



4th Grade Art

Fourth Grade Art Students are reinforcing and expanding their understanding of the elements and principles of design. There are three main art disciplines at the Intermediate School: Painting, Drawing, and Sculpture.

By the end of 4th grade, students will...

1. **Painting:**

- ✓ Apply painting techniques and demonstrate them in projects
- ✓ Using the paintbrushes and paints and learning the proper way to clean them
- ✓ Recognize and apply the fundamental of vocabulary (primary, secondary, warm, cool, tints, shades)
- ✓ Know and use the elements of art and principles of design to produce, review and revise

2. **Drawing:**

- ✓ Know and apply drawing techniques and demonstrate them in projects.
- ✓ Using pencils, color pencils, markers, oil pastels, etc. to demonstrate the elements of art and principles of design (line, shape, color, value, texture, balance, contrast, space, proportion and scale).
- ✓ Understanding the genres (Pop Art, Modern, Surrealism), styles and time periods of the artists.

3. **Sculpture:**

- ✓ Know and use the elements of art and principles of design to produce, review and revise
- ✓ Know how to create forms from a variety of three dimensional materials including clay, plaster, wire, papier mache, etc.
- ✓ Learn various clay methods: coiling, slab, pinch, additive, subtractive
- ✓ Demonstrate ability to handle and use materials safely and effectively to create a three dimensional work of art.