## Term 4

## Explanations of assignments

(If you are in class, you would get more detailed explanation with powerpoints, demonstrations, examples and other methods of learning.)

## Categories:

## Assignments are in Blue <br> Turn in the in-shelf when you finish

## Sketchbook entries are in Green

Turn the entire sketchbook to the turn in shelf on 04/21 \& 05/12

## Projects are in Purple



Tape an extra credit form to the extra credit \& turn into the shelf.

## Charts

- Informal assessments: I will ask you at the end of class how productive you were. You will tell me: 5=definitely, 4=mostly, 3=somewhat, $2=$ not much, $0=$ not at all.
- Cleaning: At the end of class, you will ask another peer to observed that you cleaned your desk/mess and that you helped clean the class somehow; they will write their name in your chart for that day. You will get a score for this at the end of the term.


## Extra Credit

- Go back to the website and click on extra credit options
- You can ONLY do the extra credit that is listed on the website.
- You can only earn up to 200 points extra credit
- If I offer a specific assignment at the very end of the semester, that will not count as the 200 points.
- Approximately 1 minute of effort = 1 points.


## Perspective lines \& Atmospheric perspective Project

- Choose one type of perspective: $1,2,3$, or 5 point perspective
- The previous 4 slides refer to this project
- Choose an image emphasis of a symbol that represents you. Draw it coming off the page, like the Remedios Varo or MC Escher
- Draw a detailed drawing of perspective in the background; you can choose 1,2,3, or 5 point perspective.
- Look at your own photo, or another's photo/drawing to reference \& a Remedios Varo or MC Escher painting, but change it to make it your own creativity
- Demonstrations were done during class, but if you are at home you can look at these videos:
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QZILbgAD35s
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yNq78n02fMQ
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qmSg F4P5yU
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BUKj81Hy5Pc
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wwcldMKIzig
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w5-6-zvSZNg
- We will paint it with watercolor (outline \& add textures with pen is optional). Don't do this until we have gone over watercolor \& color.
- It is graded with a rubric


## \#13 Color chart in your sketchbook

Name
Paint the sections:

| Light Red | Dull mid red | Dark red | Neutral red/green | Dull green | Dark green | Green-blue |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Light Blue | Dull mid Blue | Dark blue | Neutral blue/orange | Dull Orange | Dark orange | Orange-yellow |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Light Yellow | Dull mid yellow | Dark yellow | Neutral yellow/violet | Dull violet | Dark violet | Violet-red |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Duplicate these boxes. These are color variations you can use for coloring skin


Matching Quiz:

|  | What do you add to make a color duller, or neutral? | a. Identify color |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | What do you add to make a color darker? | b. False |
| 3. | What do you add to make a color lighter? | c. yes |
|  | Are most colors intense, or dull when observing reality? | d. water |
| 5. | When duplicating reality would you almost always mix the color with the complementary color? | e. water next to color |
| 6. | What is the complement of red? | f. light |
| 7. | What is the complement of blue? | g. green |
|  | What is the complement of yellow? | h. True |
|  | What should you do first when you are observing a color and trying to duplicate it correctly? | i. complementary color |
| 10. | What value do you layer first? | j. violet |
|  | Should you leave areas pure white? | k. complementary color \& layer more |
|  | True or false: It is more sophisticated to mix colors \& make unique colors than to use them straight from the pallet. | I. no |
|  | What helps to make a blended, or gradated look? | m. orange |
|  | True or false: I can paint on wet paper for a minute or longer | n. dull |

## \#14 Color wheel in your sketchbook

1. Glue color wheel to the back of your sketchbook
2. Cut around the circle of the color schemes
3. Put a fastener through the center
4. Turn the dial and use throughout the semester to help you come up with color schemes for your projects


## \#15 Draw a house with pen \& watercolor. Use texture style line quality.

- Watch this demo video and try it.
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-scpBUY Fn0



## \#16 Create a brainstorm web for your watercolor project.

- The watercolor project should be based on frames within frames. For example: trees framing a sunset, fingers framing a person, looking through a window. The frame should have meaning with the emphasis.



## \#17 Atmospheric perspective

- Draw/paint this photo. Demonstrate these concepts:
- What is Far away: light, small, less detail, less contrast and duller colors.
- What is Close: dark, bigger, more detailed, more contrast and brighter color.
- Practice staying in the shape, gradating and a smooth texture.
- Use a lot of water and layer to get darker

Follow steps:

1. Pour water in your lid and fill your entire lid up with the main color mixture (mix it with a bit of complementary color.
2. Paint left-right \& top to bottom with a large brush with the main color
3. Let it dry (work on another project)
4. Put another layer on the farthest away mountains and down
5. Skip the farthest mountains and put another layer on the next far mountains and down
6. Put another layer on the closer mountains \& down
7. Put another layer on the closest mountains.


## \#18 Ideas for your Watercolor Layering Project

- Fill out a brainstorm web creating ideas for the theme: Within.....
- Draw 6 thumbnail sketches for ideas of your theme to include a framing composition and connection with the emphasis


# Watercolor Layering Project: framing and theme within 

- Get photo
references to look from that will help you create your composition, reference values and color.
- A city in an eyeball
- An airplane in a sea shell
- A person inside a flower


## Layering Technique Steps:

1. Paint the entire page with the wet-on-wet technique with a light layer first
2. Paint everything, except the light values
3. Paint just mid-value, dark-mid-value \& darks
4. Paint just the dark and dark mid-values,
5. Paint darks only
6. Observe tiny detailed variations of shapes of value, line and color. Use a tiny brush.
7. Make colors harmonious: layer transparent/watery mixtures, mix all colors with a bit of the main color, and/or repeat similar colors all throughout the page.
8. Compose the entire page. Don't leave empty spaces.
9. Use techniques that you learned from previous assignments.

## \#19 Create harmony with your colors

- Do three small simple rectangle composition examples of these 3 different ways to create harmony with your color:

1. Choose a color scheme that you will mostly stick to for your project
2. Use transparent/watery mixtures, mix all colors with a bit of the main color, and/or repeat similar colors all throughout the page.
3. Mix all colors with a bit of the main color
4. Repeat similar colors all throughout the page.

## Principles of Design and Art Elements

Name $\qquad$ Principle of design and art element worksheet

Draw a simple sketch illustrating your understanding of each Principle of design:

| Balance: a distribution of equal visual weight | Symmetrical balance: exact features on both sides | Asymmetrical balance: One side seems as it has more weight | Radial balance: design extending from the center |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
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| Alignment: an arrangement forming straight line | Emphasis: accentuation of importance-domination | Emphasis: accentuation of importance-focal point | Emphasis: accentuation of importance-contrast |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text {-OOOO-OOO-O- } \\ & \text { in ALIGNMENT } \\ & \text {-OOO-OO-O-O-O-O } \\ & \text { out of ALIGNMENT } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| Emphasis: accentuation of importance-isolation | Emphasis: accentuation of importance-location | Emphasis: accentuation of importance-convergence | Emphasis: accentuation of importance-unusual |
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| Proportion: scaling of objects in relation to each other | Movement: a directional path of movement | Rhythm: repeating strong \& weak areas, or repeating noise \& silence | Pattern: an orderly repetition of an object |
|  |  |  |  |
| Variety: combining contrasting elements to add interest | Contrast: a juxtaposition that accentuates difference | Harmony: art elements appearing agreeable | Unity: a harmonious arrangement of elements; a oneness/wholeness |



Draw a simple sketch illustrating your understanding of each Art Element:

| Line: The path of a moving point | Shape: the contour of a flat object | Form: 3D object having depth | Space: internal/external areas |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| Value: brightness \& darkness | Color: an objects chromatic qualities | Texture: The tactile quality of a surface | Type: a verbal communication, but the font style is a visual communication |
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## \#20 Monochromatic Watercolor Value Scale

- Paint a monochromatic value scale with complementary colors
- Five different values: dark, dark-mid, mid-value, light mid-value, light


## \#21 10 Watercolor techniques

- Get a watercolor paper
- Do the 10 watercolor techniques
- You can just fill in rectangle shapes. It doesn't need to be anything fancy as long as you try each technique.
- Put it in your sketchbook when you are done
- Techniques:


1. Gradation from dark to light
2. Gradation color to a different color
3. Wet on wet
4. Salt
5. Toothpick
6. Toothbrush
7. White crayon
8. Sponge
9. Dry brush
10. Plastic wrap

## Gel Printmaking Project

Watch this video and follow these steps https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8uH6rk vsdko


1. Make a stencil with a plastic sheet (your own creativity)
2. Cut shapes out
3. Roll acrylic paint on the gel pad

- You can use textures too if you want


4. Place paper down to get a background

- Press with a spoon on all areas of the paper

5. Roll a darker or lighter acrylic paint on the gel pad than your background
6. Place your stencil on it

- Press with a spoon on all areas of the paper

7. Place your paper on it


## Grid Technique and turn into a Soft Pastels Project

- Grid technique: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zTLma4yn IY
- Soft pastel: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MoJ-sI7CtAE
- Follow these steps with the soft pastels:

1. Erase grid as you go bit by bit
2. Use Black on the darks -lightly first
3. Complementary colors \& darks next
4. Lights
5. Smear a bit
6. Details and clarify (blender)
