

Mr. Lynch's AP ART class

Here's a link to the AP Art Remind class, in case we need to discuss anything about your projects:

<https://www.remind.com/join/34a272>

So, this sure is strange, right? One of my super successful old professors, Joseph Piccillo used to tell us, **"The artist's life is solitary. Other people will go out, go to the movies, go to parties...the artist stays in the studio and works."** And here we are.

Sustained Investigation piece #8 was due Friday March 20th. The good news is that if you are up to date, you only have a few more projects to finish, but remember, 10 pieces is our minimum goal. Make as many as you can because that's what artist's do. You never know when you'll create your masterpiece. Keep working, growing and evolving.

The other good news is that the College Board gave us an extension. Of course, no one knows where this is all heading, but at least we can relax a little about the submission deadline. They extended the deadline about two weeks.

There are other changes as well. Here is a link:

<https://apcentral.collegeboard.org/about-ap/news-changes/coronavirus-update>

For the next three weeks at least, stick to our regular schedule of making one piece a week with whatever materials you have available.

It is very possible that you will not have the art materials you wish you had to use at home. You may have been finding your rhythm with painting and will be now focus more on drawing. However, there's a beauty in forcing yourself to get creative. Maybe you have old house paint, spray paint, crayons, old shirts, old bed sheets or pillowcases, pens, pencils, markers, nail polish, food coloring, the inside of a cardboard cereal box, old envelopes, old pizza boxes, coffee, candle wax, q tips, tin foil...it is time to stretch the boundaries of your creativity. Also...digital drawing and painting is ok as well, so long as you are still addressing the following:

Light and Shadow, Rendering of Form, Composition, The Illusion of Depth and Mark Making.

Make sure you save your files because we will need to upload them. Photograph your process, practice and revision as you work. Search for what other AP Drawing students are producing to see where you stand and get inspiration.

I miss you all. Let's continue to create beauty in these strange times. Stay safe and productive. I look forward to seeing you soon.

Mr. Lynch