

Dear Cetronia Family:

Welcome back to school! For those of you that are new to Cetronia, my name is Susan Hardy and I will be your student's art teacher this school year.

I no longer have a website but instead am using my Twitter account as a way for you, the parent, to get a front row seat to our art room. This will be an easy way to visually see what we do day in and day out in the art room at Cetronia. Please follow @ArtyHardyCE on Twitter.

Below are some "business items" for the upcoming school year:



Please do not forget to have your student <u>dress appropriately</u> on art days. Just as you would plan an outfit accordingly on gym day, do the same for art class. We sometimes use materials, which can stain clothes. I do <u>NOT</u> provide smocks for students, but you may send one in with your student. I am unable to store any smocks, so your student would be responsible for bringing it back and forth to school on art days.

<u>Sketchbooks</u> are needed for all students in grades 1st through 5th. The sketchbook can

be store-bought drawing book or lined notebook, or better yet, scrap paper from around the house stapled together. Sketchbooks must be <u>NO LARGER than</u> <u>a standard sheet of paper- 8" by 10"...and should not be overly thick.</u> Sketchbooks will be stored in the homerooms and we have to be understanding to the fact that space is limited.



Why am I not seeing my student's art work? We have a school art show at Cetronia in January. As a result I hold on to your student's work until that date so they can help me in selecting, mounting, and labeling their favorite piece for the show. In the meantime, you might see extra activities come home. All projects are returned to students by the end of the school year. If you are curious as to what your student is doing in class, ask them! If that doesn't work, check out their work on twitter @ArtyHardyCE.

If you have any questions you can e-mail me at <u>hardys@parklandsd.org</u> or call me at extension 23100.

Your Art Teacher,



Mrs. Hardy