Sample Field Trip Information Sheet for Students

Croquis Development and Rendering Techniques
Legion of Honor Field Trip/Make-Up Class

What: The "Artwear" exhibition
To make up our lost Labor Day class session, we will be going to see the "Artwear" exhibition at the California Legion of Honor. This exhibition focuses on textile and wearable arts.

Where:
California Legion of Honor, "Artwear" exhibition. Legion of Honor is located at 34th and Clement Streets. See additional handout for directions via public transportation.

When:
Saturday, October 29th. Meet at 10:45am and enter museum at 11:00am. Plan to stay until around 1:30 or 2:00pm.

Cost:
Free if you enter with the group, but if you arrive late after we have gone in, you will need to pay $8 to enter the museum. There is also a catalog of the exhibition that you may want to buy depending on how much you like what you see.

Bring:
Sketchbook, pencil, colored pencils or another colored drawing tool to make color notations. Cameras and photography are not allowed in the museum so do not plan on using your camera phone like we do in class.

Expectations:
Students are expected to behave in an appropriate manner as representatives of the school. Control noise, chatter, etc. and be respectful of the work, surroundings, and other museum visitors.

Tasks:
Choose one or more of the following assignments to complete while you are at the museum. Be prepared to turn in your work the following week.

1. Examine the rendering of different textures and fabrics/textiles you see. Make sketches in your sketchbook.

2. Examine different color schemes and combinations used in the garments/pieces on exhibition. Make sketches and take notes in your sketchbook.

3. Notice stylistic trends or fashion influences in pattern, color, or silhouette. If the piece is from a certain era 1970s for example write the traits that give it that appearance.

4. Create a croquis of one of the garments or create your own design inspired by something you see.

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