## **Drawing I** Introduction Drawing (One Semester)

**Instructor: Patty Ryan** 

**Prerequisite** is successful completion of Art I

**Instructor Recommendation:** Suggests that student take Drawing Foundations before

Painting.

**Description:** This course is a beginning level class that guides students in developing and building basic drawing skills. Students will draw from life, figure drawing, perspective and illustration. Students will use a variety of media such as pencil, marker, chalk, pastels, scratchboard, charcoal, and pen & ink. Artists will demonstrate a sincere desire to explore a variety of ideas and problems. Students will explore life and artworks of various artists. Students will learn to self-assess their work. Students will collect their artwork for their portfolios. Students will keep a drawing book. Student must display their work at the Spring Art Show.

<u>Materials:</u> Bring a pencil to class everyday! Bring a lock for in the art room. Store a folder in the classroom.

<u>Grades</u> Your grade for this course will be based on the following work.

Daily Class Participation \* Collaboration and cooperation in class

Exercises, Web Quests, Notes and Tutorials

Major Projects

Final Project /Portfolio

Attendance at the Spring Art Fest (required to attend)

<u>Class participation</u> I am assuming that all students are beginners! I expect the classroom environment to be collaboration and sharing at all times! Students can socialize with others during class, however, do not lose focus of the art project or hinder the progress of others! Class disruptions can not be tolerated.

## Class Participation grade includes the following areas:

- Clean up sinks
- Clean up your own table & help others at your table
- Bring a Pencil Every Day
- Store a pocket folder in the Classroom on your shelf
- Keep your voice to an acceptable volume as not to disrupt
- Must show progress each day on the project and skills
- Turn projects and assignments in on time
- Ask for help when needed
- Respect other students, the teacher and the school supplies.
- Coming to class totally prepared with a plan, acquired skills and exercising vocabulary
- Active listening in class to instructions, formulating questions, problem solving
- Asking for help when needed.
- No Gossip! Nothing but love in the art room!
- No Cellphones in the classroom accept for RESEARCH reasons

<u>Homework:</u> Almost none. You may be asked to bring in things such as photographs or print offs from computer for a project. You may need to complete missing work outside of class.

## **Grading Scale**

**A** 100-90

**B** 89-80

**C** 79-70

**D** 69—60

F 59-

## **Academic Integrity**

Cheating and plagiarism will not be tolerated! However, sharing of ideas and technical skills is required! KNOW THE DIFFERENCE!

My door is always open! My goal is to get students excited about ART! Please come see me anytime!