

The Artist - Hint Files

*one puzzle per page

Administration Building Unlock

1. The Police Report has a hint on what the code for the administration building is.
2. You are looking for a date that would be important to the University.
3. Look at the student art show brochure to find the date you need.
4. You are looking for when the University started.

Forensics Poster/Lab Unlock

1. Use the sign on the Forensic Science Lab door with the Forensics poster.
2. The six hexagons from the sign on the door show you the pattern you are looking for.
3. The grey line indicates a gap.
4. Find the one spot on the poster that has that same pattern of hexagons.
5. You will get six letters that spell one word.

Acrylic Painting (Abstract Art With Lots Of Red)

1. Look at the red acrylic painting carefully. There are nine shapes hidden in the painting.
2. Where else have you seen this same grouping of shapes?
3. Look through the brochure.
4. Look at the name of the different art pieces. You will notice there are shapes beside certain words.
5. Pull the words out in the order they are in on the painting.
6. The message you get will start with “My work was...”

Ink Painting (Black and White In The Mountains)

1. The letters on the ink painting create a clue.
2. The diagram of letters read $X = E$
3. Use $X = E$ and create a shifted alphabet. So $X = E$, $Y = F$, $Z = G$, $A = H$, $B = I$...etc.
4. Use that to translate the letters and read them from left to right.
5. The message you get will start with "I was never..."

Charcoal Painting (Black and White Forest)

1. The back of this painting has the directions you need.
2. For each column change the location of the letters based on their colors.
3. So the red and blue letters switch places, the yellow and green letters switch places, and the pink and orange letters switch places.
4. The first column would then look like this
 - I (Green)
 - C (Blue)
 - M (Red)
 - I (Yellow)
 - O (Pink)
 - N (Orange)
5. Once each column has shifted according to its color, read from left to right.
6. The message you get will start with "I want to..."

Oil Painting (Table With Food)

1. Look at the painting carefully to locate 16 hidden words
2. Read from left to right.
3. The message will start with "I have been..."

Watercolor Painting(Forest, Mostly Blue With Some Browns)

1. Complete the color by number drawing on the back of the watercolor painting.
2. Color all ones red, twos green, etc.
3. You will reveal three words.

Where Is The Evidence?

Complete the color by number puzzle on the back of the watercolor painting.

Digital Art (Yellow Flowers)

You will need to complete the watercolor painting/color by number puzzle before you can solve this puzzle.

1. Use the times you get from the “Where Is The Evidence” unlock, with the circles on the back of the digital art.
2. When you put in the correct hour and minute hand positions for each circle, you will create four letters that spell out a word.

Solved All The Puzzles?

You will need to have solved all puzzles before you attempt this unlock.