## **Course Description**

Introduction to Art is designed to introduce the basic art elements and principles of design as they apply to Art History, Art Expression/Production, Aesthetic Analysis and Art Criticism. Introduction to Art is intended to provide introductory experiences through the use of a variety of media and techniques that have been utilized by various cultures throughout history.



## Students who are interested in this course:

- Have interests in learning all types of art mediums from painting, drawing, printmaking, and sculpture.
- Want create, evaluate, and experience all things art
- Want to learn how to produce several different styles of art from animation to realism to surrealism.

## Work We Do

Students will...

- Develop art skills in different mediums
- Develop skills in a variety of art styles
- Critique and analyze works of art
- Create daily!

## INTRO TO ART

*"Every artist was first an amateur."* - Ralph Waldo Emerson





"Intro to Art felt like a weekly break from the daily academic grind, giving you a chance to learn through creativity and the artistic process" Jane Webber, Senior



Homework Time: Most work completed during class time ••• Year long course (10 credits) ••• NHS Visual Art credit ••• UC/CSU a-g approved – fine art credit •••



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