

GRADING:

Your grade is directly tied to your effort. Not everyone comes into Art class with the same talent, exposure, or interest. What this means is we are looking for you to think about the project and problem solve, work everyday to improve your skills, and use your time wisely to complete the project. *We grade based on 4 basic standards:*

Criteria

Creativity

Craftsmanship

Completion

MAKE UP/ LATE WORK:

When absent, check with your teacher to see what you missed. In general, you may be able to complete make up work in class when you return from an absence. If you get behind you can come in and work before or after school to catch up. Check with us to schedule a time. We want you to be successful.

UIL / ART CLUB:

- after school meetings typically run from October - February
- art teachers will announce specific meeting dates
- any student who wants to create work for UIL consideration or just work on personal projects may attend meetings
- students must be picked up by 4:45pm or sign up for the late bus the day before

TECHNOLOGY:

Schoology: All virtual learning assignments will be posted in Schoology. Email your teacher if you need assistance!

Artsonia: DMS uses Artsonia as a fundraiser and digital portfolio of student artwork. Students upload photos of projects to an online profile, where family members can view and comment on their work. Family members can also purchase souvenirs of artwork, such as coffee mugs and keychains. A portion of the proceeds is given to DMS and used to purchase art supplies. Parents will receive more info via email after virtual learning settles in.

REQUIRED SUPPLIES:

- **PLEASE NOTE:** This info is subject to change due to COVID-19.
- Every student enrolled in an art course for the 2020-21 school year is being asked to pay a \$20 fee to cover the cost of individual art supply kits.
- Due to safety requirements, students will not be able to share art supplies as we've done in the past.
- Until we have permission from the district to begin purchasing/distributing supplies, students will use any supplies they already have available at home and/or from their grade level supply list. Projects during this time will require very minimal supplies (think: a pencil and notebook paper or a digital drawing app).
- Updated info will be shared here: <https://dmsartcom.wixsite.com/dmsart/supplies> for more info!

SUPPLY WISHLIST:

Although the supply fee will help us purchase more supplies than ever, we rely on donations to cover the expense of additional supplies. Click the link to donate items from our Amazon wishlist. You have the option to have items shipped directly to DMS.

We appreciate your support!!!

<http://a.co/7z0MjzA>

