This course offers a variety of painting projects along with a study of the history of painting. Students will work with a variety of media, such as oil color, encaustic, watercolor, acrylic, sumi-e ink, etc., learning the characteristics of each while developing their skills in the elements of art and utilizing the principles of art. This course is open for all students in 9th-12th grade and may be taken for one or two semesters.