

ART CURRICULUM SUMMARY

The purpose of the Art Curriculum Summary is to present an over of the Digital Design curriculum. Parents are the intended audience for the Art Curriculum Summary.

Tools/Techniques/Software	Production and Exhibition
<p>Adobe Illustrator</p> <p>Learn how to set up and prepare a page for development of a work. Practice use of tools; pen tool, shape tool, color theory & fill tools, transformation, arrange, etc. Develop skills to draw representational objects/commercial design on the computer. Develop skills in compositional arrangements for finished product.</p> <p>Adobe Photoshop</p> <p>Learn how to set up and prepare a page for development of a work Practice use of tools; masking tool, drawing tools, color and fill tools, painting tools, transformation, arrange, etc. Develop R Mode (Left/Right Brain Exercises). Learn to draw objects, reconstruct photographs, paint over photographic images, and arrange dynamic compositions</p> <p>Combinations, including handmade work</p> <p>Research computer artists of the past and compare and contrast the work. Reflect on historical and cultural connections in art Learn basic contour drawing techniques, collage, color theory, thumbnail sketches. Refine skills to develop “Real” products (i.e. student handbook cover, Get Real project, greeting cards for publication, mini poster, Living Arts T-Shirt, and incorporate handmade work into digital designs for personal expression. Practice realistic rendering techniques.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop a body of work for exhibition in Art Show • Research History of Computer Art and Artists to incorporate a Historical/Cultural influence in a work • Learn how to prepare work for exhibition • Create a digital portfolio of work in PowerPoint • Experiment with animation tools in Photoshop <p style="text-align: center;">Critique</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop vocabulary to critique artwork • Apply the process of criticism • Engage in group critiques <p style="text-align: center;">Career Awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be aware of and explore art-related career opportunities and skills required for various careers and jobs • Significance of art portfolio for the career world <p style="text-align: center;">Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand nonfiction text appropriate to grade level