Where Art Meets Civis

November 2026

Teacher's Note

Hello Families! The art room continues to be a space buzzing with creativity! Through their work, students are discovering how art can tell stories, celebrate culture, express ideas and connect to the world around us. With Project Soapbox taking shape in classrooms in grades K-5, we have been spending time talking about how we can use our voice to create change.

What We're Learning

Kindergarten: Artists are creating coil clay snails learning about the spiral, and discussing how our differences makes us special.

Grade 1: Artists are learning to use their artwork to help bring about change in their community.

Grade 2: Artists are creating a collaborative mural inspired by artist Reggie Lauret.

Grade 3: Artists are creating artwork that sends messages through the use of symbols.

Grafe 4: Artists continue their narrative canvas paintings inspired by the work of Carmen Lomaz Garza. These pieces highlight a cultural or community tradition.

Grade 5: Artists are studying the different ways art can communicate messages. Artists are continuing to work on their own graffiti walls.

Reminders

Please dress students in clothing that they can wear when creating art on the following days:

Mondays:
102/103/202/402

Tuesdays:
K013/101/302/503/504

Wednesdays:
K012/ 101/401/501

Thursdays:
201/203/301/403

Fridays: K011/102/303/502

The art room is always in need of paper towels and baby wipes - if you can send any in, I would appreciate it!

Love, Ms. Stone

Feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns!
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