WANIC 2024 -25
Program Expectations

Art & Animation

READING EXPECTATIONS OF THIS CLASS:

Students will be expected to read, understand, and execute assignment briefs with specific requirements. Utilize computer skills such as file management, basic troubleshooting, industry software, and internet research.

WRITING EXPECTATIONS OF THIS CLASS:

Students must take notes from live lectures and course materials, analyze works of art (including their own) in written format using art principles and techniques as evidence. Students must also manage time and class resources (class websites, digital turn-ins, multiple ongoing projects/assignments).

MATH EXPECTATIONS OF THIS CLASS:

Students must be able to use fractions, addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division to learn art concepts and use them to solve real-world problems. They must also be able to synthesize basic math procedures with art principles.

SCIENCE EXPECTATIONS OF THIS CLASS:

Not applicable

HOMEWORK EXPECTATIONS OF THIS CLASS:

All the coursework for this class is intended to be done during class. Lab time is planned in class for every assignment, and students are expected to be self-motivated during this time. The goal is for students to have all the help they need while actively working on their assignments. Any work done outside of class is typically preparatory work, such as reading or reviewing a video in advance of the topic being introduced in the class.

TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN THIS CLASS, THE STUDENT SHOULD BE PREPARED TO:

Have their artwork evaluated using professional, objective criteria. Receive and embrace constructive critique of their work as a valuable opportunity for growth and improvement in their artistic work. Students must be willing to repeatedly practice fundamentals to achieve mastery, and work on specific assignments/techniques, not just their preferred subjects or style. Students will be expected to learn art as an industry skill set and a method of expression.

Applying and practicing skills is key to showcasing your competency. Embrace an attendance policy reflecting the norms of business and industry, where you take on the role of an employee or professional. Commit to full daily attendance and active participation for optimal learning and productivity. Dive into the program's array of hands-on activities, necessary for earning credit.