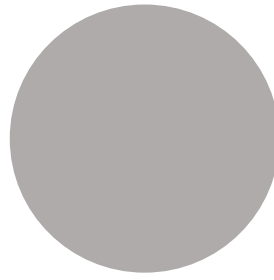


Elementary Art



Miss Westphal

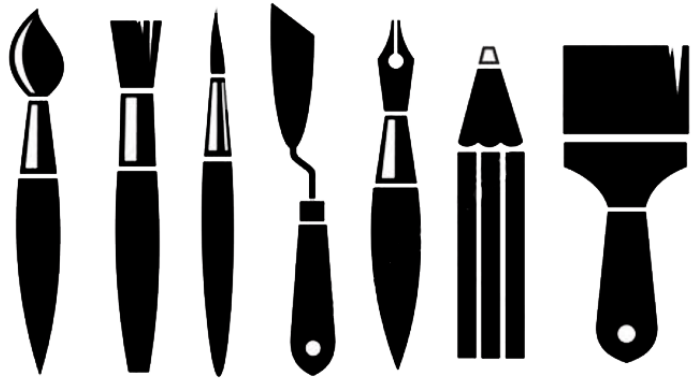
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welcome

to North Central



I look forward to another great year as a JET! For anyone new, my name is Emily Westphal and this is my 8th year as the art teacher for the district. Please feel free to contact me with any questions/concerns using the contact information on this page.



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The official instagram account for the K-12 Art program.

Follow it for updates, snapshots and featured art!

FAQ



What is happening in art class?

My website is a great place to read up on what your child is up to. I try to post weekly, and I also update my instagram account almost daily. Artwork is also in the hallways for everyone to see.

Is art class graded?

Yes! Lower elementary students earn a *Satisfactory* style score based on their participation, behavior and effort. Upper elementary earn letter grades, just like core subjects. I generally give a score right after students leave my room so it is fresh in my mind via Gradebook. Older students are graded mostly on effort, project completion and following directions.

What can we as parents do to help?

Just like classroom teachers, I am also grateful for donations to my classroom.

If you have or are willing to purchase any of the following items, I thank you, on behalf of the students, in advance for your generosity.

- Black sharpies
- Elmer's glue sticks
- Disinfecting wipes
- Crayola markers
- Expo markers
- Crayola colored pencils

Anything else to know?

I am trying something new this year called HOME WORKS OF ART. The idea is simple – a place to display artwork created by students outside of school. So many students bring in art to show me, and I decided it was time to have a place to exhibit it. A clipboard gallery is started outside of my room and will grow as the school year goes on.

Basic guidelines for home work: **student art must be –**

1. Created at home,
 2. Turned in to Miss Westphal and
 3. Be 12" x 18" or smaller.
- More details on this will be explained during the first week of art class.