

General Course Information

Course Name: Painting I	
Department: Visual Arts	Grade Level(s): 9, 10, 11, 12
Duration/Credits: .5 Unit - One Semester (Fine Arts)	Prerequisites: 2-D Art Foundations. Drawing skills are recommended.
BOE Approval Date: 11/19/19	Course Code H7030
Course Description:	
<p>This course builds on foundational painting skills with an emphasis on techniques in tempera, watercolor, acrylics, and mixed media. The art elements and principles of design will be used with emphasis on color, composition, and drawing as they relate to painting. Themes relating to art history will also be incorporated along with criticism and aesthetic awareness. In addition, students will be involved in research and written assignments. This course has a \$5.00 lab fee. \$10 LAB FEE</p>	
Course Rationale:	
<p>Painting has been a form of visual communication since the beginning of human history. Visual literacy will be addressed by producing paintings that record individual ideas, political and social views, and daily personal images. Through sketches, direct observations, or photographic resources, students will transfer their ideas into concrete images. Throughout the course, students will become acquainted with celebrated painters, their styles, and techniques. Painting develops visual literacy, dexterous abilities, two-dimensional problem-solving skills, and media understanding.</p>	
Course Objectives:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The student will produce at least 2-3 paintings in a variety of media from direct observation, sketches, or photographic resources.• The student will read about and demonstrate proficiency in painting techniques, use of tools, and color theory to produce paintings such as still life, landscape, or contemporary images. (A+ Reading)• After conducting research, the student will demonstrate knowledge through written analysis of significant paintings, both historical and contemporary. (A+ Research, A+ Writing)• The student will develop the ability to make aesthetic judgments and share	

feedback about their own paintings and others'. (A+ Speaking and Listening)
Standards Alignment:
https://dese.mo.gov/sites/default/files/curr-mls-standards-fa-visual-arts-sboe-2019.pdf