

WASHINGTON PARK COMMUNITY SCHOOL

From the desk of Ms. H. Smith



Visual Art Class

Welcome back! I hope you had a wonderful summer. I am very excited about this school year and I am looking forward to helping your child learn and grow both academically and artistically.

Your child will be participating in a developmental art program geared toward accumulating skills that will be important to future intellectual accomplishments. The goal of the art program is to motivate and challenge children to use an ever-changing variety of art media in ways that will enhance specific areas of development.

Here is what you can expect for art class:

Rules:

A – Act
R – Responsibly
T- Today

Which means:

- Come into the room quietly
- Listen carefully
- Keep your hands, feet and objects to yourself
- Respect Ms. Smith, each other, and the supplies
- Clean up your mess!

Consequences:

Warning, Card Flip, Change in Seats, Writing Assignment, Note/Call Home, Office Referral, or another appropriate action - **Good behavior is rewarded!**

Toys:

Toys of any kind are not allowed in the art room. If a toy is brought to art class I will confiscate it and the toy will go into my June box. June box items are returned to the student on the last day of school.

Art Shirts:

Please have your child bring in an old shirt that they can keep in their classroom locker. We do use art materials that sometimes stain and an art shirt can protect your child's school clothes.

I want to make this an enjoyable year as well as a memorable year for you and your child. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. I can be reached Monday through Friday before or after school and between the hours of 11:00 am and 11:40 am. I am looking forward to having fun with your child!

Sincerely,
Ms. Smith