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Google Classroom

Period 1: 8ykm6m

Period 5: d1wcs1g

## **WELCOME TO Computer Graphics**

- This course is designed for developing knowledge of the computer Graphics/Applications industry using professional software programs. Programs such as Adobe Photoshop, Adobe In-design, and Adobe Illustrator are used to create and design layouts and design, photo enhancements and manipulation. Computer Graphics will use practical applications to create engaging and interesting documents and images.

**Class Rule: Respect - For others, for yourself and for school property.**

### **Class Procedures:**

No food in class. You may have drinks, but they must have a lid and be kept on the floor by your seat.

Attendance is done at the late "bell", if you are not in the room at that time, you are late. On your 3rd late there will be a call home, any lates after will result in a referral. This will reset at the beginning of every trimester.

If you are absent, you are responsible for getting & making up any missed work. I will not hunt you down and beg you to do this. Most all assignments will be posted to google classroom, however, if you miss a test or quiz, it is your responsibility to schedule a makeup.

Late assignments will be docked points in the work ethic or use of time category of a rubric. Paper assignments will begin 5 losing points daily for each day late.

Instructions for the day will be on the board when you walk in. Please get out any materials listed and be ready to get started immediately.

**Cell Phone Policy:** Cell phones have become a major distraction in class, resulting in less material being covered and the quality of work to decline. Cell phones will only be permitted during certain times which will be relayed to you. There will be times when you are allowed to listen to your own music. I will let you know when. Each time a student is found to be texting, 5 points will be deducted from the daily participation grade. If a student is found playing games, watching videos or talking on the phone, the student will get a zero for the day and a phone call will be made home.

**Grading policy:**

Tests Project Work - 35%

Prep work & quizzes - 25%

Progress Assessment (one per trimester) - 10%

Participation - 30%

**Participation** - Every day a participation grade will be recorded. There are 100 possible points for each day. 5 points will be subtracted for any policy infraction. Infractions include, but are not limited to:

**Lateness**

**cell phone use**

**not having materials out**

**Insubordination**

**not being on task**

**having food in class**

**Not properly cleaning materials**

Art history is a substantial part of this class. After every lecture, whether it be on materials, procedures or an artist, there will be a follow up assessment. So, pay attention and follow along.

Trust yourself and trust me. I will ask a lot of you, things you may believe you can't do - but, I will never ask you to do anything of which you are not capable.