

Skills in the Art Room

1ST GRADE

DRAWING

- Identify and create lines including horizontal, vertical, diagonal, spiral and dotted
- Identify and create a variety of organic and geometric shapes
- Understand and define texture
- Hold and use tools appropriately

PAINTING

- Learn to make controlled strokes with the brush
- Mix primary colors to make secondary colors; can make colors lighter or darker
- Identify and create Secondary Colors: Green, Purple and Orange
- Hold and use tools appropriately

PRINTMAKING

- Use stamping technique with various objects
- Review pattern/repetition
- Learn about and use printmaking tools in a safe, responsible manner

CONSTRUCTION/COLLAGE

- Use Glue appropriately; Use scissors appropriately to cut curved & straight lines
- Understand and implement overlapping techniques
- Demonstrate ability to fold, glue, fringe, pleat, tear (with difficulty) and cut paper

SCULPTING

- Construct pinch pots or form a piece of “pinch out” sculpture from clay; make simple coil pots and apply glazes
- See the difference between two-dimensional and three-dimensional work