

AP Studio Art Summer Assignments 2019

Required Summer Homework:

1. Self Portrait (any 2D or 3D media)
 2. Mixed media reflection on a topic of the student's choice
 3. Create one project based on the work of an approved artist you like
 4. Create one project from the project prompt list or a free choice project
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For each homework project, state the following in writing:

- Idea(s) visually evident (100 characters maximum, including spaces)
- Materials used (100 characters maximum, including spaces)
- Processes used (100 characters maximum, including spaces)

AP Studio Art Project Prompt List

Drawing:

- Create a series of portraits in a variety of media.
- Draw/paint a series of landscapes in a variety of media.
- Observe and render the same landscape at different times of day to capture the changing natural light.
- Observe and render the same still life lit from different angles.
- Create an expressive line drawing.
- Create a drawing or painting that examines spatial relationships.
- Observe and create an architectural drawing.
- Observe a model in motion and attempt to capture the feeling of movement.
- Create a piece that shows reflection.
- HANDS!!! Lots of them in different poses, holding different things.
- Create a work that employs line, shape or color to create unity or variety in composition.
- Create a work that demonstrates symmetry/asymmetry, balance or anomaly.
- Create a work that explores figure/ground relationships.
- Create a work that uses various color relationships for emphasis or contrast in a composition.
- Create a work that investigates or exaggerates proportion/scale or juxtaposition.
- Create an original character and draw it in a variety of poses.
- Assemble your prize possessions in a still life and create an observational drawing.

2D Design :

- Create a series of photographs, which explore themes in nature, for example patterns, faces, letters, numbers, etc.
- Collage images from a masterpiece(s) to a support and continue the image in a medium of your choice.
- Illustrate a fairy tale.
- Create a series of poster designs, program covers, and invitations etc. in a variety of media including digital, which promote an event.
- Create an original work based on the work of a master printmaker, emphasize the principles of design. Research printmakers before starting this project.
- Bring an inanimate object(s) to life.
- Create a piece that shows reflection.
- Collage unlikely objects together in an unlikely place.
- Create a work that develops a modular or repeat pattern to create rhythm.
- In the manner of Shepard Fairey create a work or series of works that have a social commentary.
- In the manner of Alex Face or Banksy create art that has an urban feel and conveys a visual message.
- In the manner of Mamafaka create an original character and portray the character in a variety of environments.

3D Design:

- Construct three of the designs illustrated in your sketchbook
- Compose a figurative self-portrait.
- Compose a non-figurative self-portrait.
- Use discarded materials like books, furniture, shoes, wood pallets etc. to create three dimensional works.
- Use a nontraditional material or materials to create sculpture; examples included duct tape, plaster wrap, bubble wrap, recyclable containers, etc.
- Visit a museum or place where there is outdoor sculpture(s) and sketch several sculptures. Build a sculpture which incorporates a minimum of two style characteristics of one of the artists' works.
- Research the work of Sandy Skoglund then design and create an indoor or outdoor installation piece or create a series of dioramas, document your work in photographs and preliminary sketches.
- Research found art sculpture; create a found art sculpture in the style of a master artist. Examples include Pablo Picasso, Joseph Cornell, and Louise Nevelson.
- Create a awards for a humorous contests.
- Create a series of heads or forms based from observations from a pliable material like self-hardening clay or polymer clay.
- Create a series of related objects by building armatures and applying plaster wrap

or paper mache to give your work form.