**Sketchbook Assignments:  
You are required to complete one sketchbook assignment per 2 weeks**

**Remember that Composition, Emphasis, Contrast, Value range and Your use of Space (Positive & Negative) always matter.**

**Directions:** Please write the title of the assignment on the back of your artwork before submitting and do include your name to avoid a 5 pt deduction. Sketchbook Assignments:          

**Due Dates:**  
  
February 21          March 3            April 14th    \*\* May 5th  
  
February 24          March 17th       April 28th    \*\*May 19th  
  
Choices :  Select one from each list below. You will turn in 3 Observations and 3 Creative sketchbook assignments with strong compositional arrangements, based on the P & E of Design.  
  
**OBSERVATION:**  
  
1.       Draw something that moves. Focus on Realism and Proportion.  
  
2.       Eat food and draw the food in at least 3 stages. Focus on Value & include shadows.  
  
3.       Go out in to the community and pick a unique architectural element to draw from a unique angle.

Focus on Balance and perspective.  
  
4.       Draw the view from the Passenger Seat of the car. Focus on Detail.  
  
5.       Chaos – Find an area in your life that is chaotic and draw it in detail, i.e. – your dresser top, closet

floor, any signs of hoarding. Focus on Value , consider color.

6. Arrange 5 – 7 personal items on your dresser or desk and draw the object as realistically as

possible. Focus on Including 7 different values  
  
**INVENTION:**  
  
1.       Draw a human/ animal combination. Focus on creativity and realism.  
  
2.       Create an animal or object out of drawings of a #2 pencil, Focus on Design and Color.  
  
3.       Draw an unidentified sea creature. Focus on realism and Color.  
  
4.       Create a futuristic or surrealistic landscape using watercolor pencils. Focus on value and contrast.  
  
5.       Underground life of an ant colony. Focus on 3-d of ants, objects, and tunnels!  
  
6.       Draw an illustration for a chosen headline , i.e. - “Unlikely cause to strange traffic jam!”  
  
7.       Blue print for your dream house. Focus on mechanical drawing ( use a ruler) Review plans

online to include proper doors, and window symbols.  
  
8.       Anime, i.e. -  – Fantasy, Fanart, Comic strip. Focus on the detail.

**May 5th –** Write a letter to the Administration about what you have learned in advanced art.  
  
                    (Minimum 10 – 12 sentences).   
  
**May 19th-** Write a letter to next year’s Advanced Art Students – Your thoughts about the class and any       
  
                   Advice you may have for them. Add a small drawing and sign it. ( minimum 10 – 12 sentences)