

Course Description

Grade 3 Art

Philosophy Statement: God as the Master Artist is the author of all creation. (Genesis 1:1) Because mankind bears His image, all people are endowed with creativity. Art is unique in that it challenges students to use their heart, mind, and soul to creatively express themselves. Art should be used to glorify God and demonstrate His work in their lives.

Course Objective: Students will use various media, techniques, and processes as they apply the elements of art and principles of design to art projects. The merit of student's work and the work of others is reinforced by a Biblical worldview of art history and culture.

Textbooks: None

Materials:

- Tempera paint
- Watercolor paint
- Permanent markers
- Crayons
- Markers
- Clay
- Glaze
- Yarn/burlap
- Colored pencils

Time Allotment: 40 minutes per day, 2 days in a 6 day cycle

Course Content:

- Painting
- Design-color
 - black and white
- Sculpture-clay
- Texture-weaving with fibers
- Line-symmetrical abstract design
- Color-color wheel
 - complementary colors
 - patterns
 - repetition
- Shape- balance, counterbalance
- Value-stippling, hatching, cross-hatching

Areas to be evaluated:

- Individual progress in specific medias
- Analyzes the work of others

Additional activities:

- Art Show participation
- Collaborative efforts with home room teachers