Mendham Twp. Elementary School Art Curriculum 2021

Gr. 3

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Subject: Visual Art Grade: 3rd	
Content / Skill	Creating 1. Generating and conceptualizing ideas. 2. Organizing and developing ideas. 3. Refining and completing products.
Thematic Unit	 At least 4 projets per school year Ancient culture focusing on mythology Folk art culture focusing on visual style and national symbology Modern artist working with abstraction and creative innovation Individual or collaborative art making through investigation, and response to personal interest
Essential Question	What conditions, attitudes, and behaviors support creativity and innovative thinking? What factors prevent or encourage people to take creative risks? How does collaboration expand the creative process? How does knowing the contexts, histories, and traditions of art forms help us create works of art and design? How do artists work? How do artists and designers learn from trial and error? What role does persistence play in revising, refining and developing work?
NJ SLS Visual & Performing Arts	 1.5.5.Cr1a: Brainstorm and curate ideas to minnovatively problem solve during artmaking and design projects. 1.5.5.Cr1b: Individually and collaboratively set goals, investigate, choose, and demonstrate diverse approaches to art-making that is meaningful to the makers. 1.5.5.Cr2a: Experiment and develop skills in multiple art-making techniques and approaches, through invention and practice. 1.5.5.Cr2b: Demonstrate craftsmanship through the safe and respectful use of materials, tools and equipment. 1.5.5.Cr2c: Individually or collaboratively represent environments or objects of personal significance that includes a process of peer discussion, revision, and refinement. 1.5.5.Cr3a: Reflect, refine, and revise work individually and collaboratively, and discuss and describe personal choices in artmaking.
Skills / Proficiencies	 Use elements of design and principles of composition. Utilize vocabulary that relates to the theme and art content activity. Solve art and design problems. Build skills and knowledge of a variety of materials and tools. Create arts that represent natural and constructed environments.
Suggested Activities / Projects	All activities will reflect exercises and experiments using the elements and principles of art. • Amate Folk Art from Mexico • Egyptian Gods and Goddesses • Japan, Hokusai

Assessments / Performance Indicators	 Australian X-Ray and Dot Painting Modern Artists (Van Gogh, Op Art) Hopi Kachina Material practices: Holiday and seasonal thematic art, elements and principles based activities. Participation in art criticism discussions utilizing initial responses, content vocabulary, and analytical thinking. Demonstrates the ability of make critical decisions in order to improve artwork as well as utilizes constructive criticism from adults and Completes suggested project within the given time frame and is suitable for display Recalls and makes connections to different cultures and examples of their artwork.
Resource Materials	Digital media Thematic resources (stories, artifacts, support visuals) Project slide show for art criticism discussions and project steps. Deep Space Sparkle resources
Integrated Accommodations and Modifications for students with IEP's, 504's, ELL's, and G&T	 Provide visual models Repeat, reword, clarify directions Scaffold key steps so that students are successful and objectives are met. Promote critical and higher order thinking opportunities
Interdisciplinary Connections	 World Culture and History STEAM Problem solving
Integration of 21st Century Skills/Life Career	 Design Fine Arts Appreciation and understanding of societal, cultural and historical contexts.
Integration of Technology Standards	When applicable students will use technology to support their research and use digital visual resources for project completion.

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Content / Skill	Presenting 1. Selecting, Analyzing, and interpreting work. 2. Developing and refining techniques and models or steps needed to create products. 3. Conveying meaning through art.
Theme	 Present completed works of art in exhibition areas outside of the classroom Artists and other presenters consider various techniques, methods, venues, and criteria when analyzing, selecting, and curating objects, artifacts, and artworks for preservation and presentation. Artists, curators and others consider a variety of factors and methods including evolving technologies when preparing and refining artwork for display and or when deciding if and how to preserve and protect it. Objects, artifacts, and artworks collected, preserved, or presented either by artists, museums, or other venues communicate meaning and a record of social, cultural, and political experiences resulting in the cultivating of appreciation and understanding. Convey Meaning through the presentation of artistic work.
Essential Question	How are artworks cared for and by whom? What criteria, methods, and processes are used to select work for preservation or presentation? Why do people value objects, artifacts, and artworks, and select them for presentation? What methods and processes are considered when preparing artwork for presentation or preservation? How does refining artwork affect its meaning to the viewer? What criteria are considered when selecting work for presentation, a portfolio, or a collection? What is an art museum? How does the presenting and sharing of objects, artifacts, and artworks influence and shape ideas, beliefs, and experiences? How do objects, artifacts, and artworks collected, preserved, or presented, cultivate appreciation and understanding?
NJ SLS Visual & Performing arts	 1.5.5.Pr4a: Define and analyze the responsibilities of a curator in preserving and presenting artifacts or artwork. 1.5.5.Pr5a: Prepare and present artwork safely and effectively. 1.5.5.Pr6a: Discuss how exhibits and museums provide information and in person experiences about concepts and topics.
Skills / Proficiencies	 Complete artwork for display Select artwork for display Explain the purpose of a portfolio or collection

Suggested Activities / Projects	 Mendham Township Library Art Exhibit Festival of the Arts Presentation spaces around the school building AENJ Youth Art Month
Assessments / Performance Indicators	 Accomplish all steps of the assignment Respond to thematic stimulus Success in skill requirements related to each project
Resource Materials	Selection guide slideshow and or worksheet
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Content / Skill	Responding
	1. Perceiving and analyzing products.
	2. Interpreting intent and meaning.
	3. Applying criteria to evaluate products.
The amentic Healt	Visual arts influence our understanding and response to the world.
Thematic Unit	Individual aesthetic and empathetic awareness developed through
	engagement with art can lead to understanding and appreciation of self,
	others, the natural world, and constructed environments.
	People gain insights into meanings of artworks by engaging in the process of
	art criticism.
	People evaluate art based on various criteria.
	How do life experiences influence the way you relate to art?
Essential	How does learning about art impact how we perceive the world?
Question	What can we learn from our responses to art?
	What is the value of engaging in the process of art criticism?
	How can the viewer "read" a work of art as text?
	How does knowing and using visual art vocabularies help us understand and
	interpret works of art?
	How does one determine criteria to evaluate a work of art?
	How and why might criteria vary?
	How is a personal preference different from an evaluation?
NJ SLS Visual &	1.5.5.Re7a: Speculate about artistic processes. Interpret and compare works of art
Performing Arts	and other responses.
	1.5.5.Re7b: Analyze visual arts including cultural associations.
	1.5.5.Re8a: Interpret ideas and mood in artworks by analyzing form, structure,
	context, subject, and visual elements.
	1.5.5.Re9a: Identify different evaluative criteria for different types of artwork
	dependent on genre, historical and cultural contexts.
	Describe, Analyze, and Interpret examples of artwork.
	Analyze and interpret different types of artwork based on genre, historical,
Skills /	and cultural contexts.
Proficiencies	 Interpret subject, mood, and intent based on artwork from historical and
	cultural contexts.
	Respond to artwork in written form.
	Art criticism discussions involving description, analysis, and interpretation
Suggested	for a variety of artwork.
Activities /	Demonstrate an understanding of the artist's intent in an original work of
Projects	art.
	Respond to artistic activities by writing reflections, ideas, thoughts in
	conclusion to an art activity.
	Compliment Sandwich

Assessments / Performance Indicators	 Artist Statement project reflection Art Criticism "Cootie Catcher" - Peer reflection tool Title and Artist Statement post on Artsonia Participation in art criticism discussions utilizing initial responses, content vocabulary, and analytical thinking. Demonstrates the ability to make critical decisions in order to improve artwork as well as utilizes constructive criticism from adults and peers. Recalls and makes connections to different cultures while responding to works of art.
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Content / Skill	 Connecting 1. Synthesizing and relating knowledge and personal experiences to create products. 2. Relating artistic ideas and works within societal, cultural, and historical contexts to deepen understanding. Through art-making, people make meaning by investigating and developing
Thematic Unit	 awareness of perceptions, knowledge, and experiences. People develop ideas and understandings of society, culture, and history through their interactions with and analysis of art.
Essential Question	How does engaging in creating art enrich people's lives? How does making art attune people to their surroundings? How do people contribute to awareness and understanding of their lives and the lives of their communities through art making? How does art help us understand the lives of people of different times, places, and cultures? How is art used to impact the views of society? How does art preserve aspects of life?
NJ SLS Visual & Performing Arts	 1.5.5.Cn10a: Create works of art that reflect community cultural traditions. Discuss using formal and conceptual vocabulary. 1.5.5.Cn11a: Communicate how art is used to inform the values, beliefs, and culture of an individual or society. 1.5.5.Cn11b: Communicate how art is used to inform others about global issues, including climate change.
Skills / Proficiencies	 Respond to works of art that reflect community cultural traditions. Understand how art is used to inform our view of our world and those of others in the global community.
Suggested Activities / Projects	 Create artwork that is reflective of cultural traditions and societies. Describe, analyze, and interpret works of art that reflect cultural traditions and societies. Respond to artwork and cultural material by discussing, creating, and writing about how art has changed our view of our world.
Assessments / Performance Indicators	 Participation in art criticism discussions utilizing initial responses, content vocabulary, and analytical thinking. Synthesizes information about different cultures and demonstrates a deeper understanding.

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