A gargoyle is a carved or formed grotesque with a spout designed to convey water from a roof and away from the side of a building, thereby preventing rainwater from running down masonry walls and eroding the mortar between.

- 1. Check the internet for examples. If possible print copies to use as reference.
- **2.** Begin with covering the plaster skull with a thin layer of clay, about 1/8 inch.
- 3. Sculpt loose. Don't smooth the surface, smoothing comes last. NO SMOOTHIES!!!!!
- **4.** Use small pieces of clay. Small pieces add up to large features.

## **GRADING**

- 1. Have you included all the parts shown in the examples below: eyelids, ear details etc?
- 2. Are the parts tightly merged together not loosely scattered across the skull?
- 3. Is the surface "finished"?
- 4. Work habits

**Eyelids** 

## **Supra-orbital ridges**

## **Ear details**

Lines above the brows caused by the corrugator muscles





Smile Canthi - Smile Folds caused by the Zygomaticus \_ muscle

Cleft in chin - Mentalis muscle

