What my child needs to know in High School Fine Arts?

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
• Present music expressively using technology while participating in music activities. • Create original music or arrange music for others using technology. • Discern musical elements and classification by genre, style, historical period or culture • Display proper performance etiquette. • Read, write and perform music with the understanding of cultural influences

MUSIC
• Present music expressively using technology • Create original music or arrangement the music for others • Discern musical elements and classification by genre, style, historical period, or culture. • Use informed judgments through participation, performance, and the creative process. • Read, write, and perform music with the understanding of historical/cultural influence and self evaluated judgments.

VISUAL ARTS
• Apply critical thinking and reasoning, information literacy, collaboration, self-direction, and invention • Apply the elements and principles of art and design • Examine, discuss, and apply the inherent characteristics and expressive features of art • Discover how art and design have purpose and function • Use reflective strategies to understand the creative process • Collect an interpretative vocabulary to describe, evaluate, and understand works of art • Recognize the importance of creative communication as a necessary skill in everyday life • Connect historical and cultural contexts found in visual art