

Ceramics



With
Ms. Dozier

Dear Students and Families,

Welcome to Art Class! I believe that it is important that we work together as a team to encourage students to understand expectations and work toward goals. This course will explore all four disciplines in art education: Art Making, Art History, Art Criticism, and Aesthetics (the appreciation of beauty). I expect all students to produce quality work to the best of their ability. In return, I promise to provide stimulating instruction.

All artwork is made in class and if all work is turned in within the 9-week period, I guarantee that your child will be successful in Art Class.

Please read the syllabus and return signed with all required information. These guidelines have been created to provide an environment in which your child can learn and grow.

I encourage parent/school communication and you may reach me by telephone or email:
239-561-0060 jeannedd@leeschools.net
All class assignments and rubrics will be posted at blackboard.lee.k12.fl.us. Please view page for any missed work.

I look forward to having an excellent semester.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Dozier
Art Educator

Goals:

1. Students will use tools, media, process and techniques proficiently.
2. Students will demonstrate awareness of art vocabulary.
3. Students will design and create functional and nonfunctional ceramics and pottery that communicate ideas and demonstrate basic craftsmanship.
4. Students will demonstrate the use of basic techniques. i.e. clay preparation, handbuilding, surface design, and kiln operation to produce pottery.
5. Students will demonstrate awareness of the role of functional and nonfunctional ceramics and their influence through history.
6. Students will compare and contrast works according to aesthetic qualities and technical elements.
7. Students will identify career opportunities related to art.
8. Students will produce exhibits.



Supplies:

Colored Printer Paper/ Notebook/ Art Money
The art department supplies all materials for learning We do, however, request an art fee of **\$20.00 per semester** to cover the costs of these expensive supplies. It is imperative that we work together to continue the studio experience in our schools.



Rules:

1. Students must be in their seat when the bell rings.
2. Students must respect the art room and materials.
3. Students must respect others.

Consequences:

- First offense- warning
- Second offense- detention/parent contact
- Third offense- Referral to AP

Grading Policy:

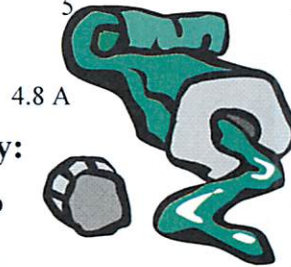
Students will be graded on their use of studio time, materials, and resources. Periodically students will be asked to submit work for evaluation, which will be graded on a rubric that will be provided prior to project assignment. Students will also be required to keep a notebook.

Sample Rubric:

1. Time Spent Effort	5
2. Daily Cleanup	5
3. Project idea sketched	5
4. Slipped and scored	4
5. Correct use of coil	5
6. Inside walls blended	4
7. Proper handle	5
8. Bisque fired	5
9. Proper Glaze	5
10. Signed	

Quarter grades by category:

Class work	40%
Projects/Quizes	60%



Make-up Policy:

Do not ask teacher during class about make-up work refer to the make-up wall. Student will be required to have all make-up work completd in the number of days absent plus one.. Any time a student missed participation grades they will be required to submit a periodical report for each missed assignment.

Student Statement:

I plan on having all art supplies by 9/13/14 or I will make other arrangements with Ms. Dozier.

Student Signature

Please print the following information.

Parent/Guardian
Name _____

Daytime phone # _____

Evening phone # _____

Cell phone # _____

Parent Statement:

I understand the syllabus and will contact Ms. Dozier with any questions.

Parent Signature