

CURRICULUM MAP

Subject: Graphic Design and Animation

Grade Level: 9-12

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FIRST QUARTER	SECOND QUARTER	THIRD QUARTER	FOURTH QUARTER
<p>Introduction to the Course and Photoshop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Graphic Design in our World ● Google Classroom/Notebook Use ● Saving work/Formats ● Choosing Images/Royalty-Free ● Interface <p>Filters, Adjustments and Layer Blends</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Accessing Filters ● Exploring the Variety of Filters ● Choosing and Manipulating an Images using Filters <p>Reflections</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Rectangle Marquee Tool ● Copy and Paste ● Transformation: Flipping Images <p>Color</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Resolution ● Using Complimentary Colors ● Threshold/High Contrast Images ● Hue/Saturation 	<p>Adjustments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Tonal Adjustments ● Color Adjustments ● Contrast Adjustments <p>Layers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Essentials ● Layers Panel ● Special layers ● Layer Styles ● Blend Modes <p>Drawing and Text</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Brush Tools ● Vector Shapes ● Working with Text ● Formatting with Text ● Creative Techniques with Text <p>Masking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pixel Masks ● Vector Masks 	<p>Personal Graphic Design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Building upon Skills ● Theme Based Projects ● Developing a Personal Portfolio ● Designing for Competition <p>Intro to Animation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● History of Animation ● Animation Artists ● Animation in our World <p>Frame by Frame Animation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Illusion of Movement ● Creating a GIF ● Animating personal characters or movement through landscape. 	<p>Graphic Design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Personal Portfolio: At least 5 pieces ● Preparing Art Show Pieces: Select Top Two <p>Animation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Final Animation Project <p>End of Year Clean Up:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Organize Computer Files ● Organize Paper Files ● Clean up Computer Space ● Clean up and Prepare Computer Lab for Summer <p>Graphic Designer to visit</p> <p>Local Artists in Animation or Graphic Design</p> <p>Career Connections</p>

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Student Profile

With the completion of this course, students will:

- Build upon knowledge of the Elements and Principles of Art specifically in relation to graphic design and animation.
- Learn about and become familiar with the computer program, Photoshop.
- Challenge their conceptual thinking and creative problem solving.
- Create, reflect and critique upon works of art specific to the class and provide opportunities for students to exhibit their work.
- Understand the application of this course to a career as a graphic designer and/or animator.
- Be part of a class community that will learn through revision, independent thinking, class discussion and peer teaching.