

Major Entrance Requirements

- Two Units of English
- Two Units of Math (must include Geometry or Algebra 2)
- Two Units of Science (must include Biology)
- One Unit of Physical Education
- Art I and/or Art 2 experience recommended

Application Process

- Apply online through Horry County Schools or the AAST website.
- Thoroughly complete the application before the deadline
- If accepted, return the acceptance confirmation by the district deadline.

Vision

Realize the Possibilities

Mission

AAST is a Cognia whole school STEM certified school committed to preparing its students to be college and career-ready global citizens by fostering creativity, innovation, systematic problem-solving, and critical thinking through participation in rigorous and authentically collaborative academic and career experiences.



What is STEM?

STEM stands for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. STEM is a philosophy of education embracing teaching skills and subjects in a way that resembles real life. STEM is about discovering and creating ingenious ways of problem solving, integrating principles, or presenting information. Instead of teaching courses in independent subject compartments, lessons are well rounded, project and inquiry based, with a focus on interdisciplinary learning. STEM education prepares students to explore and advance in their chosen STEM related career pathway to ensure they are college and career ready. Education is no longer about memorizing facts. STEM is about learning how to think critically, evaluate information, apply knowledge, and problem- solve to compete in the 21st century workforce

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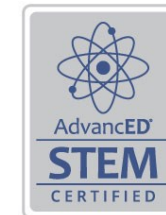
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Advanced Art



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the Arts, Science,
and Technology

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What is Advanced Art?

The Advanced Art Major is a two year program designed for juniors and seniors interested in studying art at an advanced level. While in this program, students will produce art in one of the largest and best art studios in the state. They will be introduced to varying artistic styles as well as relevant contemporary and historical artists. Students will learn to interpret, analyze, evaluate, and discuss their own work. They will develop the ability to adapt and apply skills while recognizing the important influence of the visual arts in our daily lives.

Major Courses

Junior Year - Art 3 Honors

Prerequisite: Visual Art 1, Visual Art 2, Teacher Recommendation, Portfolio Review. These classes will include Drawing, Painting, and Printmaking

Senior Year - Art 4 Honors

Prerequisite: Art 3 Honors Teacher Recommendation, Portfolio Review. These classes will include Sculpture, Ceramics, and Mixed Media.

Opportunities

- Job shadowing
- Community projects
- Compete in national, state, and local juried art shows
- Collaborate with local universities, communities, individuals, and with other majors at the Academy
- Educational experiences including galleries, museums, and artists' studios
- Meet and talk to visiting artists



Areas of Study

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| Advanced Drawing | Metal Sculpture |
| Charcoal, Graphite, Pen and Ink | Stone Carving |
| Mixed Media | Wood Sculpture |
| Encaustic | Paper Craft |
| Ceramics/Pottery | Printmaking |
| Acrylic, Oil, and Watercolor Painting | Digital Drawing & Painting |
| Photography | |
| Textile and Fiber Art | |
| Glass Works | |



AP Capstone Opportunity

Students may choose to pair AP Capstone with the Advanced Art major. Students must take AP Capstone Seminar in their junior year followed by AP Capstone Research their senior year.

