

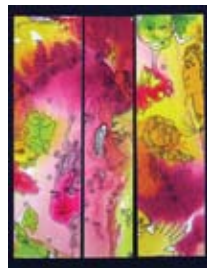
# Stacy Holtzman & Charlotte Williams

## Stacy Holtzman, Teacher

As a teacher and an artist I am able to continuously experience the inspiration, excitement, and wonder of creating art, as well as the tension, frustration, and obstacles that all artists and students have to experience as part of the art-making process.

My work concentrates on exploring the world of dreams and fantastical images. I love bold, expressive color that at once grabs the viewer's attention and elicits an emotional response. The figures, creatures, and images found within the work are developed intuitively and are intended to spark viewers' imaginations.

*Stacy Holtzman's work is currently represented by MAGQ ArtSpace in Miami, Florida. She is the visual arts department chair at Gulliver Preparatory School in Pinecrest, Florida.*



## Charlotte Williams, Student

A piece of art should not just be an extension of a line but an extension of you. I like to define not just my vision but also myself through my works. In my mind, my art defines my perception of reality and interests with the benefit of manipulation. In the realm of art, anything is possible. You can always improve the quality of a piece

and be as expressive as you want.

This reality of endless freedom fuels my passion for artistic discovery. I am inspired by the ability to illustrate myself through pieces of art, or in other words: pieces of myself.

*Charlotte Williams is a student at Gulliver Preparatory School in Pinecrest, Florida.*



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