

ART 1 & 2 | SYLLABUS

WHITLOCK FLEXIBLE LEARNING CENTER

ABOUT THIS COURSE

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Welcome to Art

I'm Ms. Cannon, and this will be my fourth-year teaching at WFLC. I am extremely excited for this new year and have some amazing projects planned! Together, we will navigate through this unprecedented school year. Glad you are here, let's make some amazing art together!

Our learning objectives for this year are: **Let's Explore, Create, & Discuss Art! Critical thinking and problem solving are necessary.** Art I is a project-based course designed to teach the fundamentals of art. Topics include, but are not limited to, the Elements and Principles of Art, drawing, painting, and construction. **A willingness to try and a strong work ethic will help you succeed.** I am here to help you along the way.

Class Schedule

- 8:20 - 8:57 → Advisory
- 9:00 - 10:15 → 1st Block
- 10:18 - 11:32 → 2nd Block
- 11:35 - 1:27 → 3rd Block
 - 12:00 - 12:30 → 1st Lunch
 - 12:35 - 1:00 → 2nd Lunch
- 1:30 - 2:45 → 4th Block

Supplies & Materials

All materials are supplied by Ms. Cannon and WFLC. **Students are responsible for bringing a pencil to class every day.** Art will not use a textbook instead videos, images, and internet resources are used.

NEW COVID-19 PROCEDURES - Students are not allowed to share materials. Each student is given a supply bag with 2 pencils, an eraser, 1 package of colored pencils, and 1 package of markers. They are responsible for keeping track of these supplies. Project-specific supplies, such as paintbrushes are cleaned and sanitized after each student's use.

REMOTE LEARNING WITH GOOGLE CLASSROOM

Our class will use Google Classroom regularly. I will train students how to use Google Classroom for this class. Directions on how to access Google Classroom can be found on my teacher web page.

Attendance is mandatory

Attendance = attending the Virtual MS Teams Meeting within the first 10 minutes of class
Assignments must be completed before 3:00 pm on remote learning days

eLearning for inclement weather

During periods of inclement weather, WFLC will require students to participate in eLearning. These days, assignments are posted by 8:30 am. Students can find eLearning assignments on the class Google Classroom page under the heading "eLearning for (date of eLearning)" → for example: eLearning for 1/5/2020.

eLearning Assignments are graded as participation and count for school attendance

Power outages or lack of Wi-Fi/Internet – Students have 3 school days to return missing assignments after inclement weather closing.

SOUTH CAROLINA VISUAL ARTS STANDARDS

STANDARD 1: The student will demonstrate competence in the use of ideas, materials, techniques, and processes in the creation of works of visual art. (I can use the Elements and Principles of art to create artwork.)

STANDARD 2: The student will use composition and the elements and principles of design to communicate ideas. (I can use different materials techniques and processes to make art.)

STANDARD 3: The student will examine the content of works of visual art and use elements from them in creating his/her/their own works. (I can improve and complete artistic work using elements and principles.)

STANDARD 4: The student will understand the visual arts in relation to history and world cultures and the technologies, tools, and materials used by artists. (I can identify and examine the role of visual arts through history and world cultures.)

STANDARD 5: The student will analyze and assess the characteristics and qualities of his/her/their own works of visual art and those of others. (I can interpret and evaluate the meaning of an artwork.)

STANDARD 6: The student will make connections between the visual arts and other arts disciplines, other content areas, and the world. (I can relate visual arts and ideas to other disciplines, content areas, and careers.)

GRADING POLICIES

You are expected to work from bell to bell (beginning to end of class). Art will count as a fine art and/or elective credit for your high school graduation. Yes, you are expected to do work in this class; and yes, you will receive a grade in this class.

Grade Categories

- Completed Projects: 60%
- Quizzes: 10%
 - Midterm: 10% (for 1st & 3rd Quarters only)
- Art Journal & Workbook: 20%
- Art Critique: 5%
- Participation: 5%

Art 1 (or Art 2) is a semester course. First Quarter: 40% + Second Quarter: 40% + Final Exam: 20% = Final Grade. I will work with any student concerned about their progress. **However, I will not complete any assignment for them.**

Homework

****New for 2021-2022 School Year****

*Two (2) homework assignments are required per week. You will be required to complete an art exercise in your workbook - specific assignments are assigned on Mondays and Wednesdays. Homework is due at the beginning of class on Wednesdays and Fridays. **Homework is graded.***

Missing & Late Work

It is your responsibility to make up missing assignments. You have 5 days once you return to school to make up assignments.

ISS Work

No art projects will be completed in ISS. All art supplies will stay in the room. **NO EXCEPTIONS!** Students are assigned work in Google Classroom or sent a packet to complete. The work is graded and will not replace work completed in class.

OSS Work

Students assigned OSS will work on their assignments in Google Classroom. A packet is available if the student does not have access to technology and/or Wi-Fi.

Academic Integrity

Students are expected to abide by ethical standards in preparing and presenting material for class. Any instances of cheating or plagiarism will result in zero credit for the assignment. That includes students who provided the information and those who use it.

Grade Reporting

Students can track their progress in Google Classroom. Parents can access their child's grades through PowerSchool. A printed progress report is issued bi-monthly. If a parent or student has questions about their progress, please contact me.

Communication with Parents/Guardians

Parent/Guardian contact is made regularly. Emails, phone calls, or snail mail are means of communication used throughout the school term. I will be available to speak with parents/guardians and students whenever necessary.

BEHAVIOR POLICIES

As young adults, you are responsible for your behavior. You are expected to conduct yourself with a certain level of maturity. Below you will find the class policies and procedures you are expected to follow.

Class Expectations

- Be **ACTIVE** & put forth effort
- Be **RESPECTFUL & RESPONSIBLE** to/for each other, materials, teacher, self, and action
- Be **TIDY** and clean up after yourself
- Be **SAFE** and follow all safety rules & procedures

Class Rules

- **NO VANDALISM** of the classroom
- Clean up after yourself & put back all materials
- Enter the classroom, sanitize your hands & workspace then begin working immediately
- Listen for all instructions, no talking while the teacher is speaking
- Watch your language and conversations
- **COVID-19 → Stay in assigned seats, do not share materials, and wear a mask**

Consequences

- 1st Offense: Verbal Warning & Student Conference (Capturing Kids' Hearts 4 questions)
- 2nd Offense: Minor Referral, clean up duty, and parent contact
- 3rd Offense: Major Referral and parent contact
- 4th Offense: Removal by Administrator, major referral, parent contact or conference

All WFLC school rules apply when in the art room, some actions will result in automatic removal by administrator!

PBIS Points & Rewards

Students can earn PBIS points – points can be used for dress down days and activities at WFLC. Some ways to earn points include...

- Working Hard & Trying your best
- Helping other students
- Being safe with materials
- Coming to class on time with proper materials

(The best way to earn points is to go above and beyond class expectations)

ADDITIONAL POLICIES

Media & Videos

Videos, images, and/or additional media will be used in this course for educational purposes. These resources are used to supplement learning and not to replace direct instructions. As per the WFLC Handbook, parent/guardian permission form must be signed and returned for the student to participate.

NON-INSTRUCTIONAL Procedures (Taught in class)

- How to participate in class discussions and critiques
- Following the Social Contract
- Gathering, using, and putting away materials
- Entering and leaving class
- Emergency Policies & Procedures

PACING GUIDE | TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

*Subject to change

Unit 1: The Basics – Composition & Drawing Fundamentals

- *Topics*
 - Elements & Principles of Art
 - Arrangement & Rules of Composition
 - Proportion & Scale
 - Perspective
 - Observational Drawing
- *Possible Assessments*
 - Agamorph Names
 - Neurographic Triptych
 - Silhouettes
 - Gesture & Contour Drawings
 - Still Life
- *Timeframe*
 - 6 Weeks

Unit 2: Culture & Art Appreciation

- *Topics*
 - Construction & Craftsmanship
 - Art Critique
 - Hispanic Heritage Month & Hispanic/Spanish/Latinx Arts
 - Art History
- *Possible Assessments*
 - Positive/Negative Spaces
 - Collage
 - Masks & Papier Mache Sculpture
 - Gallery Walkthroughs
- *Timeframe*
 - 6 Weeks

Unit 3: Color Theory

- *Topics*
 - Color Symbolism
 - Color Mixing & Schemes
 - Painting Techniques
- *Possible Assessments*
 - Digital Pop Art
 - Printmaking
 - Painting
 - Outdoors
 - Mixed Media
- *Timeframe*
 - 6 Weeks

2021 - 2022 Academic Calendar | Important Dates to Remember

August

- 9th - 13th Staff Development
- 16th 1st Day of School

September

- 6th Labor Day | No School
- 16th Progress Reports

October

- 15th - 17th Midterms
- 18th End of 1st Quarter
- 21st Report Cards

November

- 1st - 2nd Staff Development/Election Day, No School
- 18th Progress Reports
- 24th - 26th Thanksgiving Holiday, No School

December

- 9th - 10th Final Exams
- 17th End of Semester
- 20th - 31st Winter Holidays, No School

January

- 4th Students Return to School
- 17th MLK Day, No School

February

- 7th Progress Reports
- 14th Staff Development Day (Snow Make up Day, if needed)

March

- 15th - 16th Midterm Exams
- 17th End of 3rd Quarter
- 18th Staff Development Day

April

- 4th - 8th Spring Break, No School
- 26th Progress Reports

May

- 18th - 20th Final Exams
- 27th Last Day of School
- 30th Memorial Day