

# Adv Pl Art History



**Pre-Requisites:** World History recommended

**Credits:** 0.5 (per segment)

**Estimated Completion Time:** 2 segments / 32-36 weeks

**Earliest Start Date:** March 2014

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## Description

This course is designed to provide college-level instruction in art history. This course is divided into two 18-week semesters, during which students examine major forms of artistic expression from the past and present and from a variety of cultures. Students learn to look at works of art critically, with intelligence and sensitivity, and to articulate what they see or experience.

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## Major Topics and Concepts

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## Required Materials

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## Course Objectives

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## Grading Policy

Besides engaging students in challenging curriculum, the course guides students to reflect on their learning and evaluate their progress through a variety of assessments. Assessments can be in the form of practice lessons, multiple choice questions, writing assignments, projects, research papers, oral assessments, and discussions. The course will use the state-approved grading scale and each course contains a unique end of course assessment. This assessment counts for 20% of the student's overall grade and must be passed with a score of 60% or higher.

Students must take the Advanced Placement exam to receive Advanced Placement credit. Students who complete the course successfully but do not take the AP exam will receive high school-level credit. There is no honors Art History option.

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## Communication Policy

To achieve success, students are expected to submit work in each course weekly. Students can learn at their own pace; however, "any pace" still means that students must make progress in the course every week. To measure learning, students complete self-checks, practice lessons, multiple choice questions, simulated AP exams, projects, discussion-based assessments, and discussions. Students are expected to maintain regular contact with teachers; the minimum requirement is monthly. When teachers, students, and parents work together, students are successful.

Students must take the Advanced Placement exam to receive Advanced Placement credit on their final grade report. Students who do not take the AP exam will receive credit for a high school-level art history course. There is no honors Art History option.

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