



Welcome to Art 4

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*Through inspired observation, research, creation, and analysis
students develop communication skills and solve artistic problems with insight and reason. JJ*

Visual Arts IV help students reinforce competence and confidence in skills of analysis, evaluation, and creation of works of art. The student-directed approach at this level richly enhances personal expressive abilities. An advanced level of performance that reflects critical and independent thinking and innovation is expected. Students maintain their portfolios in digital and physical form.

***** Chromebooks will be used often and need to be brought EVERY day fully charged.**

► Expectations for Student Success ◀

RESPONSIBILITY

Be on time and prepared
Submit work when due
Return tools to proper home
Practice safe procedures

PRIDE

In all work
Classroom environment
Self and classmate's success


RESPECT

All students & their
property
Tools, equipment, &
classroom
The teacher & her expertise

Each student that uses the art room, its tools, and materials during the semester is responsible for its cleanliness. Destructive behavior towards art materials, furniture, or equipment will result in the restriction of their use and the completion of projects with pencil and paper only.

CELL PHONES will not be allowed during instruction or creation time in the classroom. In order to photograph student artwork, **CELL PHONES** may be used during the last 10 minutes of class with permission from Ms. Junto. A photography unit using student cell phone cameras will be an exception. No texting or social media activity will be allowed. MCHS' cell phone policy will be strictly followed.

See more information on project procedures, grading, and suggested supplies on the back.

 **Each unit/module and project** will be explained in the classroom and in Canvas (online learning

program). When a project is finished each completed project will be photographed by the student and the photo submitted to a specific project submission page in Art 4's Canvas. Edited cell phone photos and/or art room "loaner camera photos" are acceptable. In addition, students will write a reflection. **A quality photo(s) of the artwork must be submitted to Canvas in order to earn a grade.**



Most projects will be chosen by the art student so a reasonable date of completion will be stated in the first written goal for the project. Weekly goals will be written and submitted to the student's digital Creativity Book. **The goals will not be graded if submitted later than Tuesday of that week.** The due date will be dependent on the scope of the project and based on committed work habits of the student. The deadline may be adjusted as the project continues and will be determined by discussion between the student and teacher. Students with excused absences will be given additional time to complete a project – **on a case by case basis** after discussion with Ms. Junto and her written approval that will include a new established date.

 **Work expected during absences**

If a student is absent for 2 days or more, it is highly recommended a student refers to Canvas and work at home on the assignments posted during the absence.

Grades are earned, not given! Grades will be determined based on the student's performance in the following areas: creativity, addressing assignment specifics, craftsmanship, written reflections, research, quizzes, studio maintenance, timely completion of assignments, and warm up activities.

Grade weight Projects 60% Quizzes (quiz or small project) 20% Daily Assignments 20%

Each art assignment is percentage based with a perfect score equaling 100.

100-90% = A 89-80% = B 79-70% = C 69-65% = D 64% and Below = F

The Final Exam will be a digital portfolio called a “Creativity Book” that consists of a collection of projects and written reflections that demonstrate the student’s growth and understanding of Art 1 concepts and skills. Students need to contribute to this digital portfolio throughout the semester.

The exam grade is significant and counts 10% of a student’s final grade.

Required supplies

tissue box as donation to art room

2 medium/fine point black sharpies & 2 ultra fine point black sharpies to keep in your backpack,

wooden pencils (not mechanical)

I have read and understand the front & back pages of MCHS Art 4’s Expectations and Procedures.

Parent name printed

Student name printed

Parent signature

date

Student signature

date