



Class Name: Drawing 1
Fall & Spring 2018-19

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Grade level: 7th-12th

Description: Believing that a solid foundation in drawing is the base on which all other art forms are built this class will survey key skills and concepts in a lecture/workshop environment. In this class students can expect instruction on artistic practices ranging from basic pencil techniques to drawing from life, from rudimentary color theory to perspective and composition. Appropriate for beginners and those hoping to broaden their understanding, the focus will be on the idea of “drawing what you see not what you know”, a concept applicable for both a creative interests and in more technical renderings in a variety of career fields. Students will be required to keep an ongoing sketch book of exercises covered in class culminating in a final portfolio displaying progress, understanding and individual style. I look forward to challenging and encouraging your students in their art skills.

Prerequisites: None

Supplies required:

- 11”X14” sketch pad (I suggest a Strathmore brand spiral bound from Hobby Lobby)
- Artist pencil set (Generals is a good quality, fairly inexpensive brand)
- Erasers (rubber and kneaded)
- Tortillions (also known as smudge sticks)
- Colored pencil set
- Ruler
- I suggest a pencil box or some kind of container to keep art supplies separate from school supplies

**The final project will require minimal, additional supplies such as a portfolio, sheet protectors ect.

- **Monthly class cost:** \$8.00 per week
- **Materials fee:** \$10.00

Maximum # of students: 12

Minimum # of Students: 5