**Fall 2021: Abstract Art Syllabus**

**6th-8th and 9th-12th grades (subject to change as needed)**

**Week 1: Abstract Art Overview**  
<https://www.tate.org.uk/art/art-terms/a/abstract-art>  
  
**Week 2: Understanding Abstract**  
<https://www.art-mine.com/collectorscorner/understanding-abstract-art/>  
  
**Week 3: Piet Mondrian 1920**  
<https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-piet-mondrian>  
  
**Week 4: Wassily Kandinsky on drawing paper 1911**  
[https://www.wassilykandinsky.net](https://www.wassilykandinsky.net/)  
*Squares with Concentric Circles*  
<https://www.wassilykandinsky.net/work-370.php>  
  
**Week 5: Georgia O'Keeffe 1915**  
<https://www.okeeffemuseum.org/about-georgia-okeeffe/>  
  
**Week 6: Georgia O'Keeffe**  
<https://www.okeeffemuseum.org/education/teacher-resources/>  
  
**Week 7: Color Field Painting**<https://m.theartstory.org/movement/color-field-painting/>  
*Clifford Still 1935*  
<https://m.theartstory.org/artist/still-clyfford/artworks/>  
  
**Week 8: Action Painting 1948**<https://www.theartstory.org/amp/movement/action-painting/>  
*Jackson Pollack on poster board*  
<https://www.theartstory.org/amp/artist/pollock-jackson/>  
  
**Week 9: Action Painting William Green on canvas (pour) 1950**  
<https://www.tate.org.uk/art/artists/william-green-4531>

**Week 10:** **ECHO Co-op Closed for Veterans Day** (96-hour weekend for military families)   
  
**Week 11: Gagosian Helen 1950 Frankenthaler floetrol and water**<https://gagosian.com/artists/helen-frankenthaler/>

**Week 12:** **ECHO Co-op Closed for Thanksgiving Break** (96-hour weekend for military families)  
 **Week 13: Post Painterly Abstraction 1950**  
<https://www.tate.org.uk/art/art-terms/p/post-painterly-abstraction>  
*Morris Louis- swipe on canvas*  
<https://www.tate.org.uk/art/artworks/louis-alpha-phi-t01058>  
  
**Week 14: Ornaments**

**Week 15: Christmas Card-making for Community Service Project**

**ECHO Christmas Party** (last day of fall semester)