

# AP Studio Art Summer Assignments

AP Drawing Portfolio & AP 2D Design Portfolio, 2009-10

## **Artwork:**

Create a minimum of 4 pieces of artwork using the following list as the subject matter. The concepts and materials are up to you! Draw/Paint directly from observation/life (NO PHOTOS!!!)

1. Animal
2. Landscape
3. Still-life
4. Kitchen
5. Self-portrait
6. Parking lot with cars
7. Group of people
8. Sky
9. Reflective surface
10. Shadow drawing
11. Figure
12. Portrait
13. Cityscape

make

# Artwork

from direct observation

## **Book:**

Choose an object to study. Explore that object in a bound format (for example: sketchbook, altered book, a book you made, a book that relates to your object, etc.). Use a variety of materials, techniques, and approaches to study your object by drawing, writing, photographing, collage-ing, etc.

For Example: a shoe

- Draw the shoe realistically from multiple points of view
- Paint different shoes representing the members of your family in a location that reminds you of them
- Create a new shoe design
- Draw a foot
- Make a collage of a person walking down the sidewalk stepping in gum
- Draw a shoe morphing into a car
- Shoes from different time period or cultures
- Draw on an actual shoe

create a

# Book

## **National Gallery of Art Visit:**

Photograph yourself in front of the National Gallery with the date on a newspaper, or time stamp from your digital camera.

- What section did you find the most interesting? Why? Write a short paper on your experience and the artwork you found interesting. We will share this in class next fall.
- Choose a specific piece of artwork as inspiration for your own piece of artwork. What is it about this piece that motivates you? Create your artwork!

go to a

# Museum

**Turn in all artwork, object study book, and museum visit info, on the first day of class in the fall. Late work will be accepted until the 4th day of class, dropping 1 letter grade per class. Your grade on the summer assignment will be worth 30% of your 1<sup>st</sup> quarter grade.**