Visual Arts 2018-2019 Studio Management

A. Studio Conduct

All rules set forth by the 2018-2019 Ascension Episcopal School Parent/Student Handbook will be enforced in this class.

As a viable member of the Ascension Episcopal School faith community, you are expected and required to behave in a Christian manner in and out of class.

Genuine respect and courtesy for all adults and students will be demanded at all times.

Inappropriate studio conduct includes a negative attitude towards your project and peers. Using negative words towards self and others, not following directions, failure to have materials for projects or assignments, disruption of class in any manner, not properly caring for art supplies, and doing other class work while in class is unacceptable.

Students may not use headphones to listen to music on their laptops during class time. **Cell phones are not to be used in class**, unless permission is granted for artistic purposes. All cell phones will be placed in our door hanger at the beginning of the class period and reclaimed at the end of class as students exit the room. If a student is caught texting, Netflixing, Instagramming, Snapchatting or anything else without permission, phones will be taken and held for the day. After the first offense, phones are turned over to the dean.

B. Studio Procedures & Expectations

1.Clean-up time

Students are responsible for cleaning their space and properly caring for materials.

Students will be given prompts for proper clean-up times. For example, it only takes 30 seconds to pick up pencils and sketchbooks, but 5-7 minutes to clean-up an entire class that’s painting, therefore, no early clean-up necessary. We work the entirety of the class!

2. Productivity

Efficient use of time during projects, discussions and critiques

Being an active art maker, doer, thinker collaborator, creator, etc...

Students are not to work on any outside assignments during art time.

3. Hall pass

Students are not allowed to leave for the first OR last 10 minutes of class.

Students may only be excused with permission from instructor. Please do not ask to go speak with a teacher during my class time.

Students may not leave the room before the bell.

See me for extra time if you would like to work on your project during AAA. I will have to let your supervisor know that you have my permission.

You may NOT come in and out of the studio to visit or borrow material. We have a Makerspace Lab for your other class project needs.

C. Grading

1.Productivity- 50 points per week

Students will begin each week with 50 points for a productivity grade. However, if above expectations are not met, points will be deducted.

2. Sketchbooks- 20 points per week

Students are required to purchase a hard cover, 81/2x 11 sketchbook. Weekly assignments will be listed on Google Classroom. Assignments are worth 20 points each. It is YOUR responsibility to check Google Classroom for the assignment.

Late work will result in a zero.

Maximum points will be given if student meets all requirements:

The entire page must be filled

Interesting composition

Effort requires at least 30 minutes

Work is turned in at beginning of class

Work meets the objective and follows the directions

3. Projects-200 points

Students are required to do their own work, unless it is a group assignment.

Projects are graded on a rubric that usually follows these key requirements

Understanding the elements and principles of design

Creativity & originality

Planning & exploration during class time

Effort & perseverance

Craftsmanship/ skill

Work is completed by due date (late work for projects will follow the student handbook guidelines)