**Being Our Best at HMS**

**Be Safe**

**Be Responsible**

**Be Respectful**

**Be a Learner**

We will also be working with digital photography. And video production. Silent films and stop motion animation.

During the first semester we will be focusing on Website Creation, PowerPoint Animations, Sway Presentation, Coding and Google Sketchup

The second semester we will be working on GIMP (Photoshop for free), and iMovie.

## Computer arts outline


## Welcome to computer arts

Computer Arts is offered as an A/B day rotation for a full year. This class is offered to eighth grade students.

While taking computer arts students will be working on a wide variety of multi-media projects. Projects will include but are not limited to the following:

Computer Animation

Video Production

Web Design

Digital Photography

Advanced Microsoft Assignments

#### **Special points of interest:**

*  **Mr. Murgel’s Contact Information**
*  **Email:**
*  **jamurgel@helenaschools.org**
*  **Phone: 324-1068**
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4. Students’ actions will be monitored and they will be held responsiblefor information viewed*,* received and sent when using the Internet.

5. Students are not permitted to change, delete or alteranyone else’s files.

6. Phones are only permitted if teacher allows them.

## **Classroom Technology Acceptable Use Policy**

Webpages will be based upon school projects and no personal information will be given out.

Computer Arts will be utilizing online tools and resources that will require students to have an e-mail address. The students should already have an email from the school district. If not I will make sure they have a district email.

**Students will be held responsible for information viewed, received, and sent via the Internet.**

If you have any questions or concerns regarding online permissions please refer to the contact information on the first page.

**\*\*Before students can use the internet they must sign and return the school’s internet policy (found in the student handbook)**

Class Expectations:

1. Use only your assigned computer

2. Use only assigned applications

3. Refrain from accessing/altering control panels and settings