



PROFICIENT ART

syllabus

South Caldwell High School
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In this class you will:

- Generate artistic ideas & develop Creativity
- **Produce & complete artworks**
- **Understand the importance of art in culture**
- **Work on responsibility & cooperation**
- **Recall, understand, analyze, & interpret artworks**

Required Materials:

NO REQUIRED MATERIALS! Art fee covers ALL supplies and materials used in class.

\$40 Art Fee is due ASAP

Student Expectations:

- Respect each other
- Properly use supplies, tools, & materials as demonstrated
- Come prepared to work
- Clean up after yourself
- Put forth your best effort

Grading Policy:

PROJECTS | 60%

Students will complete projects in each unit. A rubric will be provided for each project that clearly explains what is expected for each project.

QUIZZES | 15%

There will be quizzes given in each unit on material covered in class. It is important to take notes and pay close attention during class.

NOTES & IN CLASS ACTIVITIES | 15%

Students will take notes, bell ringers, and complete in class activities throughout the semester. This also includes pre-project planning in your sketchbook.

Tardy Policy:

- 1-2 - Student Warning
- 3-4 - Parent Contact
- 5-6 - 1 day lunch detention
- 7 - 1 day ISS
- 8 - 1 day ISS & loss of parking pass for remainder of semester

Things to Remember:

- Do work with maximum effort
- Turn work in on time
- Make up work in a timely manner
- Participate fully in all activities & assignments
- Respect each other & materials
- Ask for help as needed
- Use class time wisely
- Have original ideas, NO copying

Extra Credit Opportunities:

Part of being an artist is exposure to art. You will receive for attending art shows, visiting museums, attending art festivals, etc. Take a picture of your self there and email it to me for credit.

Follow Us:

All up to date information will be posted on our class website. Scan QR to go directly to website.

On Instagram - @schs.art

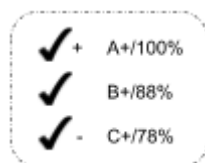


Grading & Late Work Policy:

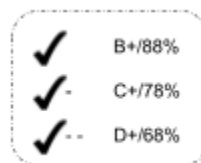
Major Projects- All major projects are scored using a rubric based on the learning objectives of the assignment. 5 points will be deducted per day late. Projects turned in more than one week late will be scored with a rubric using 50% as the highest possible score.

Practice Assignments- All practice assignments must be completed/made-up by the end of the unit.

Practice assignments grading scale:



Late practice assignments grading scale:



Extension Policy:

If a student has excused absences from class and would like an extension on a major project, they must request using the form located on the class website. A one day extension will be given for each excused day missed during the project.

Left Your Work At Home and are unable to work on projects during class?

1st offense - chores

2nd offense - chores & points deducted from assignment

3rd offense - chores, points deducted, & Referral

Exam:

The final exam is teacher made. Exams count for 20% of your overall course grade. Exam exemption is based on the following:

A < 2 Absences B < 1 Absence C < No Absences

* 3 tardies count as one absence for exam purposes *

Field trips & religious observances do not count as absences. Excused and unexcused absences count the same for exam purposes. For more information on the CCS exam policy please read the SCHS Student Handbook

Cell Phone Policy:

No cell phones are allowed to be out or in use during class time as stated in the SCHS Student Handbook. This includes earbuds, smartwatches, and other electronic devices.

1st Offense – device confiscated & turned into the office. Can pick up after school

2nd Offense – device confiscated & turned into the office AND 1 day ISS

3rd Offense - device confiscated & turned into the office AND 2 days ISS

4th Offense - device confiscated & turned into the office AND 1 day OSS

***Failure to surrender device is an automatic OSS**