

**Course Name:** AP Studio Art

**Duration:**  1 Semester  Full Year

**Grade Level:**  9th  10th  11th  12th (check all that apply)

### Are there any prerequisites for the course?

Students will need to have at least one foundations class to take AP Studio Art. It is suggested that a student take painting, drawing, or ceramics to gain skills in the medium that will be the focus of their portfolio.

### WHAT this course is about:

This course is designed to give high school students the opportunity to earn college credit from a portfolio of artwork they make during a school year.

### WHY take this course:

This class will prepare students for applying to an art program in college and will enable students to have a breadth of work to show to admissions. If a student is looking for inexpensive elective credits for college, this class will offer the opportunity for students to gain some of those electives in high school.

### WHAT you'll learn:

- To develop an inquiry
- To create a sustained investigation of 15 works that describe the students inquiry
- Students will learn to refine skills of the medium of their choice until mastery.
- Students will learn to critique artwork and art made by their peers

### WHAT you'll do:

Students will choose an area of focus for the school year. Some options are drawing, painting, jewelry, sculpture, collage, digital media, photography, mixed media, ect. A question will be developed to help guide the student through their inquiry. Each artwork will support the inquiry through a variety of works that show process, experimentation, and revision.

### WHERE this could take you:

This class will set students up for a path toward a career in the visual arts industry.

### OPTIONAL Course Outline ("scope and sequence", sequence chart, etc.)

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