

COMMUNICATION  
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HARDY KALBERLAH  
ART 11 IB

The prerequisite for this course is the instructor's consent. The student will have exhibited a viable skill in the visual arts in previous courses or a portfolio has been presented to the instructor.

The course is part of a two year program to fulfill the requirements of the International Baccalaureate Art Program. The IB program is a higher level program requiring more time, dedication and effort on the part of the student. There will be research, writing, and a verbal requirement, as a part of most projects. The marking for this course will be rubric based. (A rubric is included, attached to this document.) The 4,3,2,1, is translated into percentages to satisfy report card standards as these IB courses also satisfy graduation requirements.

This program is designed to generate a high degree of awareness in all facets of the fine arts. Students will be encouraged to move into areas of personal and independent exploration. As well as consistent work ethic the student will be asked to explore areas of employment in the visual arts as a matter of research. The students will be shown a wide variety of possibilities and then asked to choose an area to explore. The final mark for this course does not happen until the end of grade twelve when there is an assessment process adjudicated by IB Cardiff, Wales. It is very important that each student in this program has an exemplary attendance as every project will require studio time and instructor as well as peer input.

The instructor is available to discuss the program and/or your child's progress. Call...562-5464.