

WELCOME BACK!

Art Room Newsletter
August 2015



About Me:



Hello! My name is Mrs. Kennedy and I am grateful to say that this school year will be my third year at Sugar Creek, although I've been teaching art for over four years. I am excited to learn more about each of you and your families throughout the year, but wanted to go ahead introduce myself.

My husband and I have one son, Carter, who just turned two this summer and certainly keeps us on our toes. We also have a fur-baby named Daisy who likes to be Carter's guard-dog, and a nameless turtle who doesn't do much but is fun to watch! I love art and I love to teach (so this job is the best of both worlds!) but I also enjoy cheerleading and plan on coaching at Sugar Creek again this year. My favorite color is purple and I love teaching my little students how to mix that color!

I am so excited to begin a new year with you all and look forward to learning new things, creating new masterpieces, and making many memories along the way!

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NEW!!

Art to Remember

I can't wait to start this year off with Art to Remember! Much like Artsonia, you will have a chance to see and order keepsakes of your child's artwork! More details to come soon!!



Did You Know...?

- Students who study art are 4 times more likely to be recognized for academic achievement.
- The arts celebrate multiple perspectives and diversities.
- Students studying art are 3 times more likely to be awarded for school attendance.
- Art education emphasizes problem solving and encourages thinking outside-the-box to come up with diverse solutions.
- Art is proven to engage students that are typically at risk to drop out.



Upcoming Art Contests:

NMCSA Featured Artist
-each trimester-
Symphony in Color Contest
-January 2016-



We want to beautify, add a little brightness, make a difference, and share our love of art right here in our community! We are actively looking for opportunities but if you know of anyone or an organization that could use our help, please contact Mrs. Kennedy!

2nd Annual

Fine Arts Night!

Coming this Spring!

Our First Annual Fine Arts Night was a huge success, and with many thanks to our supportive Sugar creek families!

We are excited and planning a bigger and better Fine Arts Night for this spring. Here are a few things you can look forward to:

- Two nights of celebrating the arts!
- Even more fun and interactive art!
- More student artworks!
- An impressive auction supporting our arts programs!