

# 7th/8th Grade Advanced Art

## Coronado Middle School

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Name(first and last): \_\_\_\_\_

Homeroom teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade next year: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this application class your 1st Choice or your 2nd Choice? (circle your choice).

### About Advanced Art

This advanced studio art class offers a creative and comprehensive experience in two-dimensional (2-D) and three-dimensional (3-D) art utilizing the Elements of Art and Principles of Design. Students develop observational skills enhancing their ability to see and draw in detail and create compositions using a variety of mediums. Besides engaging in the process of **Creating** art, students will explore the following National Visual Arts Standards:

**Presenting**-interpreting and sharing their artistic work.

**Responding**-understanding and evaluating how art conveys meaning.

**Connecting**-relating artistic ideas and works with personal, cultural and historical context to deepen understanding.

### Application Process:

1. Complete this application with attached answers to the 3 questions below.
2. Three samples of your artwork (make sure you have your first and last name on the back)-you may submit a photo of larger pieces.
3. After submitting your complete application materials by the deadline, you will be invited to attend an observational drawing/interview session in Ms. Walmsley's room (225) during your lunch period the week of **April 8th**. You will receive a call slip with the exact date and time.
4. Notification of acceptance into this advanced art course will be mailed to your home on **April 24**.

**Please include a self-addressed stamped envelope with your application items.**

**(example of proper self-addressed stamped envelope):**

Coronado Middle School 550 F Ave. Coronado, CA 92118	Place Postage Stamp Here
Your Full Name Your Home Address Your City, State, Zip Code	

**Please return all the required application items listed above in a 9 x 12 envelope to Ms. Walmsley by 1:30 pm April 3, 2019.**

## Written Portion of the Application

**Please answer the following questions thoughtfully and honestly.** There are no “right” answers. Use a separate sheet of paper and attach it to your application. Please type your answers in complete sentences in Times 12-point font..

1. List any art experience you have. This can include classes or lessons you have taken at school or privately.
2. In what areas of art do you like to work (drawing, painting, ceramics, photography, etc.)?
3. Why do you want to be in an advanced art class?

### **To Students and Parents:**

Please understand that this is a class at Coronado Middle School for which more students apply than there are spaces available. Based on my experience as an art teacher, I will select individuals whose creativity and passion for art will enable them to succeed in an advanced art class. Please sign below to acknowledge that you have read and understand the advanced art application process.

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

**APPLICATION DEADLINE- APRIL 3rd, 1:30 pm  
LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED**