Visual Arts at Jane Addams Middle School

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A presentation about the visual arts courses at Jane Addams Middle School (JAMS).
Welcome to Visual Arts at Jane Addams

Courses Offered are all a semester long

6th Grade Visual Arts
7th & 8th Grade Visual arts
7th & 8th Grade Ceramics

Student Work
6th grade art is a semester-long exploration of the elements of art designed for ALL skill levels.

- Drawing, Painting, Print Making, Ceramics, Oil Pastels, Watercolor, Sculpture, Digital Art...
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Ceramic Characters
The Progression of each Project
Introduce the concept
Show cultural & historical examples
Go over rubric
Brainstorm and design

Design worksheet
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<th>Item</th>
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<tr>
<td>Character</td>
<td>My character is creative, unique and has props/additions that add interest.</td>
<td>My character is creative and has some additions that add interest.</td>
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<td>Clay skill and technique</td>
<td>I assembled my figure with great skill and care. The surface is extremely smooth and additional pieces are securely slipped and scored.</td>
<td>I assembled my figure with some care. The surface is mostly smooth and additional pieces are slipped and scored.</td>
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<td>Divisions and features CLAY</td>
<td>The divisions between clothing are clearly visible within the clay and added features are three-dimensional.</td>
<td>The divisions between clothing visible and added features are sometimes three-dimensional.</td>
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<td>Size</td>
<td>My character is large</td>
<td>My character is of adequate size</td>
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This Project is one of my favorites to put up on display
Fantasy Animals - combine 3 or more animals to make your own.
Water color
Short Project - Optical Illusion Art
Contour Drawing/Metamorphosis
Tessellation
Materials – Tiles, Graph Paper, Final Draft Square Paper
6th Grade work from this semester
Painted Lady Houses
And Google Sketchup
Art in the workplace – A study of architecture
7th/8th Ceramics

- Hand building techniques
- Figure sculpture
- Wheel throwing
- Firing techniques