

VIRTUAL ART NEWS

FROM MS. MILLER'S ART ROOM @ GREAT OAKS

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GREAT OAKS FEATURED ARTIST!

MEET JULIANNA!

Check out this digital mosaic of the singer Halsey by Julianna! Every single shape was created painstakingly by hand on the computer. Julianna also discovered how to create gradients in the shapes, which gives her the ability to create the illusion of a 3D form in her illustrations. You really must ZOOM IN to get the most out of this illustration!



LAUGH IT OFF

Zoom in to see!!



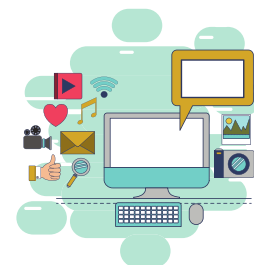
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WE'RE GOING VIRTUAL UNTIL JANUARY 11TH!

"Out of an abundance of caution for the health and safety of our students and staff, and with the holiday's forthcoming, **we are transitioning to a remote learning environment for all students beginning on Monday, November 23.**

Beginning Monday, November 23, all students will engage in daily, live virtual instruction with our teachers. If your child participates in our Virtual Select program, you will not experience a change. If your child participates in our Hybrid program, your child's teacher will be in contact with you regarding next steps. **Nonetheless, your child will log on to the computer during the times when they were scheduled to be in the building. "**

- From Mr. Williams Communications to Families email on November 16, 2020.





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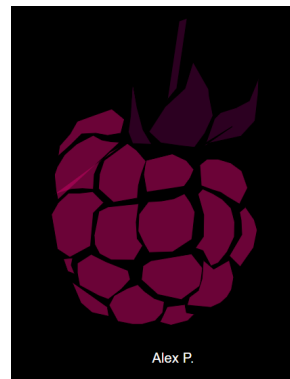
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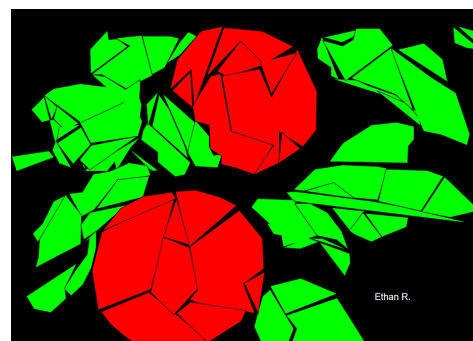
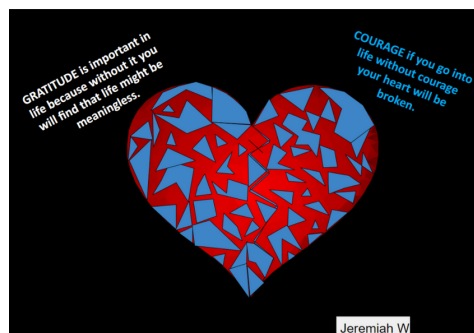
MORAL FOCUS ART CONTEST

Check out this AMAZING work from Trimester 1 students!

For the final project of the trimester, Middle School scholars in art had the opportunity to make digital mosaics. Mosaics are an ancient art form, traditionally made with bits of broken glass or shells to create an image. Our scholars created some phenomenal masterpieces with Google Drawings!



Each of these illustrations was created in Google Drawings.





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GOT TEA?

THAT'S A BOMB HAT! (LITERALLY)

Diego Rivera, husband of Frida Kahlo.



Mexican mural-painter, Diego Rivera, is known as a not-so-reliable storyteller. In 1910, Diego Rivera briefly visited his home country to hold an art exhibit in Mexico City. According to Rivera, he wasn't only there to show off his newest collection of works. Rivera claims that he truly came to Mexico City to assassinate President Porfirio Diaz with a bomb that he had hidden in his own sombrero!

According to Rivera, the only reason that he abandoned his plans was because only the president's wife attended the exhibition opening that night. No president, no plan.

Did Diego Rivera really try to assassinate the former Mexican president, or is this one of his tall tales? The world may never know for sure.

SHOW OFF YOUR ARTISTIC SKILLS TO OUR SCHOOL!

If you would like to have your artwork featured in the Virtual Art Newsletter, send a photo of your creations to Ms. Miller at:

[66.cmillar@nhaschools.com!](mailto:66.cmillar@nhaschools.com)

Make sure that in the photo you take we can see your artwork clearly!



FAMOUS ARTIST OF THE WEEK

MEET NAZIA ANDALEEB PREEMA

Nazia Andaleeb Preema is an anomaly in Bangladesh's social and artistic circles. Both an artist and a director of a national marketing organization, she intertwines her identity and art. Preema's artistic and personal choices are controversial in her home of Dhaka. She creates work that challenges the identity of women in her society while also being a member of the government. These dueling roles that Preema fulfills has caused her artwork to be highly criticized in her home country.