

Student:
Period and Grade:
Marking Period:

6th Grade Sketchbook

This assignment is for the entire marking period. You will have one day a week, Friday, to work on the assignments in class. Any other work is your responsibility to complete for homework. **Sketchbooks will be collected and graded every Wednesday.** Each sketchbook assignment is worth 10 points. The cover will be your warm-up assignments for the marking period. The cover (front and back) will count for 20 points and will be graded at the end of the marking period. The practice you do in your sketchbook greatly attributes to your success in art class! **Your sketchbook will account for one major project grade (100 points). Bring your sketchbook, a pencil, and an eraser to art every class!**

Directions: Follow the directions for each listed assignment. Each page should be a completed drawing, painting, or collage. All drawings should be done initially in pencil. Draw light until you know it's right. Color can be done in media of your choice. Always remember to do the backgrounds (use the space of the page). Do not leave blank or white space on the paper.

REMEMBER: CONTENT. CREATIVITY. CRAFTSMANSHIP. DESIGN.

Cover: Front and back. Elements of Art. Divide the cover (front and back) into 7 sections, one for each element of art. Use your Elements of Art handout and any other resources you may have to illustrate each of the elements of art.

1. **Hot Air Balloon Design:** This drawing should include at least 3 hot air balloons, one should be overlapping another. Include a background, items to describe the setting, alter the balloons and add designs.
2. **Design a car that floats or flies:** This drawing can be done purely from imagination, but should be based on pictures of actual cars. Alter the car to fit into the surrounding that you create for it. This should be finished in color.
3. **Copy and existing work of art:** Find an example of your favorite artist's work. Copy it in color using the artist's style, brush strokes, and medium if possible. Be sure to label your sketch with the artist's name and title of artwork.
4. **Design and draw your dream playground.** Finish in color.
5. **Free Choice Drawing: Free Choice Drawing:**
6. **Free Choice Drawing:**
7. **Free Choice Drawing:**

***free choice' drawings:** This means you can draw whatever you want as long as it is school appropriate. The same rules apply as did for the other sketches: Use the space of the page, must have a background, must be a completed work of art.