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1st Quarter Approx.: 8 Weeks	Drawing Unit	A.12.2 B.12.5 C.12.1 C.12.2 C.12.4 C.12.5 C.12.6 C.12.7 E.12.4 H.12.2 H.12.3 B.12.5 H.12.1	Rubric Do students continue to use creativity in their compositions? Do students continue to explore ways to create more sophisticated works of art? Do students continue to use design elements in their compositions? Do students demonstrate self expression? Do students show signs of creating their own style? Do students continue to use tools and materials correctly and to their fullest potential? Do students continue to demonstrate and expand their knowledge of perspective, shape, value, and proportion in their compositions? Are students able to draw from real-life i.e., draw objects as they see them? Do students create a variety of compositions for their portfolio (landscapes, self-portraits,	Students will sharpen their skills in drawing while emphasizing shading techniques, scale, shape, proportion, value and balance. Students will continue to explore ways to create sophisticated compositions as well as using advanced design techniques to improve their drawings. Students will also continue to use sketchbooks to visually understand the process of developing quality designs and to improve/change their artwork.	Create a variety of drawings using various mediums. Continue to expand on proportion and human figures. Students should continue to use design elements to create aesthetically pleasing compositions Be able to draw from real-life Continue to expand their knowledge of creating value and texture in their drawings by continued use of shading techniques i.e., hatching, cross hatching and blending Continue to demonstrate their ability to create dynamic and static compositions.	Pinterest.com Variety of drawings/ images Teacher demonstrations Artists: Other student works Demonstration videos Materials: Drawing pencils, charcoal, cone crayon, ink and assorted papers
2nd Quarter Approx.: 8 Weeks	Color Theory/Painting	A.12.1 A.12.2 A.12.4 B.12.5 G.12.2 G.12.3 G.12.4 H.12.2 H.12.3 I.12.2 I.12.4 I.12.6 I.12.7 J.12.10	dynamic images)? Rubric Do students continue to utilize the color wheel? Do students expand on their knowledge of drawing and design elements? Do students expersion/style? Do students orrectly apply value/hue to shapes to create own self expression/style? Do students correctly apply value/hue to shapes to create depth and shape? Do students demonstrate creativity, feelings, and self expressions in their paintings? Do students continue to demonstrate their knowledge of the medium and its capabilities? Do students become inspired by artists and their style/techniques? Do students to ontinue to use the variety of paints to their full potential? Do students use the correct vocabulary when describing art and the technique used to create it?	Students will continue to study a variety of paintings and learn about various periods in art and be able to interpret more complex meanings behind the art. In addition, students will continue to utilize the color wheel and expand on their abilities with media applications and techniques. Students will continue to create art that explores emotions and expresses deep feelings.	Continue to utilize the color wheel Know and recognize styles of art on their various times Know advanced vocabulary when discussing art history and artists' techniques and meanings. Continue to use color to create self expression and feelings Continue to expand on their knowledge of drawing and design elements. Refine painting skills using value/ hue Expand on drawing skills	Assorted periodicals Teacher demonstrations Artists: Van Gogh, Picasso, Matisse, Kandinsky, Worrall, Lichtenstein, Monet, Vermeer, Rembrandt Color Wheel Materials: Tempera, watercolor, acrylic, and ink and a variety of brushes and papers
3rd Quarter Approx.: 8 Weeks	2D Design	A.12.1 A.12.2 B.12.3 B.12.5 E.12.1 E.12.2 E.12.3 E.12.5 I.12.6 I.12.7 J.12.2 J.12.3 J.12.8	Do students continue to build on their knowledge of color theory and drawing? Do students continue to build on their knowledge of the design principals? Do students continue to demonstrate self expression and creativity? Do students look at work from other artists and build connections on society? Do students look to other cultures for inspiration in their art-work? Do students continue to demonstrate their knowledge of the various types of mediums?	Students will learn how artists and cultures use art to communicate ideas by being introduced to a number of two dimensional images from various times and cultures. Students will begin to look at how other cultures view and understand art. Students will also continue to use various types of mediums (college, printmaking, silk screening, and relief sculpture) and demonstrate their knowledge of the design principals, drawing, color theory, media applications, and techniques to create their compositions.	Continue to apply the design principals into their compositions Demonstrate and expand on their knowledge of color theory and drawing techniques. Continue to use a variety of mediums, drawing tools, adhesives, paper and inks. Students will also continue to demonstrate their knowledge of media /techniques to create various types of two dimensional designs. Study modern art in its role in modern society Study how other cultures value and create art	Assorted periodicals Teacher demonstrations Artists: Picasso, Worrall, Matisse, Banksy. Look at examples of folk art, fabrics, fonts, patterns, motifs, and silk screening processes. Consider looking into Islamic tile design, prayer rugs, and Islamic architecture. Materials: Assorted papers, printmaking materials, fabrics, silk screens, compasses, rulers, ink, fabric paints, and xacto knives.

4th Quarter	3D Design	D.12.4 H.12.3 H.12.4	Rubric	Students will continue to study	Continue to create functional	Assorted periodicals/images
Approx.: 8 Weeks	SS Sesign	-	Do students continue to build	functional and non-functional	and non- functional sculpture	Teacher demonstrations
ripprox o weeks			on their knowledge of drawing,	sculpture and 3D art by exploring	· ·	Functional pieces i.e., clocks, bowls,
		A12.2 A.12.3 A.12.4	color theory, and 2D design?	past and present works of art.	function	and banks, shoes, jewelry
		ALLE AULLIS AULLI	Do students continue to	Students will continue to explore a		Non-functional pieces (abstract art)
			demonstrate the ability to	variety of media used to create three	materials and their abilities to be	Artists: Calder, Clause, Chihuly
				dimensional art and continuing to		Materials: Clay, foam, wire, paper
			used to create 3D art?	demonstrate their knowledge of the	· ·	pulp, paper Mache, books, assorted
			Do students continue to	design principals, drawing, color		papers and cardboards, plastics,
			demonstrate self expression	theory, 2D and 3D media	,	wood, paints, and glazes.
			and creativity?	applications, and techniques to	Continue to expand their	
			Do students expand their	create aesthetically pleasing and	knowledge of the design principals	
			knowledge of the design	dynamic compositions.	Have a better understanding of	
			principals?		how other countries view and use	
			Do students understand the		3 dimensional art	
			difference between functional		 Continue to be self expressive 	
			and non-functional art?		and communicate feelings and	
			Do students continue to look to		emotions	
			artists and cultures for			
			inspiration?			
			Do students continue to			
			communicate feelings and			
			emotions through their art?			
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	The power of art, preserving memoires vs. creating art, philosophy of beauty		Students will have a project on a particular photographer. Students will research and present about the photographer's life and style and will be copying his or her style and subject matter.		Group projects are used to enhance learning through collaboration and self-learning.	Langford, Michael, Anna Fox, and Richard Sawdon Smith. Langford's Basic Photography, The Guide For Serious Photographers . Focal Press, 2012. Print.
	Essential Questions:		Students will be tested on particulars of photography including camera components.		Essentially this is student-centered in that students will be experimenting with cameras according particular guidelines.	
	What is art?		Students will have basic quizzes analyzing photos for particular elements.			
	What is the role of meaning in art?	No standards for art		No standards for		
	Why do people take photographs?			art		
	How can photography become beyond just preserving memories to conveying meaning through art?					
	How can one structure a photograph to make it beautiful?					
2nd Quarter						Flickr – an online photo sharing
	Enduring Understandings:		In a short essay, students will be analyzing the use of contrast and shadows in the film <i>The Third Man</i> .		Lectures are used to explain basic concepts of photography and camera functions.	website. This will be used to turn in assignments, comment on works, and share favorites.
	Aperture can be used to record movement.		Students will be creating many compositions focusing on such components as the shadows, black and white, contrast, and action.		Group projects are used to enhance learning through collaboration and self-learning.	Langford, Michael, Anna Fox, and Richard Sawdon Smith. Langford's Basic Photography, The Guide For Serious Photographers. Focal Press, 2012. Print.
	Cameras are much like human eyes.		Students will need to explain the role of aperture in taking pictures in terms of light and movement.		Essentially this is student-centered in that students will be experimenting with cameras according particular guidelines.	
	By adjusting the aperture, one can control the depth of field.		Students will have basic quizzes analyzing photos for particular elements.			
	Essential Questions:					
	How does a camera actually work?	No standards for art		No standards for art		
	How does light play into creating a photograph?					
	How does on use shadows to create meaning in a photograph?					
	How can black and white help to create meaning in a photograph?					
	What is the role of aperture in creating a photograph?					
	How can one record movement?					
	What is the relationship between aperture and depth of field?					
	What is an f-stop?					

3rd Quarter			Students will be creating many compositions			Flickr – an online photo sharing
	Enduring Understandings:		focusing on such components as the variation in shutter and aperture, time lapse, lowlight, and different lenses.		Lectures are used to explain basic concepts of photography and camera functions.	website. This will be used to turn in assignments, comment on works, and share favorites.
	Shutter can be used to control light levels.		Students will be making compositions using 30- second exposures.		Group projects are used to enhance learning through collaboration and self-learning.	Langford, Michael, Anna Fox, and Richard Sawdon Smith. Langford's Basic Photography, The Guide For Serious Photographers . Focal Press, 2012. Print.
	The use of shutter aids in capturing movements and creates or diminishes blur.		Students will be analyzing histograms for problems in photographs and write explanations of how to correct them.		Essentially this is student-centered in that students will be experimenting with cameras according particular guidelines.	
	Histograms are essentials tools for diagnosing issues with pictures.		Students will have basic quizzes analyzing photos for particular elements.			
	Essentials Questions:	No standards for		No standards for		
	What is the role of shutter in photography?	art		art		
	What is the relationship between shutter and light?					
	What is the relationship between shutter and aperture?					
	How does ISO work?					
	How can ISO be used in low-light conditions?					
	How can lenses be used?					
	How does a histogram aid in taking good photographs?					
4th Quarter						
			Students will be producing a series of photographs		Lectures are used to explain basic	Flickr – an online photo sharing
	Enduring Understandings:		Students will be producing a series of photographs on a particular theme. These will employ all that has been studied throughout the year.		Lectures are used to explain basic concepts of photography and camera functions.	Flickr – an online photo sharing website. This will be used to turn in assignments, comment on works, and share favorites.
	Enduring Understandings: Photography can be used to tell and meaningful story.		on a particular theme. These will employ all that has		concepts of photography and	website. This will be used to turn in assignments, comment on works, and
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