## AP ART AND DESIGN 2023-24

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The AP Art and Design program consists of three different courses and AP Portfolio Exams— AP 2-D Art and Design, AP 3-D Art and Design, and AP Drawing—corresponding to college and university foundations courses. Students may choose to submit any or all of the AP Portfolio Exams. Students create a portfolio of work to demonstrate inquiry through art and design and development of materials, processes, and ideas over the course of a year. Portfolios include works of art and design, process documentation, and written information about the work presented. In May, students submit portfolios for evaluation based on specific criteria, which include skillful synthesis of materials, processes, and ideas and sustained investigation through practice, experimentation, and revision, guided by questions. Students may choose to submit any or all of the AP Portfolio Exams.

The AP 2-D Art and Design, AP 3-D Art and Design, and AP Drawing courses are designed to be the equivalent of a one-semester, introductory college course in 2-D art and design, 3-D art and design, and drawing, respectively.

AP Art and Design courses are for all students who are interested in inquiry-based thinking and making. Although there is no prerequisite for AP Art and Design courses, prior experiences, learning about and making art and design support student success in AP Art and Design. Students who have not had opportunities to take art or design classes prior to AP will need my approval based on their previous art experience.

If you have any more questions about the AP Art and Design course do not hesitate to reach out to me. My email is <u>micontis@southfayette.org</u> or feel free to stop in to see me in room FA241.