Ms. Mary Beth Turner

Game Art Design

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

My name is Ms. Mary Beth Turner. I wish to make this semester successful. My goal is to create a comfortable learning environment that is **fair, fun, and challenging.** To achieve this goal, we need to communicate with one another regularly. Feel free to contact me at school with any questions or concerns you may have.

What will your child learn in this course?

This course is intended to further students’ knowledge in the field of Digital Media with hands-on projects and “real world” activities. Students develop an e-portfolio containing their projects related to personal career goals developed in this course through guided practice and independent practices. This course is based upon the development of a specific set of skills that would be required in the field of Digital Media. This skill set can be broken down into five specific competencies or skills areas: graphic design, animation, audio, video, web-design.

**SUPPLIES** Please purchase a **pencil, a highlighter, notebook/folder or notebook dividers**. Students are **REQUIRED to pay the $15 Computer fee**, as required by Onslow County, to take this course. **All students need to bring a flash drive (4GB or higher) EVERY DAY to class** and headphones are optional, but recommended.

The grading scale is as follows:

**CLASSWORK & HOMEWORK** Class activities are assigned by objective. All assignments for the objective will be turned in on the due date, **NO LATE WORK** is accepted. If you are absent it is due the day you return to school. **CW/HW is 40% of your grade**.

**QUIZZES** Quizzes will occur after every objective. These quizzes may be open notes. Since they are **open notes** some will be announced and some may not. It is important you keep an organized notebook and have all notes easily accessible. **Quizzes count as 25% of your grade**.

**TESTS/PROJECTS** This is a state tested course. Every student MUST take the final exam. **Test and project grades are 25% of your grade.**

**ORGANIZATION** Having an organized notebook is very important. As required, every student must have a 3” AVID binder. For this course, they must have a designated area for various handouts, quick writes, and other things they may need to print. . **Organization counts as 10% of their grade**. **If your child is in 21st Century Academy and is required to dress up on Thursday’s, this will also count as an organization grade. Organization counts as 10% of their grade in the course**.

Sincerely,

Mary Beth Turner

Business, Trades, and Technology Teacher

**Parental Information**

This fact sheet was read aloud-in class and the students signed it afterwards. Parents, please fill out, sign, and date this form for my records. Your child will need to return this the next day. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at the school or by email.

PLEASE **PRINT** ALL INFORMATION!

Student’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student’s Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s Email Address (please write clearly): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Easiest phone number to reach you and best time? : \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parents Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you want to be notified if the following apply to your student?

* Student is using inappropriate behavior YES NO
* Student fails a test YES NO
* Student is missing important assignments YES NO

**PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT ME**
**EMAIL** IS THE BEST METHOD TO CONTACT ME.