

## **I.B. ART AND DESIGN**

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Through the projects we will be doing in I.B. Art, you will be preparing to accomplish the objectives set forth by the International Baccalaureate Organization. The Principles of Design and the Elements of Art, along with a variety of techniques and materials will be incorporated so that you are well equipped to complete the requirements.

Through research, and journalizing, you will demonstrate visually and in writing, an understanding of topics and concepts of art. You will demonstrate knowledge of the cultural, historical and social aspects of art.

This is a rigorous program, and you will have to stay on top of things to succeed. You will have to keep up on assignments and journal entries or you will get behind and set yourself up for failure. If you commit yourself to your work, you will enjoy your work and be the richer for it.

### **OBJECTIVES:**

To develop studio techniques and to pursue individual art research with emphasis placed on the development of a personal body of work within a variety of media. To display skill, control and depth of understanding in that work, and to use the research book in relationship to and complementary to the work.

### **OUTCOMES:**

Students will:

- Apply the principals of design and the elements of art to a variety of techniques and media.
- Be introduced to different forms of art, various cultures and historical periods.
- Complete projects that require problem solving, originality, creativity and craftsmanship.
- Become familiar with many different materials and processes for their use.

### **ASSESSMENT:**

- The MCPS Visual Arts Assessment Rubric will be used to determine unit grades.
- Juniors and Seniors must complete each assignment by the due dates as they are announced. You will have one additional week (5 days) to complete or improve assignments outside of class time. Work will not be accepted after that time.

**CONT: ASSESSMENT:**

- Seniors will turn in proposals for all projects related to their focus. Grades will be based on weekly journal entries, averaging five pages a week, and effective use of class time on projects, which will be part of the senior show.
- Journal grades are based on an I.B. assessment rubric.

**CLASS RULES AND PROCEDURES:**

- Be on time to class, the MCPS attendance policy is in effect. If you arrive after the bell rings, please show me your signed passbook.
- At the end of class, please stay in your seat until you are dismissed.
- Work on projects assigned each class period. Projects are designed with adequate time for completion. Time not spent on art during class may result in a poor grade.
- Maintain supplies and workspace appropriately. Each student is required to clean up their own workspace, as well as areas used by all students.
- No food or drink is allowed in the classroom.

**LAB FEE: \$20 per semester**

**SUPPLIES: a journal approximately 8" x 10"**

**Film and processing for photos for senior exam booklet.**

**I look forward to working with you and having a great year!**

**A.White**