



VIRTUAL ART NEWS

FROM MS. MILLER'S ART ROOM @ GREAT OAKS

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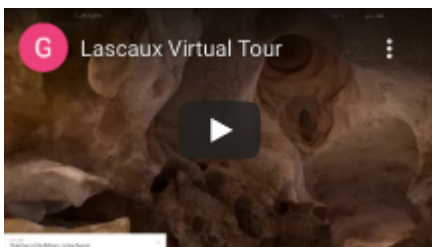
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LET'S GO TO LASCAUX!

This week, our K-2 scholars took a virtual field trip to the village of Montignac, France to see the Lascaux Caves!

Scholars ventured deep into the caves to see Prehistoric drawings of people and animals. We then made inferences about what the Prehistoric artists were trying to tell us using our prior knowledge and Visual Thinking Strategies!



Take a virtual tour of the caves by clicking the video above!



OFFICIAL 2020 PROMPT LIST

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| 1. FISH | 11. DISGUSTING | 21. SLEEP |
| 2. WISP | 12. SLIPPERY | 22. CHEF |
| 3. BULKY | 13. DUNE | 23. RIP |
| 4. RADIO | 14. ARMOR | 24. DIG |
| 5. BLADE | 15. OUTPOST | 25. BUDDY |
| 6. RODENT | 16. ROCKET | 26. HIDE |
| 7. FANCY | 17. STORM | 27. MUSIC |
| 8. TEETH | 18. TRAP | 28. FLOAT |
| 9. THROW | 19. DIZZY | 29. SHOES |
| 10. HOPE | 20. CORAL | 30. OMINOUS |
| | | 31. CRAWL |

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IT'S INKTOBER!

This project is optional for any scholars that would like to participate! Stretch and explore your creative muscles to see what you can do!

This month is recognized as Inktober! Create a drawing using that day's theme every day of this month!

Send your drawings to Ms. Miller at 66cmiller@nhaschools.com! You may see your drawings in the next newsletter!

I WONDER...

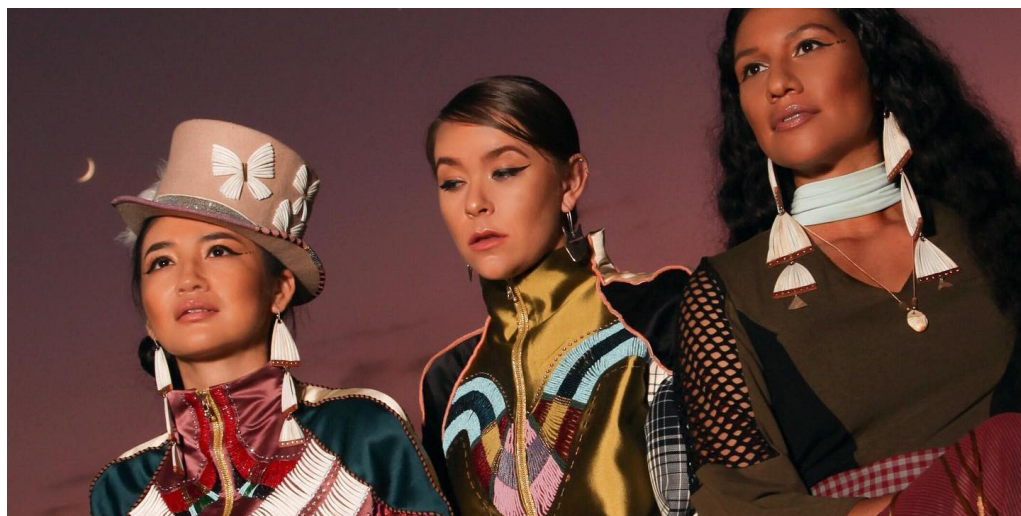
Check out some of our questions after seeing Prehistoric Art!

"I wonder if it rained and water got inside of the cave, would the drawings be erased?"

- Raigan B.

"I wonder why they drew the animals so nicely and with so many details, but the people are just sticks without any details"

- Joseph A.



FAMOUS ARTIST OF THE WEEK

MEET JAMIE OKUMA

Jamie Okuma is an Indigenous artist from the Luiseño and Shoshone-Bannock tribes. She is a fashion designer and uses many of the materials and techniques of the Luiseño and Shoshone-Bannock. As early as Okuma can remember her life has been in the art world in one way or another. Her mother Sandra was a graphic artist and worked at MCA records when Jamie was a child.

After high school Okuma took a few graphic design classes at Palomar college in San Marcos, CA before attending the Institute of American Indian Arts in Santa Fe NM. From the age of 18 she has been a professional artist completely devoted to her art. Exhibiting her work at the Heard Indian Art Market in Phoenix AZ, and at the Santa Fe Indian Art Market.



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MIDDLE SCHOOL CONNECTS MOTIFS IN MUSIC AND ART

6-8 scholars in art and music came together on Monday, October 12th, in a collaboration! Scholars in art have been working hard to create art inspired by their big feelings since the COVID-19 Pandemic in March 2020 and Ms. Zavolta's music scholars created songs to reflect the motif of the artworks.

A motif is a recurring theme. (Think about how you see unicorns everywhere at a unicorn-themed birthday party. Unicorn is the recurring theme!) Check out the combinations below to see the artwork and hear the song that was made to reflect the motif it showed!



Julianna M.



Eric P.

**CLICK THE PHOTO
TO BE TAKEN TO A
WEBSITE TO HEAR
THE SONG
CREATED FOR
EACH ARTWORK!**



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*Ms. Miller & Ms. Zavolta's
collaboration!*