

Art Class ~ Syllabus 2026-27

1 Charcoal Drawings Plane Exercises - Spheres	12 Color Contrast Studies - 2 Student's design	23 Linear Perspective 3 Point
2 Charcoal Drawings Positive and Negative Space Bowls	13 Calligraphy	24 Perspective: Cylindrical Forms
3 Plane Exercises Scales	14 Calligraphy	25 Perspective House with a Roof
4 Composition	15 Pencil Drawing - Natural Object	26 Perspective Houses at varying heights
5 Plane Exercise Trees	16 Pencil Drawing - Still Life	27 Perspective - Three Buildings
6 Landscapes through light and dark	17 Modeling with Clay and drawing transformations	28 Perspective Interior Room
7 Illuminated Sphere Light and Shade	18 Color Perspective - Landscapes Pastels	29 Perspective Pastel Landscape with building
8 Illuminated Objects	19 Positive and Negative Composition Collages	30 Color Contrast Studies -3
9 Color Theory - Painting Color Wheels	20 Linear Perspective Single Point - Cubes or Letters	31 Collage inspired by Henri Matisse and Modern Art
10 Color Spectrum in tones of gray	21 Linear Perspective Single Point - City	32 Gallery
11 Color Contrast Studies - 1	22 Linear Perspective Two Point - City	

Lessons are grouped into themed blocks of 3 - 5 weeks

Materials List By Blocks:

Blocks 1-2 and for the year:

- 4 black charcoal pencils (S-Soft, Soft, Medium, Hard)
- 1 white charcoal pencil
- charcoal sticks
- 3 blending stumps
- 1 sharpener
- 1 kneaded eraser
- 1 vinyl eraser.

The above can be purchased in a set such as [Artists Pencil Set](#)

- Drawing Paper or Sketch Book

Recommended Size: 11 x 14 or smallest 9 x 12

- 98 lb Mixed Media Paper is great for the drawing lessons throughout the year and for the pastel and paint
- 68 lb drawing paper is good for all of the pencil drawing lessons

Block 3:

- Gouache paint set (water based paint more opaque than water color)
- Gouache or watercolor paint brushes (a few different sizes)
- Mixed Media Paper or Watercolor Paper

Block 4:

- Tombow Fudenosuke calligraphy brush pens
- Rhodia Notepad with grid paper or Marker Pad

Block 5:

- Small amount of either air dry clay or plasticine oil based clay
- Drawing Paper (same as above)
- Drawing Pencils and Erasers (as already being used)
- Chalk Pastels
- Paper of Diverse Colors (**Block 8 as well**)
- Scissors (**Block 8 as well**)
- Glue Stick (**Block 8 as well**)

Blocks 6-8:

- Artist Drawing Pencils
- Erasers
- Ruler
- Drawing Paper
- Colored Pencils