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H.S. of Art and Design Student Clubs & Activities

The Yearbook Club

- Advisor: Mr. Pasetky
- Room 824
- Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m.
- The club's purpose is to create the annual Senior yearbook.
- Students will engage in photography, illustration (cover design and matching headers), graphic design (pagination of books), sales/advertising and some writing.

Gay Straight Alliance

- Advisor: Mr. Tallon
- Meeting Day: Wednesdays 2:45 – 3:45 pm.
- Location: Room 817
- Description of The GSA's Aims
- The Gay Straight Alliance aims to serve as a supportive and safe space for our LGBT student population
- Students engage in a variety of activities that aim to support and nurture the growth of the LGBT community at the High School of Art and Design.

The Animation Club

- Advisor – Mr. Newman
- Meeting Dates and Times- Thursdays 3:00-5:00 pm.
- Location- 619
- Mission Statement: To expand and express knowledge of the animation industry through project based work
- Students will explore the world of animation and beautify the school through collaborations and project based work. 3d printing will be a core principle of teaching and training

The Art of Music Club

- Advisor- Mr. Bencsko
- Meeting Dates and Times- Wednesdays and Thursdays, 3:00-4:00 pm
- Location – 1005
- This club is about the people, the art and the art of music
- A meeting place for students that creates a safe and stress free place through music. Meetings would

consist of listening to all kinds of music and talking about the music.



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Painting and Drawing Club

- Advisor: Mr. Harrington
- Meets Monday – Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays: 3:00 to 4:30pm
- Room 1122
- Students will work on developing their life drawing and painting skills, an essential component of their portfolios. Teachers and students work alongside each other in an informal atmosphere of mutual support and comradeship. Many students work on their class projects as well.

The Cartooning Club

- Advisor: Mr. Lassen
- Thursdays, 3-4pm
- Location: Room 825
- Mission Statement: The place to talk cartoons, shape cartoons and have a fun time making your own cartoons.

The Chess Club

- Advisor: Mr. Reyes
- Wednesdays - 3-4pm
- Room 615
- To play chess...and to teach others to play chess.
- Playing chess can teach students (and teachers!) to think beyond the current moment and see many steps ahead in order to trap their opponent...it is all about strategy. It is a great life skill to learn and allows the students to see patterns and to improve in all areas mentally. Would be nice to have a little in house competition as well or even try to compete city-wide (yikes!)...but we will see.
- Student led school newspaper produced monthly.

The Drama Club

- **Supervisor** - Kathy Sorensen
- **Meeting Dates and Times** - Rehearsals are Monday through Thursday 3:15 – 5:00pm
- Performances will be in December and late April. There will be performances for classes during the day, and public performances at night.
- **Location** - Black Box Theatre
- The club rehearses and performs two plays a year. It also holds a Shakespeare Monologue competition once a year.
- Rehearse, perform, do stage craft (set, costumes, sets, props)

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- The winner of the Shakespeare Monologue contest will compete at the city level.



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The Fashion Design Portfolio Club

- Advisor: Ms. Alexander
- Meeting Dates and Times: Wednesday 3-4pm.
- Location: ROOM 924
- To develop portfolio illustration skills geared toward college level applications
- Student applying to Fashion Design programs will have the time, space and guidance to work on their portfolios.

The A&D SocieTea Club

- Advisor: Ms. Ramirez
- Meeting Dates and Times: Wednesday 3-5 pm.
- Location: ROOM 1009
- A club that motivates one another to become exemplar models in our school society.
- SocieTea is a place where students get together, share snacks, play games, do homework and tutor each other.

Global Kids- Girl Hack

- Advisor- Global Kids
- Meeting Dates and Times: Tuesdays 2:45-5 pm.
- Location: ROOM 617A
- For all who identify as female
- Develop your very own video game around an issue you are passionate about
- Explore issues that affect women and girls worldwide.
- Learn basic computer programming and game design

The Creative Agency Club

- Advisor: Mr. Landegger
- Meeting Dates and Times Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 3:00 to 5:00 pm
- Location Room: 617A
- Explore the World of Marketing, Advertising, Design, & Entrepreneurship.
- Students will explore the advertising world and work with real companies to explore opportunities after High School.

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The Mural Club

- Advisor: Mr. Weinstein
- Meeting Dates & Time: Wednesday and Thursday, 3 – 5pm
- Locations: Room 1020
- Identify locations around the school that could be enhanced by site specific Mural Art.
- Students of the group will have creating decision making input.

The Newscast Club

- Advisor: Mr. Harchol
- Meeting Dates and Times: Thursdays, 2:45 to 4:15pm.
- Location: ROOM 624
- Help research, interview, report, produce, and edit the school newscast. All are welcome. No experience necessary.

Circuit Training Club

- Advisor: Mr. Eckhaus
- Meeting Dates & Time: Wednesday, 3 – 4pm
- Locations: Room 428
- Mission: To improve our health and fitness using through exercises using only our bodyweight
- Students will discuss and take part in various Calisthenics exercises

Mythical Club

- Advisor: Ms. Orlick
- Meeting Dates & Time: Thursdays, 2:45 – 3:45pm
- Locations: Room 1111
- Mission: Each week we will discuss a different mythical creature or ancient mythology.
- List of topics could include: mermaids, vampires, witches, werewolves, shifters, ghosts, tarot cards, Greek gods, roman gods, Norse gods, etc.
- If you like supernatural phenomenon, room 1111 is the place to be on Thursdays.