

# ADVANCED 3-D ART

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## CLASS DESCRIPTION

Official course title: 3-Dimensional Art 3-4P  
2 semesters = 10 credits. Course meets A-G and Fine Arts graduation requirement.

3-D Art 3-4 is a yearlong advanced level course for students who have excelled in 3-D Art 1-2 and wish to further explore visual art using 3-D materials. This course is designed to help students build up their portfolios for use in AP Studio Art, college acceptance, and/or job placement. This is a laboratory/shop situation for those who are able to safely work with others to explore the possibilities available to the 3-D artist.

## OBJECTIVES

By taking this course you will...

Receive elective credits towards graduation!

- Solve more advanced visual problems using the elements of art and principles of design.
- Gain more skill in working with various 3-dimensional media and methods.
- Discover artists and art movements that inspire you!
- Develop your own artistic style and personal voice
- Employ critical thinking, time management, organization, and problem solving skills.
- Develop a professional portfolio of your work that you can use for college and/or job placement.

## STUDIO PROJECTS

A variety of themes and materials are explored in Advanced 3-D Art. The following projects are designed to showcase a student's craftsmanship, creativity, and versatility for use in a career, AP Studio Art, or college placement portfolio.

|            | UNIT                  | STUDIO PROJECT                                                                                 | MEDIA                                                        |
|------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| SEMESTER 1 | Movement in Sculpture | ➤ Non-Objective Unit Repetition<br>➤ Stable Construction<br>➤ Student Choice Kinetic Sculpture | Toothpicks, wood sticks<br>Chipboard, marker, wire<br>Choice |
|            | Ceramics 3            | ➤ Themed Clay House<br>➤ Student Choice Clay Sculpture                                         | Clay, glazes<br>Clay, choice                                 |
|            | Abstract Art          | ➤ Figurative Sculptures                                                                        | Poured plaster                                               |
|            | Monumental Sculpture  | ➤ Architectural Letters                                                                        | Papier-maché, paint                                          |
| SEMESTER 2 | Art & Community       | ➤ Hearts for Humanity Auction Event<br>➤ Campus Art Installation                               | TBD<br>TBD                                                   |
|            | Relief Sculpture      | ➤ Funk Art Animals<br>➤ Student Choice Embossed Sculpture                                      | Metal embossing<br>Metal embossing                           |
|            | Ceramics 4            | ➤ Trompé l'oeil Shoes<br>➤ 2-D to 3-D                                                          | Clay, paint<br>Clay, choice                                  |
|            | Art with a Message    | ➤ Student Choice Artwork                                                                       | Found objects                                                |

*\*Due to time, budget, and availability of materials the projects listed for this course are subject to change.*

## SUPPLY FEE

There is a \$20 supply fee (or \$10 per semester) for this course. This covers the cost of materials used to create the studio art projects listed above. The supply fee can be given to Mrs. Graves with **cash or check payable to John F. Kennedy High School.**

No one's grade will be affected by their inability to pay - if you cannot pay the entire supply fee at this time due to financial reasons, any donation will be appreciated. If a student transfers out of or drops this course for any reason the supply fee will not be refunded.

# SKETCHBOOK

Sketchbooks are used in class daily and also for the weekly homework sketch. I recommend that you **purchase one from the JFK Art Department** to take advantage of our school discount. The cost is **\$8** and can be given to Mrs. Graves with **cash or check payable to John F. Kennedy High School**. You can also choose to purchase your own sketchbook at an art or office supply store (8 ½"x11" size with at least 80 sheets of blank white paper). If you choose not to purchase a sketchbook you must bring in an empty 1" binder (can be previously used) and we will fill it with white copy paper.



## GRADING

Grades are updated often on Infinite Campus. It is expected that you check your grade regularly and see me if you have any questions or concerns. Grading Scale: 100-90% = A, 89-80% = B, 79-70% = C, 69-55% = D, 54-0% = F

| STUDIO PROJECTS                                                                                                                                                                                 | SKETCHBOOKS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | CLASS ASSIGNMENTS                                                                                                                                                                                       | FINAL EXAM                                                                                                                                                                                         |
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| Throughout the year you will complete the studio projects listed in this syllabus. Instructions and grading rubrics will be provided for each project. These are worth <b>100 points each</b> . | Sketchbooks are collected every Friday at the beginning of class. Classwork done in sketchbooks (daily creative conditioning, notes, project planning) is worth <b>10 points per week</b> . Homework sketches are also worth <b>10 points per week</b> . Your sketchbook is not graded on your artistic talent but your time and effort. <b>Late sketchbooks are not accepted</b> . If you are absent on a Friday, you must turn in the day you return to receive credit. | There will be various assignments completed in class throughout the year including art investigations, peer and group critiques, and media practices. These are generally worth <b>10 points each</b> . | All students will photograph their artwork throughout the year and upload to a digital portfolio. This will be presented to the class at the end of each semester and is worth <b>100 points</b> . |

## ART ROOM RULES

### 1. SHOW RESPECT

Respect each other, the teacher, our room, & the materials we use.

### 2. FOCUS ON YOUR ART

Art class is for experiencing art. Always give your best effort.

### 3. NO HEADPHONES OR CELLPHONES

These are prohibited at all times. Why? See rules 1 & 2!

### 4. FIRST 10, LAST 10

No one leaves the first 10 or last 10 minutes of class.

Attendance is mandatory. Course work cannot be completed at home due to the nature of materials and participation required. If you have an excused absence it is your responsibility to find out what you missed and make arrangements to complete it in the art room during lunch. You will not be allowed to make up work due to unexcused absences.

## OTHER POLICIES

- All artwork you make will eventually be returned to you. Your artwork may be displayed on campus and be entered in art competitions and shows.
- Students are expected to take all projects home when instructed to do so – do not leave on your shelf or throw away.
- Mrs. Graves adheres to all school and district policies pertaining to attendance, make-up tests, cheating/plagiarism, as well as withdrawal, incomplete, and final examinations as outlined in the student handbook.

## GOOD TO KNOW

You can do even more 3-D Art next year!

beginning 3-d art

Done!



advanced 3-d art

You are here!



ap studio art

Next year

I am happy to help you with college applications, scholarship applications, job placement or internships, and letters or recommendation. Please let me know how I can help you! I look forward to a great year in Advanced 3-D Art with you!

\*PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THE ATTACHED ENVELOPE TO MRS. GRAVES BY \_\_\_\_\_.