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Welcome to our Spring Term!

We are excited about the start of our new term and are looking forward to seeing all the amazing works of art our students produce for our Spring term! We'd like to offer a warm welcome to our new families joining us this Spring, and also welcome back our returning students! Our enrollment is bigger than last term! We are so excited to see our Salem School grow.

We have lots of fun activities planned for this term. Mark your calendars now for our Spring Art Exhibit, April 27th!



Class Photos

We will begin taking student photos this week (February 24th). This term we have many students that are part time, so instead of one group photo we are going to take individual photos and create a school collage. We will post the collage in next month's newsletter.

Mark Your Art Supplies!

Every week we end up with things that get accidently left behind. It makes it so much easier to get the items back to their owners if there is a name on the item. Please make sure supplies are marked.



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news!

Have
Questions?

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Spring Online Auction

April 1st - 30th

The auction is a lot of fun! It is a win-win fundraiser. You give, and in return hopefully find a great bargain.

Keep in mind our auction as you go about town. Auction letters will be available in our office and to download on our website soon that you can give to vendors, restaurants, or retail store owners. We are amazed at how many are willing to give a gift certificate. Theme baskets, certificates, and items in mint condition from home are welcome. Remember all gifts are tax deductible.

There will be a donation form for you to fill out online. It is very helpful if everyone uses this online form, as it automatically updates all other forms we use for the auction and saves us time. All information and forms will be available soon on our Auction Fundraiser page.

Start procuring your donations now! We will begin accepting non-perishable items this month. Take pictures of large items and email it to msoaonlineauction@gmail.com rather than bring the item to school, as our space is very limited.

You are welcome to drop off certificates, gift baskets and smaller items anytime during school hours. Please fill out a donation form for each donated item.

Last year, we had many winning donations that were never paid for or picked up. Because of this, we have established a new policy that any donations not paid for will be given to the next winner runner-up after one week of our auction ending date. If you cannot pick up your item within a week, please contact us with a date you will be able to pick up so we can hold it for you. We can bring items to winners in the Salem area to the Salem school for pick up.

**Online
Auction**

If you have any questions about our 7th Annual Online Auction Fundraiser, please contact us at msoaonlineauction@gmail.com anytime. Thank you everyone for helping to make this another successful fundraising event!

MSOA ID Cards

Is your child a current student of Salem MSOA? If so, they are eligible to get a student ID card for only \$5! It identifies you as an art school student and could get student rates for different events, plus it's fun to have your own ID card. We will begin taking photos on February 24th, let us know asap if you would like one.



Spring Break!! There will be no school on March 23rd. Enjoy your break!

What Does My Supply Fee Pay For?

We get this question often during the beginning of each term, so we have compiled a list of many of the things your supply fee pays for: No.

2 pencils, Ebony pencils, Ink pens (black markers), Dry Erase Markers, Rulers, Erasers, Scissors, Charcoal Drop cloths, Aprons, Easels, Tape (Scotch and Masking/Artist tape), Sharpeners, Paper clips, Rubber bands, Staples, Sheet protectors, Folders (pocket, manila and hanging), Binders, Reference books, Foam board (for Watercolor), Bristol Board (9x12 and 11x14), Copy paper, Black paper, Canvas paper, Transfer paper, Ink for copier/scanner/printer (inkjet), Light Board usage, Paper cutter and upkeep (blades), Laptop usage and upkeep for certain classes, Exhibit/Revue supplies (stickers, printing, paper goods, tablecloths, etc) and more!

