

# V I S U A L   A R T S F R E S H M E N

On behalf of the Visual Arts Program at Jesuit, we would like to welcome you to your new school. We look forward to getting to know you.

We offer 2 curriculum choices for freshmen:

**Option 1:** Fine Arts I is a yearlong class which explores the arts through 12 week rotations of music, drama, and visual arts. It meets both the school and the state graduation requirement. No application is necessary to enter the Fine Arts I course.

**Option 2:** You may apply to enter directly into the Visual Arts curriculum through a course called Art I Bridge. The course is a yearlong class. It is an entry level class which means it is where everyone begins regardless of ability or preparation. It includes drawing, designing, painting, and printmaking as well as other areas of art. It also meets graduation requirements. Art I Bridge is the first of several levels available in our program.

To apply for the Art I Bridge course (Option 2, above), please follow these steps:

## PREPARE YOUR ARTWORK

Collect your recent artwork. We are especially interested in drawings that have been done from observation or imagination. The work may be presented in an informal format.

## MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

Go to [www.jesuitportlandart.simplybook.me](http://www.jesuitportlandart.simplybook.me) to schedule an appointment to have your artwork reviewed by Ms. Fleenor or Ms. Gordon-Manning. All interviews must be completed before **April 28, 2017**. Please be prepared to discuss your work and reasons why you would like to be considered for Art I Bridge. Appointment location: The Visual Art's office is the first door to the right as one enters the Performing Arts Center from the northwest.

We will assume that you are a passionate and committed art student who intends to continue through the visual arts curriculum during your upcoming years at Jesuit.

Final decision on admission to the Art I course will be made by the faculty. All accepted applicants will be notified after April 28, 2017.