Hello Brookman Families--

I'm Mrs. Liberti, the art teacher at Brookman, and I wanted to provide you with some resources for you and your students to get a little creative during this time.

I'm super excited about The Kennedy Center's <u>Lunch Doodles with Mo Willems!</u> Mo Willems is the award winning author and illustrator of many wonderful children's books, including <u>Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!</u> and <u>Knuffle Bunny</u>. You can find his doodles <u>here</u> as well as many wonderful performances the Kennedy Center has hosted over the years.

A resource I have used for years is Art for Kids Hub on YouTube. Artist Rob posts new lessons every week of him teaching his kids how to draw and use a variety of art materials. You can find his channel here and then choose with your kids what lessons you are most excited to do!

Fellow art teacher Jenny K has been posting videos for years, but with recent events has attempted to post videos that use a minimal amount of supplies. You can find her YouTube channel here.

A new resource that I've been introduced to and am excited to check out is Young Rembrandts. There seem to be a variety of tutorials that span age levels and abilities. Their YouTube channel can be found here.

I have several other resources ready to share with our Brookman families. If you would like additional resources, please feel free to reach out to me at liberfa@nv.ccsd.net.

If you have limited supplies at home but would still like to get creative, let me know what supplies you have and I'll be happy to find activities you can do with what you have.

Additionally, if your students know how to access their portfolios and would like to include any artwork they make during this time, they are more than welcome to! If they don't know how to access their portfolio or if I have been taking pictures for them, you can send any pictures of artwork to me and I will upload them into portfolios. Just be sure to include your student's full name and teacher with any projects so that I can get them into the right folders!

Keep Calm and Draw On!

Mrs. Liberti