Dear WUNS Families,

WELCOME TO THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR AND ART ENRICHMENT!

Every two to three years, the school celebrates its creativity with a Gallery Event. All WUNS students create a piece of artwork that will be exhibited at the gallery event. The date for this event is **Saturday**, **February 29**, **2020**, so please save the date!

During the day, families and artists alike will be invited to the gallery space to view fellow artists' works. During the evening, grown-ups will celebrate together and leave that evening with their artist's work. Each of the classes will have the opportunity to engage in Art Enrichment one time per month. We will introduce an Element of Art each month, introduce Master Artists, and build understanding through conversations and experiences in the Art Studio. A letter will be sent home with a description of your child's introduction to that Element of Art. This year, each classroom will focus on a particular medium of art and Master Artist that demonstrated experience and expertise in that medium. Our Inspiration Artists will be female artisans this school year:

Artists of Inspiration:

~Anni Albers, printmaking (https://nmwa.org/explore/artist-profiles/anni-albers)



~Georgia O'Keefe, nature & modernist painting (https://nmwa.org/explore/artist-profiles/georgia-okeeffe)



~Louise Nevelson, sculptor (https://nmwa.org/explore/artist-profiles/louise-nevelson)



We are seeking items that you might find lying around your home, in storage, in the basement, or at a relatives' or friends' home. We will GLADLY utilize these items for our Art Enrichment projects.

Find your child's classroom below to see what items we will need:

Thank you in advance, Suzy O. Frillman, Art Enrichment

Teddy Bears and Panda Bears Art Enrichment Focal Artist:

Anni Albers-printmaking and textile design

https://nmwa.org/explore/artist-profiles/anni-albers

Donation Wish List...

*If you have any of these items laying around at home, in storage, in the basement, at a relatives or friends, we will GLADLY utilize these items for ART ENRICHMENT.

- Wood frames with glass intact-any size and any shape
- Foam trays (meat or otherwise-clean of course[©])
- Old CD's (for printmaking)
- Wooden skewers
- Acrylic paints
- Printmaking brayers
- Heavy paper-water color or otherwise

Bear Cubs Art Enrichment Focal Artist:

Georgia O'Keeffe-drawings, prints & painting

https://nmwa.org/explore/artist-profiles/georgia-okeeffe

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- -dried flowers
- -faux botanicals
- -vases and/or glass jars for floral display (any size)
- -acrylic paints

Big Bears & Sun Bears Art Enrichment Focal Artist:

Louise Nevelson-drawings & prints, painting & sculpture

https://nmwa.org/explore/artist-profiles/louise-nevelson

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The supplies listed below can be old, vintage, antique, gently used or heavily used. We are open to items with "Basement & Garage Character"

- wood frames any size (with or without glass)
- wood boxes-from drawer organizers to vintage cheese boxes (any size)-imagine an "old school" diorama box
- cigar boxes
- small shoe boxes -wooden beads (any size)
- wooden rulers
- smaller wood pieces and scraps
- wood glue
- spray paint (any color)