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During the term of 1946-1947 art was added as an elective subject with Miss Jane Flurry as instructor. Two classes were offered, one in drawing and painting and the other in ceramics.

Sara Sumners became art instructor in the fall of 1950 upon the resignation of Jane Flurry. One public exhibit of art work was held during the year when material were placed in one of the department store windows. The photograph below came out in the local paper at the time of this exhibit.

In 1951-1952 this department made favors for veterans' hospitals. They also cooperated by making posters for use during American Education Week. Miss Sumners resigned at the close of this term.

Alena Faye Barr became art instructor in the fall of 1952-1953 term. Again tray favors were made for use in veterans' hospitals by the group. Perhaps the biggest project of the department this year was in connection with the school circus. Scenery, animals, patterns and other materials were prepared.

When Miss Barr resigned prior to the opening of school in the fall of the 1953-1954 term, the Board of Education was unable to fill the vacancy. For this reason there was no art department in the school this year.
CERAMICS WORKERS — These seven Young Junior High School students, shown with their instructor, Miss Sara Sumners, will put a number of the ceramics articles on display in a window at Kraselzky's. Approximately 50 articles including figurines, candle stick holders, animals, miniature dishes, pin and ash trays and paper weights will be shown in the exhibit which will continue through Sunday. In the photograph are Tommy Cutchin, Betty Duke, Lawton Forrester, Rodney Parrish, Tommie Smith, Ed Wells and Gerald Whitehead and Miss Simmons. Not present when the picture was made were Thomas Gatches, Milton Windham, and LaVern Hatcher.

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