

Vision

My vision is to continually provide a learning environment where all students have the opportunity to express ideas, develop skills and critical thinking, respect themselves, other people and their cultures through the vehicle of art.

Through the vehicle of art, my vision is to provide a learning environment where all students:

1. have the opportunity to express ideas
 - a. I develop lesson plans that encourage self-reflection and creativity.
 - b. I encourage all students' expression of ideas and guide them to the creation of their ideas.
 - c. I provide students with choices while creating art.
 - d. I demonstrate and model to the different mediums and techniques used to express their ideas.
 - e. I incorporate a variety of mediums and techniques for the students to use to express their ideas.
2. develop skills and critical thinking
 - a. I develop lessons that incorporate age-appropriate skill development.
 - b. I assign tasks for students to participate in the routines of the classroom.
 - c. I ask open-ended questions throughout all lessons.
 - d. I incorporate group lessons throughout the year.
3. respect themselves, other people and their cultures
 - a. I develop lessons that include art of other cultures.
 - b. I show a variety of artists and ideas that contribute to multiculturalism.
 - c. I discuss and post the rules of respect that must be maintained in the classroom.