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**Foundations in Art** is a basic two-dimensional design course. The class is structured around 5 principles of design: line, shape, value, texture and color. Students are given an assignment around each of these subject areas and are encouraged to seek advice and feedback from members of the group. Building a vocabulary and articulating art concepts are major goals of the class. Art History and exposure to contemporary artwork are used to illustrate key concepts. Drawing sessions develop and strengthen drawing skills. Contour and gesture drawing techniques are introduced. Ability to work in a timely fashion, focus, self-discipline, risk taking, intellectual curiosity, commitment and attention to finished presentation are important goals.