Freshmen Foundation
2020 Summer Homework

Please, submit the Summer Homework assignments to your Foundation Design Teacher on the first day of school when you return, September 10th, 2020.

Project #1: "MY SURROUNDINGS"
Medium: Graphite
Size: 11” x 17, (or two 8.5” x 11 Facing Pages in the Black Sketchbook).
Directions: "My Surroundings" will be a representational drawing that you create based on the neighborhood environment you are familiar with. Using a camera, or phone take several photographs of different parts of your neighborhood. Then, using multiple photos, design your neighborhood and draw the scene on 2 facing pages in your sketchbook. Consider how the focal point of your design will be most effective since the seam of your sketchbook will obstruct part of the view.

Project #2: "CORNER OF MY ROOM"
Medium: Charcoal, or Graphite
Size: 14” x 17” (Yellow Sketchbook)
Directions: Choose a room in your home that has good lighting (natural or artificial). Then, choose a corner of the room that is most interesting, as you will create a still-life rendering of everything in the scene exactly as you see it. A rendering is a detailed drawing based on light and shadow, or light and dark values. Do not use, or add color.

Project #3: “SNEAKER DESIGN”
Medium: Markers, Pens, or Ink-Liners
Size: 8.5” x 11” (Black Sketchbook)
Directions: Design one pair of "Chuck Taylors" Converse sneakers using only black, white and 1 color. The focus of your sneaker designs is to create dynamic patterns consisting rhythmic lines, contrasting shapes, and color that appears unified and balanced. You may use the Chuck Taylor Converse Sneaker Template below, or do a Google Search and find a design template of your choice to draw into your black sketchbook before designing.

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