PROJECT NAME: Children's Literature

OVERVIEW: Students will illustrate a page or cover of a children's book, working with communicating ideas in an image.

NEW TERMS:
- color
- color pencils
- watercolor
- sharpie
- pen
- Value
- Texture
- Blending
- Hatching
- Cross-hatching
- Stippling
- Pattern
- Contrast
- Composition
- Repetition
- Pattern

EQ – How can I create value with just a black pen.

EQ – How can my composition be interpreted the way I intended

EQ - How do I convey a feeling or thought with just images?

VISUAL ART & DESIGN STANDARDS

THIS IS WHY I AM TEACHING THIS LESSON, SO YOU CAN LEARN...

VAD 1-1 Design – Students will use elements and principles to design and create a successful piece of artwork. Emphasis value, texture, repetition, pattern, contrast, unity and balance.

VAD 1-2 Media & Tools – Students will use new pen pencil, watercolor and ink techniques to create different values. Students are looking to create their own style.

VAD 2-1 History & Culture – Introduced to children's books and various illustrators.

VAD 3-1 Problem Solving – Students will use problem-solving skills to create a successful connection between the illustration and text.

VAD 3-2 Interpret – Students will be using images to convey a feeling, emotion or communicate an idea.

VAD 4-1 Reflection - Every student will reflect during their studio time, as well as a written reflection after completion.

The following categories are always taken into consideration when calculating your grade:
- Effort/Citizenship/Respect
- Following Directions
- Using correct tools, techniques and terms
- Set-up/Clean-up
- Craftsmanship/Creativity/Originality
- Problem Solving Skills

Assessment

- Grade – Worksheet
- Grade - drawing/idea concept
- Grade – illustration match with words
- Grade - Final Work
- Grade – Citizenship in the classroom
- Grade – Effort in the project
- Grade – Written Reflection

In addition to the box above, be aware of what your goals and grades are for every class. Keep track here. This is how you will see your grades broken down in Aspen.

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