

Course Title: Middle School Art

## Description:

The Middle School Art class is the perfect opportunity for the student that wants to explore the many areas of the visual arts! A wide variety of art materials will be emphasized, as well as artists and their techniques. The fundamentals of a strong work of art will be examined in the context of discussions about the *elements of art/design* and the *principles of art/design*. The elements we will study are: line, shape, form, texture, space, color, and value. The principles we will study are: balance (symmetrical/asymmetrical), proportion, unity, harmony, variety, emphasis, rhythm, and movement using pencil, colored pencil, acrylics and watercolor.

Recommended Grades: 7+

Tuesdays 2:00 – 3:30 PM, Thursdays 12:20 – 1:50 PM; 32 weeks

## Supplies:

Textbook materials to be provided by the tutor.

Students will provide personal art supplies. Canvas and paper supplied by Bellevue Tutorial.

## Teacher:

Julie Anderson-Malanga; Contact Bellevue Tutorial, 901-347-5518, tutorial@bellevue.org

Cost:

\$455