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Sketchbook:

Your sketchbook should be carried with you. You should be sketching at least 3 times a week. We will be working on a visual journal throughout the school year and once a week that will be an assignment when we return to school. You should be sketching at least 4 thumbnail sketches to show preparation for each assignment. **College Board will require process pictures.**

### Please choose at least 3 out of the 5 Art Assignments.

1. Do some exploration with mixed media. Do a piece (portrait, self-portrait, landscape, or still life etc.) in which you use at least three different types of media.
2. Do a drawing of an unusual interior. For instance, looking inside a closet, cabinet, refrigerator, your car etc. Use your imagination.
3. Implement textile-Choose a subject and incorporate some kind of textile into your work. For instance, create a painting of a person and sew into the canvas, create a weaving project with yarn, painting on clothes, painting on shoes, or a batik.
4. Create a collage/mosaic. Using small fragmented pieces of found objects in order to create a finished composition. For example, you can create a skeleton torso using broken pieces of sea shells and glass and then ripped up books for the background. The ideas are endless!
5. Create a 3-D object using any material you want. You could use wood, metal, rope, CD's, books, clay, plaster etc. Must be interesting from all sides in revolve 360 degrees.

**Note**-Your work should display forethought, good composition, exceptional craftsmanship, have mature subject matter, and as much attention to the negative space as the positive. These pieces should be of quality to submit and craftsmanship that can be readily submitted to your AP portfolio.