Visual Arts – Mrs. Cory Hall

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Welcome to ART!

The Core Concepts & Skills

Students will work with a variety of materials including markers, crayons, paint, oil pastels, pencil and clay. Our curriculum includes the role of artists in society, recognizing art as a form of communication and expression, and identifying elements of art such as line, shape, color, texture and space.

All projects help students use their imagination. We focus heavily on studio art. Each grade level will have projects tailored to their skill levels. Students will also have weekly sketchbook assignments.

Grading Policy

Please check PowerSchool regularly for grades. Students are not graded on art ability and talent, but on completion or requirements usually measured by a rubric. Grading will follow the school guidelines in the student handbook and work is expected on the due date unless an excused absence. Please see me if there are problems with timeliness on a project. It is the responsibility of the student to ask for missed work upon absence.

Supplies

Some art supplies will be needed for this course, although most of them will be provided. Students will need the following supplies for individual work in class and work that they will take home with them. If there are problems getting supplies, please contact me via email as soon as possible so that we can discuss it. Students will have grades based on sketchbook activities and completion of projects using some of the supplies.

\*Please contact me if you have any questions.

Supplies Needed

-Sketchbook….(bring with you everyday)

-#2 pencils with eraser....(everyday)

-1 or 2 black sharpies (dual point is great!)

-2 plastic grocery bags for clay

-photos and/or pictures of things to draw….

(more information will be provided)