

General Course Information

Course Name: Art - 1st Grade	
Department: Visual Art	Grade Level: 1st
Duration/Credits: 1 year	Prerequisite: Kindergarten art
BOE Approval Date:	Course Code:
Course Description:	
In First Grade, the student will develop their creative ability and explore different art media, such as drawing, painting and collage, sculpture and printmaking. The students will be exposed to famous artworks from history and other cultures as well as learn skills in interpreting and discussing works of art.	
Course Rationale:	
The purpose of providing art in first grade is to develop an understanding and appreciation of the arts.	
Course Objectives:	
Create - The student will have opportunities to play, investigate, acquire skills and interact with art materials and art processes. Present - The student will be able to select, analyze, explain and share art experiences. Respond - The student will be able to perceive, analyze, interpret and evaluate works of art and their art experiences. Connect - The student will be able to connect art work to their own personal lives or the lives of others.	