
- Respect the instructor and fellow students
- Try your best
- When students enter the classroom they will remove their airpods/headphones and store phones. (More about this when classroom expectations are discussed in class)
- Cell phones will remain on silent mode during the entire class period
- Clean up thoroughly at the end of each period

LUNCH/ AFTER SCHOOL

Extra time to work or catch up on projects can be scheduled with Ms. Seeman during the student's lunch period and/or after school.