



# 2023-2024 Course Syllabus and Classroom Procedures (Visual Arts)

Course Description:	This semester we will be venturing into art using a variety of materials and techniques. We will be studying the Elements of Art, Color Theory and the Principles of Design.
<p align="center"><b>Schoolwide Grading Policy</b> <b>Grading Scale</b></p> <p align="center"><b>A: 90-100 B: 80-89 C: 70-79 D: 60-69 F: Below 59</b></p> <p align="center">Grades will be updated <u><b>weekly</b></u> in PowerSchool.</p> <p align="center">Project Grades -100pts Skills Practice- 50pts Artist Statements- 25pts Sketchbook- 25pts</p>	
<b>Classroom Behavior Expectations</b>	<p align="center">Dolphin P.O.W.E.R Purpose. Ownership. Wonder. Effort. Reflect.</p> <p>Behavior that is disruptive to the learning environment, results in a safety hazard, or is chronic in nature may result in a discipline referral to the administration. See Student Handbook for additional information regarding inappropriate behavior.</p>
<b>Absences/Tardies</b>	<p>It is your responsibility to make up all assignments for any absences. <b>Late assignments are accepted until the end of the current grading period and will receive a 10% deduction from the final grade earned.</b></p> <p>Please check the Week at a Glance, Microsoft Teams and ask for any handouts that you may have missed. If you are unsure of the assignments, ask me.</p>
<b>Supplies</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students will need to bring their charged computer and charger to class daily.</li> <li>• 8"x11" Mixed Media Sketch Book</li> <li>• Folder</li> </ul> <p>Optional</p>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Drawing pencils</li><li>• Erasers</li><li>• Rulers</li><li>• Scissors</li><li>• Paint Brushes</li><li>• Watercolor paint</li></ul>
<b>What major topics/concepts will we learn in this class?</b>	This semester we will learn about the Elements of Art, the Principle of Design and Color Theory. We will be going in depth to understand how they are used by learning vocabulary, art history and creating projects.
<b>What kind of assignments and assessments will we have in class?</b>	Students will complete projects that demonstrates the knowledge they learned. Students will also complete Artist Statements to describe and reflect on their creations.
<b>Are there other places to go to find class information?</b>	Students and parents can visit the school website anytime for additional information. Every classroom teacher posts their plans for the week called Week at a Glance on their webpage which includes the standards being taught that week, assignments, and homework. Teachers will begin posting their Week at a Glance the second week of school.
<b>Teacher contact information</b>	<p>I am excited to have you in my class! I hope to have a safe and fun time creating and learning about art this semester!</p> <p><b>Contact me!</b> soriya.kinnaly@onlsow.k12.nc.us</p>



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Parents and Students, please sign below indicating that you have read and understand the above rules and procedures. If you have any questions, please contact me at (910) 347-1202 or send an email. Return to your child's homeroom teacher.

With my signature below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the above classroom policies and procedures.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_