

Dear Parents and Students,

I warmly welcome all of you to Ortega Elementary's Art Resource for the 2022-2023 school year! I am very excited to begin my first full year of teaching art and sharing my creative passion with your child and the rest of the students. We will be learning about the elements and principles of art while creating artworks in various mediums, such as pencil, pen, marker, pastel, watercolor, acrylic paint, collage, printmaking, sculpture, and ceramics. We will also be looking at famous works of art and diving into art history throughout the school year.

Please reach out to me at any time if you have questions or concerns, and I look forward to working with you and your child to embrace the ever-growing appreciation for art!

Sincerely,

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BEGINNING-OF-THE-YEAR SUPPLY LIST

Although most of the art supplies will be provided in the classroom, there are some materials that I would like your child to bring each time they have art resource during the beginning of the year:

- Sketchbook (9x12 preferred, but other similar sizes are acceptable; type of paper in sketchbook does not matter, as long as your child is comfortable drawing with it)
- Pencils
- Crayola markers
- Crayons (Pack of 24 is best)
- Colored Pencils
- Pencil sharpener
- Erasers