

October 2017

Here's what each grade level has been working on in October:

5th 1-Point Perspective Drawing

Students learned basic ruler skills, perspective vocabulary, and how to make boxes look 3-dimensional.

4th Gesture Drawing and Keith Haring Figures

Students learned about proper proportion of a figure, figure vocabulary, how to make figures using the "Rule of Threes", how to do gesture drawing to capture the movement of a figure, and about the artist Keith Haring.

3rd Tree Drawing

Students did a "Before" drawing to show how they make a tree and learned the basic steps for drawing a tree. They compared their "After" tree to their first one and all could see immediate growth in their ability.

2nd Leaf Watercolor Paintings

Students did a "Before" drawing to show how they make a leaf in their sketchbooks. After learning about contour line drawing, overlap, and looking closely, they practiced looking closely while drawing with me. They compared their contour line drawing leaves to their first one and all could see immediate growth in their ability. After several practice drawings, they began doing contour line drawings of leaves. The leaves were then traced with oil pastel. They learned about wet-on-wet watercolor painting and warm colors before beginning to paint.

1st Turtle Color Wheels

Students drew and painted a color wheel in the shape of a turtle. They used different painting techniques for the sand and sea background.

Kd9. Line Landscape

Students began drawing a landscape using various lines that they have learned. They learned how to color evenly and smoothly.



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