

General Course Information

Course Name: Independent Study in Visual Arts	
Department: Visual Arts	Grade Level(s) 12
Duration/Credits: 1 semester/.5 credit	Prerequisites: Application approval
BOE Approval Date: 11/19/2019	Course Code: H7120
Course Description:	
<p>This course is designed for the student possessing a high degree of independence and responsibility who desires to investigate topics beyond regular course work. The course objectives, outline, and evaluation procedures must be developed by the student and approved by parent/guardian, teacher and submitted to the department chairperson prior to enrollment.</p> <p>There is a \$10 lab fee for this course.</p>	
Course Rationale:	
<p>This course is designed to provide an opportunity for the upper level visual art student to explore a specific topic of their choice, emphasizing work ethic, deadlines, and research.</p>	
Course Objectives:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The student will propose 4-5 art project ideas for each Semester.• The student will produce a minimum of 3 major works in the use of art elements and principles of design. (A+ Speaking and Listening) (A+ Research)• The student will prepare and participate in a least one visual arts display/showcase.• The student will write a critical review of art exhibitions and/or write a research report on a famous artist related to their chosen area of Independent Student. (A+ Writing) (A+ Reading)	
Standards Alignment:	
https://dese.mo.gov/sites/default/files/curr-mls-standards-fa-visual-arts-sboe-2019.pdf	