General Course Information

Course Name: Visual Arts: Cadet Teaching	
Department: Visual Arts	Grade Level(s): 12
Duration/Credits: 1 Semester/ .5 Credits	Prerequisites: Grade "B" or better in previous applicable Visual Art classes and approval of art classroom teacher and department chair.
BOE Approval Date: 11/19/19	Course Code: H7130

Course Description:

Cadet Teaching gives the student the opportunity to participate in many activities that will both familiarize him/her with the teaching process as well as strengthening his/her own Visual Art skills. The student will help prepare lessons and visual aids. The cadet teacher will assist small groups of students.

Course Rationale:

Artistic literacy is a necessity for everyone in order to use artistic information to make wise choices. Today, the job market demands advanced skills, requiring people to be able to learn new skills, use reason, think creatively, make decisions, work collaboratively, and solve problems. An understanding of art and the processes of artistic design contribute in an essential way to these skills.

Course Objectives:

- The student will write and implement a mini-lesson for teaching a visual arts class. (A+: Writing)
- The student will assist the teacher in researching visual art topics. (A+: Research)
- The student will tutor peers in both group and individual settings. (A+: Speaking and Listening)
- The student will read handouts, articles, and literature to develop and conduct teacher-assigned activities. (A+: Reading)

Standards Alignment:

https://dese.mo.gov/sites/default/files/curr-mls-standards-fa-visual-arts-sboe-2019.pdf