



## **Changing the Learning Experience**

The Visual Arts Department at La Salle College Preparatory provides our students with the skills they need to express themselves while gaining an understanding of the world around them. Our students explore various media, all with a focus on developing their critical thinking skills and integrating real-world concepts.

Our classes reach beyond the classroom with field trips, visiting artists and exhibition opportunities. And we prepare our students for the future by assisting in building their portfolios for college, serving our community in our chapter of The National Art Honor Society, and participating in national competitions. The Visual Arts Department has developed a four-year curriculum, which attracts and serves students interested in pursuing a higher education in the arts.

## How Arts Change the Learning Experience

- Provide direct involvement with the material
- Allow authentic collaboration with others
- Encourage self-directed learning
- Promote complexity in the learning process
- Develop self-confidence
- Explore and develop individual talents and passions



Visual Arts courses are offered in the following disciplines:

- Studio Art 1
- Studio Art 2
- Advanced Drawing and Painting
- Contemporary Photography
- Advanced Photography
- Art Portfolio
- Sculpture 1
- Sculpture 2
- Advanced Sculpture
- AP Studio Art
- AP Drawing
- AP 2D Design
- AP 3D Design



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