

## **ART – DESIGN**

**7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders may enroll in this class, which is a prerequisite for Advanced Art – Two or Three Dimensional. In this course students will create complex works of two and three-dimensional art that involve multi-step processes. Effectively using the elements and principles of design to create works of art will be emphasized. Students will be encouraged to develop a sense of creative integrity and pride in their work.**

**Students will continue to analyze and evaluate their own art and the art of others. Creative endeavors will be inspired by what students see, know, feel, and imagine. A problem-solving approach and attention to detail and technique will be encouraged in all activities.**

**The study of historical traditions and contemporary works of art will support art-making activities. Students will learn to enjoy and appreciate works of art in museums and in their own environment. Technology will be employed to create works of art and as an aid in studying historical and contemporary works.**

**Art lessons will support District goals by reinforcing the academic skills necessary for students to meet grade-level expectations.**