## AP STUDIO ART COURSE OVERVIEW \& SUMMER ASSIGNMENT

## WHY AP STUDIO ART MATTERS

## THREE SUBMISSION CATEGORIES

- Drawing
-2D Design
-3D Design


## DRAWING

- MARK-MAKING - any technique that makes a mark: sketching, etching, engraving, drawing, painting, etc.



## 2D DESIGN

- Any image created / captured through digital media: photography, graphic design, graphic illustrations



## 3D DESIGN

- Any image created in a three dimensional space: fashion (sewing), sculpting, carving, molding, building



## ELEMENTS \& PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN

- ELEMENTS: PRINCIPLES:
- Color
- Form
- Line
- Shape
- Space
- Texture
- Value

Balance
Emphasis / Dominance
Movement
Proportion
Rhythm / Repetition
Unity / Harmony
Variety / Variation

## OTHER:

Composition

Mark Making
Surface Manipulation
Illusion of Depth
Time
Occupied Space
Unoccupied Space

## 24 IMAGES REQUIRED:

- CONCENTRATION (I2 images):
- I2 artwork with the same idea / theme
- Can be done in any medium based on submission category
- BREADTH (I2 images):
- 12 random artwork without any relations to each other
- Can be done in any medium based on submission category


## CONCENTRATION

EXAMPLE \#I:
"MUNDANE TASKS"



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BRIEFLY DEFINE THE NATURE OF YOUR CONCENTRATION PROJECT:
THROUGH MY CONCENTRATION PIECES,I ATTEMPTED TO
DISPLAY THE SEEMINGLY MUNDANE TASKS OF EVERYDAY LIFE
AND MAKE THEM SEEM MORE SPECIAL AND IMPORTANT. BY
UTILIZING A WIDE RANGE OF BRIGHT COLORS,THE ORDINARY,
DAILY ACTIVITIES PEOPLE PERFORM -- EATING, SLEEPING,SHAVING -
BECOME ESSENTIALLY MORE EYE-CATCHING, DEMANDING A CLOSER
LOOK.
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## Briefly describe the development of your concentration project and the sources of your ideas. You may refer to specific slides as examples.

For one reason or another, I find myself surveying the human figure, tracing what I see with a mental finger -- outlining a shoe or a hand. Also, I chose to focus on people in their daily routines in order to capture an element which is essentially private and because I feel a close contact with those that I paint. Artists such as Johannes Vermeer and Edward Hopper, who gave great importance to domestic and private activities, served as a source for these ideas. I wanted to use a wide range of colors to give each painting personality, a flair, a jolt... And, colors are simply more fun.
EXAMPLE\#2:
"MECHANICAL
OBJECTS"



Rationale for Score: In this portfolio, the student presents a thorough investigation of the structure of mechanical objects through selective drawing. This student's informed understanding of contrast relationships is stylistically confident and consistent. Form is rendered by the student's close attention to structure and detail and is presented in varying perspectives. Color is used for emphasis and facilitates visual movement. The student's highly developed drawing skills are technically consistent throughout this body of work.


## EXAMPLE \#3:

"MY SPACE"



Rationale for Score: These works make a highly imaginative connection between the idea of the concentration and the work presented. The inventiveness and exuberance reflected in the works engage viewers, inviting them to identify with the student in images 9 and II.The works demonstrate highly effective integration of concepts and drawing skills. Mastery of techniques is outstanding, and developmental thinking goes well beyond technical concerns. The work is of excellent quality and gives voice to the student's unique vision. The theme is evocative.

## 2 QUESTION ESSAY:

- I. What is the central idea of your concentration? (500 characters maximum)

2. How does the work in your concentration demonstrate the exploration of your idea? You may refer to specific images as examples. When referencing specific images, please indicate the image numbers. (I350 characters maximum)

## SCORING RUBRIC:

-6-EXCELLENT
-5-STRONG
-4 - GOOD
-3 - MODERATE

- 2 -WEAK
- I - POOR


## EXAMPLE \#I:BREADTH



Esther Lo, Drawing (Forwarded to Coordinator)
Section II: Concentration (12 images)


Esther Lo, Drawing (Forwarded to Coordinator)
Section III: Breadth (12 images)


## SOUTHLANDS

Isabella Ondara, Drawing (Forwarded to Coordinator)

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ISABELLA ONDARA (DRAWING)

Section II: Concentration (12 images)
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Isabella Ondara, Drawing (Forwarded to Coordinator)


XINYUE PENG, 2-D Design (Forwarded to Coordinator)
Section III: Breadth ( 12 images)
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ELENA PEN (2D DESIGNPHOTOSHOP)


Xinyang Wang, 2-D Design (Forwarded to Coordinator)

## Section III: Breadth (12 images)


28.444 " $\times 28.444$ "

Photography
9


56 " x 31.486"
Photography

56 " x 42" Photography

$33.972^{\prime \prime} \times 33.972^{\prime \prime}$ Photography


42 " x 42
Photography


$12.6^{\prime \prime} \times 12.6^{\prime \prime} \quad 34$ " $\times 34^{\prime \prime}$ Photography

$56 " \times 31.5 "$ Photography 11

$34 " \times 34 "$ Photography

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AUSTIN WANG (2D DESIGN-
PHOTOGRAPHY)

## AUSTIN WANG'S CONCENTRATION STATEMENT EXAMPLE

- I. What is the central idea of your concentration? ( 500 characters maximum)
- My photography work is heavily inspired by a Renaissance artist - Albrecht Dürer. He was famous for his religious painting and pencil sketch. But I enjoyed his oil painting and watercolor pieces so much that I learned most of the coloring and lighting from him which ultimately influenced my work behind the camera. In his oil painting pieces, sometime colors are very full and smooth, the contrast between light and dark is very strong, sometime the color is very light and contrast is weak.

Albrecht Durer's Work
Oil Paintings



## AUSTIN WANG'S CONCENTRATION STATEMENT EXAMPLE

- 2. How does the work in your concentration demonstrate the exploration of your idea? You may refer to specific images as examples. When referencing specific images, please indicate the image numbers. (I350 characters maximum)
- We have many similarities even though my medium is photography, but his is oil, watercolor, etc. we have very similar color palette, the yellow and green set the tone of my photography and his watercolor.And also in image \#3, even though his is a self-portraits and my is landscape, you can see many similarities in both color and light. Both works contain identical feeling to the audience because of the color and light. He mostly used warm colors, which are colors that are often said to be hues from red through yellow.And that's what I use because it creates a sense of security and warmth in my photos. In image No. I, both are landscape work. We both use yellow color on the left and green, as cold color, on the right. The fusion of warm and cold color creates harmony in the picture. In image No. 7, I have the same dark background as Albrecht's oil paint. And we both have this brownish vintage yellow color highlight the object.





## REAL WORLD EXPERIENCE



| POMONA VALLEY ART ASSOCIATION |  |  | "Bringing Art to Life" |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  | PVAA is a non-profit art association serving the Pomona Valley and beyond since 1952. We are a volututeer-supported organization and the enjioyment of art in all its various torms. |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  | ks Artplat |  |  |  | Hours are 10:30 AM - 8PM Monday through Saturday and 11 AM - 7 PM on Sunday.

Pomona Valley Art Association, P.O. Box 932 Claremont, CA 91711 Phone: (909) $624-4900$



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## REAL WORLD EXPERIENCE



United States Congressional Art Exhibition
Los Angeles County American Kids Art Show
Pomona Valley Artist Association Youth Art Show
ACSI Annual High School Art Show
Qingdao Multi-school Art Show, China
SCS Annual High School Art Exhibition/Gala
Ryman Arts (Academy)
Dick Blick's Celebrating Art Catalog (pub.)
Qingdao Art Catalog (pub.)

## SUMMER ASSIGNMENT - ARTISTS \& STATEMENTS (PART I)

- I. Choose 3 artists from different times, countries and culture/religions and visit their works in a Museum.
- 2. Write 300 word essay describing the similarities and differences between the artists. (GOOGLE DRIVE SUBMISSION BY JULY I $5^{\text {TH }}$ )
- Include why you chose the artists, mini biographies, etc.
- The country, region, culture the artists belong to
- The impact the artists had on the art world.
- Any famous quote (statement) made by the artists
- 3.Add photographs of 3 of the artists' work and use them as examples (include in your essay)
- 2. Create a PowerPoint presentation of your research - class presentations will be done within the first week of school.


## SUMMER ASSIGNMENT - ARTISTS \& STATEMENTS (PART 2)

- Choose an idea for your AP Studio Art Concentration (remember you will need to research your idea and create 12 artwork that show it during the school year). DUE FIRST DAY OF CLASS
- Answer the following question about your idea.
- I. What is the main idea of your concentration? (I00 words maximum)
- 2. Create 3 artworks that show your idea
- -the artworks can be done in different mediums (acrylics, oils, pencils, color pencil, etc.)
- -work in pencil and color pencil need to be well - developed
- -reference the sample artworks at the end of this presentation to see required skill level


## ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS

## Artists Research Project

## (Powerpoint to PDF File Format)

An Art History Research Project

(artist) influenced society on a local and global scale?

## Biographical Info

Place/date of birth:
Place/date of death:
. Primary type of artwork (ex: painting? Drawing? Sculpture? Printmaking? Ceramics)
Media (what materials are use?):
Style or period of art?
Short definioion of t that style or period:
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8. Three other arstista who wark in this style (ffrom the time period of the artist - or contemporary
artists working in this same style). How is the work similar? How is the work different?
. artists working in this same style). How is the work similar? How is the work different?
9. Favorite Quote:
10. Biograhy Resurces (minimum of three -use authorititive sites and books). Include author,
title, date, URL (for sites), publisher (for books), page numbers. IMAGES (find a portrait or photograph and five works)
Portrait or Photograph of artist (find one online or scanned from a book)
Artist or photographer: Location of image:
$\xrightarrow{\text { Date: }}$ URL (or print material source)
As you are doing your research SAVE FIVE (5) images of the artist's work to your disk (or folder on As you are
server). For each image:

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Critique:
Choose of of those pieces of art and answer the following questions:

1. What is the subject matter?
2. Genres. Is this a still life (group of things)? a portrait (a painting, drawing or sculpture of a
3. Style/form: Is this artwork realistic (as real as possible)? abstract (distorted reality)? non-
objective (as far from reality as possible)? symbolic? functional? other (explain)?
4. Description. Identify the sensory qualities (art elements). Can you identify a color scheme? Why do you think the artist might have chosent the colors shene hho dident Do they make sense?
Whyt kind of lines did the artist use? How does the texture add to the work? etc.
5. Discuss the formal properties - use of design principles.
6. Interpretation. What do you think the artists was trying to say? Why do you think he/she
chose this subject?
7. What feeling does this artwork give you and why?
8. What part of the artwork is your favorite and why?
9. Judgment: Defend this as a work of art using one of the theories of aesthetics (or
combination): Art as Realism - Art for Formal Properties - Art as Expression - Art as Functional.

IMAGES (include a digital image of original work in your PowerPoint / PDF slide
-create an original artwork in the style of your chosen artist. Be ready to analyze and present your
fidings to the class.

DUE DATE / DEADLINE: Friday 2, 2017

## WORK QUALITY



ACRYLIC PAINTING

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GRAPHITE (PENCIL)


CHARCOAL


MIXED MEDIA:INK \& CHALK PASTELS


INK DRAWING


SCRATCHBOARD ART


PHOTOGRAPHY - PORTRAIT


PHOTOGRAPHY - SCENIC.


MIXED MEDIA - OILS / PHOTOSHOP

