

NOTRE DAME CATHOLIC SCHOOL: 2020-2021 HIGH SCHOOL STUDIO ARTS: SYLLABUS

Instructor:

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Room: #107

Class Period: 7

Course Description:

Studio Art focuses on mastering material and mastering meaning and concept. Each year of high school art will build on each other. Previous years of art and art experience will determine projects & mediums. There will be several levels of art knowledge & skill all in one class.

Objectives:

In this Course Students will:

1. Learn how an artist communicates through their art and gain a deeper understanding of how art is made
2. Discover their creative voice and develop the skills to bring their own creative voice to life through various 2-D and 3-D medium
3. Enhance confidence and learn how to give and take criticism
4. Gain/enhance the ability to develop ideas and critical thinking skills
5. To create display and competition worthy art

Course Requirements:

1. Projects and Tests: 40%
2. Daily work: 20%
3. Attendance /Participation: 40%

Attendance is crucial. Without attendance there is no participation or daily grade which can lead to no project grade. Missed class time for any reason will lead to homework. Students are responsible for all assigned projects for this class.

Participation:

Students are required to actively participate **every day**, whether in discussions or actively creating art. **This class is not a study hall.**

Maintaining and cleaning the art room, following rules & procedures will be part of the participation grade.

Class rules & procedures are on reverse side of syllabus and will be posted in the class room, too. They are subject to change at any time.

Please read the syllabus/rules and supply list and share it with your parents. Then store in your binder for reference.

HS Studio Art: Supply List 2020-2021

- Pencils (#2 or Artist Pencils-not mechanical pencils) as soon as possible
- Pencil Sharpener (optional)
- White Eraser, gum eraser, or kneaded eraser
- Multipurpose Sketchbook (11" x 8.5" or larger)
- ½" or larger 3 ring binder with pockets
- One container of Disinfecting wipes/baby wipes or 1 box of tissues(any brand)as they become available
- **Paint shirt/cover-up-large enough to cover school clothes**

Note: we will be using a wide variety of materials over the course of the year. Students may bring their own art supplies for these projects, if desired.

Other supplies that we will be until inventory is exhausted:

- Tempera, Oil Pastel, Soft Pastel, Water Color, Acrylic, India Ink, Printers ink, Mixed Media Collage, Cut Paper, Printmaking Monotypes and Linoleum, Clay, etc

Attention Students and Parents/ Guardians:

Other supplies or items maybe requested for the students individual projects. When a photo is needed-it needs to be printed out. Notices will be given well in advance for items/supplies that maybe needed. Please write your student's name on all supplies. Any supplies left behind in the studio will be considered a donation. Students are responsible for keep track of their own supplies.

If you cannot, for any reason, purchase or acquire any or all of the listed supplies please contact Mrs. Anne Smith immediately and arrangements can and will be made.