

Art 1: The fundamentals of drawing

Syllabus

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Course Description: Art 1 is the foundation of and prerequisite to Art 2 and Art 3/4. It is a survey course teaching students how to see and draw accurately from observation. Drawing and painting are the major areas covered. Students will become familiar with various drawing techniques such as negative space, sight -measuring, perspective and value. Art 1 is open to all students.

Students will be graded on the following:

Attendance, Clean-up, Effort & Citizenship: 40%

Projects: 60 %

Required Materials:

Sketchbook for DO NOWS and **ready to learn attitude.**

Attendance policy:

According to WPS policy, three unexcused tardies equal an absence, and five or more absences per term equals an incomplete.

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Key Questions:

How do the fundamentals of drawing affect how we see the world?

How does one assess their growth in studio art and creative problem solving?

Goals:

Having the courage to take creative risks

Building a self-managing "A" team

Discovering the leader within you