

# Art of Graphics

Mr. Gibson • Room 607

## Semester Goal

*Learn and apply the principles and elements of design through the creation of projects that are collected into a personal portfolio utilizing Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator.*

## Activities

- Textbook Readings and Google Docs
- Class Discussions
- Tutorials and Projects
- Independent Works
- Tests and Quizzes
- Portfolio of completed work

## Topics

- Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator
- Design Terms and Concepts
- Typography
- Design Process
- Artist Reviews
- Copyright and Ethics

## Grading

- Notes (textbook and independent)
- Project files (class and independent)
- Artist Reviews
- Quizzes (written and production)
- Tests (written and production)

## Grading Scale

- 90 – 100% = A
- 80 – 89% = B
- 70 – 79% = C
- 60 – 69% = D
- 60% > = F

Use your google.com account to access files and your personal portfolio. Log in by visiting google.com and choosing sign in at the top right of the computer screen.

## Standard Format

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## Example

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**“I strive for two things in design: simplicity and clarity.  
Great design is born of those two things.”**

**Lindon Leader**