



Greetings from EMS Fine Arts!

Our EMS Fine Arts teachers are continuing to plan activities and opportunities for your students' continued growth in their Fine Arts disciplines for the foreseeable future. Our teachers have LOVED the connections that have been made, and they look forward to connecting to even more students this week! If your child has not yet connected with their Fine Arts teachers, please encourage them to do so. In addition, please see the information below:

### **Facebook Fine Arts Fridays!**

Encourage your child to take a short performance video and send it to their respective Fine Arts teachers. This could be singing, playing an instrument, dancing, reciting a monologue, or showcasing a piece of visual art. Our Fine Arts staff will be sharing the specifics and instructions on how to do this. We'll review and possibly feature YOUR child on our Eagle Mountain-Saginaw Fine Arts Facebook page on Fridays! Be sure to encourage your child AND follow us on Facebook!

### **EMS High School Virtual Dance Team Auditions for 20-21**

If you are interested in auditioning for your high school dance team for 20-21 and you need further information, please contact your high school dance director ASAP. Here are the directors and their e-mail addresses:

Boswell HS Pure Gold: Amy Hurst; ahurst@ems-isd.net

Chisholm Trail HS Charmers: Sidnee Denman; sdenman@ems-isd.net

Saginaw HS Starsteppers: Debra Ezell; dezell@ems-isd.net

### **UIL HS One Act Play and Concert & Sight Reading Evaluations**

The UIL has suspended all activities through May 4th; therefore the remaining HS One Act Play contests have yet to be scheduled. All remaining UIL Band and Choir Concert & Sight Reading evaluations have been cancelled for the year.

### **EMS District Art Show & Fine Arts Showcase at Bass Hall**

Unfortunately, this year's showcase has been canceled by Bass Hall management. Next year's tentative showcase date is May 25, 2021, and will feature the student ensembles who were preparing to perform this year.

Finally, we encourage you to guide and support your children with as much normalcy as possible during these uncertain times. Continuing your child's education is an important component, including Fine Arts! We appreciate your continued support as we move forward, and please don't hesitate to reach out with questions or concerns.