# ART ON THE MOVE!



"The future belongs to the young people with an imagination to create." - Barack Obama

Hello Parents! Trimester 1

My name is Mrs. Pabellon and I am the new traveling art teacher at Lincoln, Longfellow, and Holmes Elementary Schools. I am overjoyed to be a member of the Oak Park District 97 community and to be able to explore the visual arts with your children.

This is going to be my fifth year as an art teacher. For the past couple years, I have been working in Chicago Public Schools teaching Kindergarten through 8th grade. I have also worked with Hyde Park Art Center, Elevarte Community Studio, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, and ArtReach at Lillstreet as a teaching artist. My own art practice focuses on sculpture and I have a great passion for contemporary art.

During the first Trimester, your students are going to be working on a variety of projects that focus on the Elements and Principles of Art. Student progress and final artworks will be showcased on *Mrs. Pabellon's Art Room* website as well as Instagram and Twitter, so stop by these sites to see what we are working on. You can find information about these sites below.

## Mrs Pabellon

### Longfellow

# Kindergarten

Students are working on a pumpkin still life. They are learning how to use overlapping shapes and shadows to create the feeling of 3D forms.

## 2nd grade

Students are creating an art piece inspired by autumn and the work of Georgia O'Keeffe

# Lincoln

# 3<sup>rd</sup> grade

Students just finished their amazing self-portraits. They used lines to create different values they observed in their own photos.

## 1st grade

Students are working on creating their own Molas, which is a style of clothing created and worn by women in Panama.

#### Holmes

# Kindergarten

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