# Grade 4

- 1. 2-D
- 2. Ceramics/Pottery
- 3. Fibers and Textiles
- Mask-Making
   Painting
   Printmaking

COURSE: ART GRADE: 4

UNIT: 2-D (THEME: "SCAPES")

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# **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

Students will differentiate between Landscape , Seascape (waterscape), and Cityscape.

Students will be able to designate Background, Middle ground, Foreground and Horizon line.

Students will define and draw using Perspective.

#### **ACTIVITIES:**

Students will complete a "scape" and be able to identify the "grounds" within the work. Students will distinguish the types of scapes based on the "ingredients" in the composition (land vs. sea vs. city)

#### RESOURCES:

- "COME LOOK WITH ME- EXPLORING LANDSCAPE ART" by BLIZZARD
- "20th CENTURY ART REPRODUCTION PRINTS" -CRYSTAL
- "ART STYLES: 1850's-1950"s PRINTS" CRYSTAL

#### ARTISTS:

Andrew Wyeth Brueghel Van Gogh Monet Homer Hopper Ansel Adams

#### **ASSESSMENTS**:

Students will be able to identify and to distinguish the 3 "scapes".

Students will be able to locate the parts of a "scape".

Students will be able to draw and indicate perspective.

#### REMEDIATION:

Individual help from instructor.

Use magazine pictures of scapes to identify the grounds.

#### **ENRICHMENT:**

Using prints listed in resources, choose two prints and prepare a "comparison" presentation for class. (Prints chosen must represent different types of "scapes").

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UNIT: CERAMICS/POTTERY (THEME: COIL POTTERY)

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#### **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

Students will identify ceramics/pottery as the making of a functional or non functional form with clay.

Students will find the use of glazes are to make a clay piece water-proof, colorful &/or decorative.

Students will make a coil pot using the proper technique of attaching clay.

#### **ACTIVITIES:**

Students will build and glaze a coil piece using the proper technique.

Students will use the proper technique of scoring, slip and smooth to attach clay to clay while building a coil pot.

Students will be able to discuss the utilitarian and aesthetic uses of pottery.

#### ASSESSMENTS:

Students will be able to distinguish functional and non functional works of clay.

Students will be able to make a coil pot with the proper technique for attaching clay.

Students will be able to state the use of glaze on a clay piece.

#### ARTISTS:

Maria Martinez

# **RESOURCES**:

"CERAMICS FROM CLAY TO KILN" by Harvey Weiss

SCHOLASTIC ART MAGAZINE Apr./May '

#### **REMEDIATION:**

Practice making pinch pots before attempting coil technique.

Practice making free forms with clay.

#### **ENRICHMENT:**

Combine coil technique with another such as relief or thrown.

Research examples of coil construction on the internet.

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UNIT: FIBERS AND TEXTILES (THEME: WEAVING)

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#### **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

Students will describe weaving as the intertwining of fibers to make functional or decorative pieces.

Students will identify the parts of a weaving: weft, warp, loom, and shuttle.

Students will find weaving practiced by many cultures.

# **ACTIVITIES:**

Students will construct a wall hanging, jewelry, or piece of their choice using a weaving technique.

Students will name and/or identify the tools and techniques used to create a weaving project.

#### RESOURCES:

"THE ART OF AFRICAN TEXTILES"
by DUNCAN CLARKE

Kente cloth Navajo weavings Oja De Dios (Eye of God) Adinkra cloth

#### ARTISTS:

Native Americans People of Ghana

# **ASSESSMENTS**:

Students will be able to identify weaving as the intertwining of fibers for functional or decorative use.

Students will be able to make a weaving and define the terms weft, warp, loom, and shuttle.

#### **REMEDIATION:**

Practice paper weaving.
Use thick yarn to simplify process.
Peer tutoring.
Individual help from teacher.

# **ENRICHMENT:**

Become a peer tutor.

Weave a second piece using a different method. Construct a weaving with other materials (rope, fabric, wire, etc.) COURSE: ART GRADE(S): 4

UNIT: MASK-MAKING

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# **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

Students will discover that masks are something that covers the face and may have a traditional or non-traditional purpose.

Students will find that masks belong to cultures throughout the world.

# **ACTIVITIES:**

Students will construct a mask using a mold (form) and a layering material such as paper mache or pariscraft.

Students will paint and decorate a mask with appropriate designs.

#### ASSESSMENTS:

Students will be able to construct a mask.

Students will be able to demonstrate how to use a mold or form.

Students will be able to discuss the meaning and use of the mask.

# **RESOURCES:**

MASK PRINTS - Crystal

SMITHSONIAN MAGAZINE - Dec. '94

The Metropolitan Museum of Art

# REMEDIATION:

"Partner" work Individual help from teacher.

Construct a paper mask

# ARTISTS:

Tribal

# **ENRICHMENT:**

Group of students will perform a False Face Society Ceremony using recorders and masks that they have made.

Research how masks have been used by different cultures.

Construct a series of masks that show different emotions.

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UNIT: PAINTING (THEME: COMPLEMENTARY COLORS/ 3-D FORMS)

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# **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

Students will identify 3-D forms as having height, width, and depth.

Students will identify pairs of complementary colors and their placement on a color wheel.

#### **ACTIVITIES:**

Students will paint 3-D forms using only combinations of complementary colors: blue/orange yellow/purple red/green

#### **ASSESSMENTS:**

Students are able to differentiate between 3-D forms and 2-D shapes.

Students are able to identify the Complementary Colors and their placement on a color wheel.

#### RESOURCES:

Color Wheel

The Metropolitan Museum of Art

# REMEDIATION:

Peer tutoring

Place chart of complementary colors at student's desk.

# **ARTISTS:**

Van Gogh

Miro

Rousseau Motherwell

#### **ENRICHMENT:**

Paint a realistic painting using only the pairs of complementary colors to create depth.

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#### **UNIT OBJECTIVES:**

Students will discover that printmaking is when an image is transferred from one surface to another surface.

Students will find that printmaking has been used in both business and art throughout history.

#### ACTIVITIES:

Students will make a number of prints using different printing techniques such as engraving, relief, or Gyotaku.

Students will explain the process that they used to create the prints: engraving (planography), relief (raised printmaking), Gyotaku- fish prints

#### ASSESSMENTS:

Students are able to transfer an image from one surface to another.

Students are able to identify examples of printmaking.

#### RESOURCES:

TAKE 5 PRINTS: ASSEMBLAGE & COLLAGE

STENCILS: WEST AFRICA - GHANA

BROWN BAG IDEAS FROM MANY CULTURES by IRENE TEJADA

Gyotaku Fish Prints-video

The Metropolitan Museum of Art

#### REMEDIATION:

Individual help from instructor. Make prints from peer's printing plate. Practice engraving before working on the printing

plate.

# **ENRICHMENT:**

Combine both types of printmaking into one design and explain the use of +/- space to class.

Research examples of print making on the internet.

Explore examples at www.met.org The Metropolitan Museum of Art

#### ARTISTS:

LAUTREC **DURER** MUNCH KATHE KOLLOWITZ **NEWSPAPERS** WARHOL