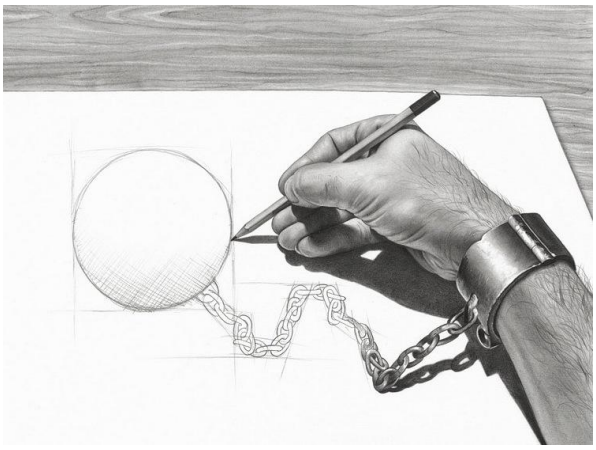
Drawing Foundations



Curriculum Map

Mr. Seiple

This course focuses on developing observational drawing skills.

Month	Unit	Content
Aug/Jan	Introduction; Basics	Basic Drawing Tools; Mark-making; Shading and blending exercises
Sep/Feb	Foundations	Review of linear perspective; Drawing from basic forms using sighting, angles, and blocking-in
Oct/Mar	Structural Drawing	Observational drawing of increasingly complex objects; Textures and surfaces; Overview of the history of Still-life and Vanitas; Still-life drawing
NovApr	Portraiture	Proportions of the human form and face; Drawing the human face practice; Overview of the history of portraiture; Portraiture from observation: Self-portrait from life
Dec/May	Other challenges	Figure drawing basics; Landscape drawing as time/weather allows