

**Ignite Your Passion (IYP)** 

Digital Art & Media

2021-2022 Open House Information



# **Acknowledgement**



We would like to acknowledge and thank the Squamish Nation upon whose traditional territory West Vancouver Schools reside.

We would like to express our gratitude to this Nation as we value the opportunity to learn and share educational experiences on this traditional territory.



### Ms. Cari Wilson

WVS District Technology LEAD Teacher
WVS Premier Mechatronics Robotics Academy Teacher



- WVS Ignite Your Passion (IYP)
   Digital Art & Media Teacher
- M.Ed. In Education Technology
- Microsoft Innovative Teacher award Winner
- Google Certified Trainer
- Apple Distinguished Educator
- Professionalism (Chaos Manager)
- Owner Otter's Hollow Multimedia



# What is Digital Art & Media?

Focus on creating and producing original digital images and movies

A pathway to various Art courses at the secondary school level





# **Goals of the Program**

#### To help students to develop skills in:

- Photography
- Stop-motion animation
- Green screen filming
- Audio recording
- Digital art



.....as well as 'sneaky skills' such as collaboration, problem solving, creativity, personal expression



# Who is the program designed for?

#### **Program designed for:**

- Students registered full time in any one of the elementary schools in the West Vancouver School District
- Grades 6 & 7
- All genders eligible to apply







My Dark Side





### Time & Location

#### The Program:

- September June
- This is a one-year program with students completing all concepts taught throughout the course of the school year
- Takes place at West Vancouver Secondary School (WVSS)
- Classroom (TBC)
- Mondays, 3:30 5:00 p.m.





# Why? Everyone Has a Story!

Our young students are at an age where they are looking for ways to express themselves as unique individuals

What we do is look for ways for students to tell their stories through such mediums as photography, videos, sound, music, and animation





### The Plan for the Year

Students will use iPads and other technology tools

Students will complete 5-6 units during the school year

Units cover different skills

Students will have an opportunity to showcase their work at year end





# **Various Projects to Learn New Skills**

Students will complete several challenging, but fun projects to learn such skills as:

- Basic design principles by creating Logos
- Basic skills of photography
- Use the Clips app to explore self expression
- Begin to use layers, brushes and texture in digital art











### The Fee

September – June

All year long

\$130 per month x 10 months Tuition: \$1300

Mondays 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Includes the use of the iPad and other technological tools the student requires for the program





### **Next Steps**

Register online at **westvancouverschools.ca**Complete the student information form

Immediately following the completion of that form, submit a copy of the student's most recent report card

We are looking for students who have a genuine interest in this area as well as:

- The ability to listen well & follow instructions
- To persevere at tasks that may provide challenge
- To work well with others
- To complete assigned tasks in a timely manner
- To follow rules of the program, including health and safety protocols





### **Next Steps & Thank You**

For parents, whose students receive confirmation of acceptance into the program, a non-refundable deposit will be required to hold the spot.

This deposit will go towards September's fee.

More information will be provided to parents regarding the process of payment throughout the year.

West Vancouver Schools uses School Cash Online for the processing of all payments.

#### Thank you

We look forward to receiving the online student information forms.