Grade 8

- 1. 3 Dimension
- 2. Architectural Design
- 3. Industrial Design
- 4. Painting
- Silk Screen Printing
 Variety and Emphasis

GRADE(S): 8

UNIT: Three Dimensional Design / Sculpture

- 1. Understanding and applying media, techniques, and processes
- 2. Using knowledge of structures and functions
- 3. Choosing and evaluating a range of subject matter, symbols, and ideas
- 4. Understanding the visual arts in relation to history and cultures
- 5. Reflecting upon and assessing the characteristics and merits of their work and the work of others
- 6. Making connections between visual arts and other disciplines

STATE STANDARDS: 7.1 Producing , Performing and Exhibiting the Arts	UNIT OBJECTIVES: 1. Understanding properties of medium: technical
and Humanities	manipulation, proper use of tools and vocabulary.
7.2 Historical and Cultural Contexts	 Recognize three dimensional artworks. Preliminary sketches to work out problems
7.3 Critical Response to the Arts and Humanities	before final execution. Keep in mind principles and element of art and design.
7.4 Aesthetic Responses to the Arts and Humanities	4. Students will successfully communicate an Idea through three dimensional medium.
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS:
 Students will construct a three dimensional artwork or sculpture based on an original sketch. 	 Teacher evaluation based on criteria of lesson. Choice of tools used, and understanding of vocabulary.
 Students will assemble clay medium to resemble an African Face Pot. 	 Understanding the properties of medium. Use of positive and negative space.
3. Base a three dimensional design in the style	5. Use of elements and principles of design.
of a famous master artist.	 Good craftsmanship exhibited. Original idea communicated into form.
RESOURCES: 1. Research web sites for African face pots. 2. Students will research the web sites, art books, and magazine publications. 3. Visit art museum to study three dimensional masterpieces. Greek and Roman sculptures, coins, bronze sculptures.	 REMEDIATION: 1. Develop an original sketch to further allow sufficient space between spaces. Clearly defined positive and negative areas revealed in the Sketch. Possibly "re-do" the sketch. 2. Simplify idea and execute three dimensional Artwork with simple shapes.
	 ENRICHMENT: 1. Encourage students to formulate original artwork design by using abstract thinking and develop ideas into a concrete form. 2. Develop a family of three dimensional form or sculptures that will be represented in a group exhibition. Start forming a theme for an art show.

COURSE: Art

GRADE(S): 8

UNIT: Architectural Design

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 STATE STANDARDS: 7.1 Producing , Performing and Exhibiting the Arts and Humanities 7.2 Historical and Cultural Contexts 7.3 Critical Response to the Arts and Humanities 7.4 Aesthetic Responses to the Arts and Humanities Humanities 	 UNIT OBJECTIVES: Students will learn architectural vocabulary. Students will recognize names for parts of a building. Students are required to think creatively in order to solve problems. This should be obvious to the viewer. Students will select what is effective in their artwork. Students will be able to state in writing their understanding of how architectural technology has developed over time.
 ACTIVITIES: 1. Students will design a building of their choice that should become "part of" or "contrast" with a particular environment. 2. Students will use techniques of historical architecture in their original drawing 3. Students will complete a critical analysis of their building. This is an assigned written section that forces students to consider all aspects of their design. 	 ASSESSMENTS: 1. Students will take a quiz on architectural vocabulary. 2. Teacher observation on criteria for this assignment. 3. Students will develop a rough sketch into a final project. 4. Students will explain "how" their building fit into the particular setting they invented.
 RESOURCES: 1. Frank Lloyd Wright "Scholastic Art Magazine". This publication includes biographic information as well as detailed photographs of Wright's famous buildings. 2. Video of a tour of Falling Water. 3.Video on the Guggenheim Museum 4. Handout that includes historical architectural techniques. 5. If possible, an architect as a speaker could address the topic of the profession of an architect. 	 REMEDIATION: 1. Students will work one on one with instructor in order to challenge themselves at the student's own ability level. ENRICHMENT: 1. Students should be able to make their building visually adapt to their environment. The building should be creative in its layout and detailed in historic architectural technique.

COURSE: Art

GRADE(S): 8

UNIT: Industrial Design

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STATE STANDARDS:	Objectives:
7.1 Producing , Performing and Exhibiting the Arts	Students will be able to:
and Humanities	Understand that Industrial Decigners are viewed
7.2 Historical and Cultural Contexts	Understand that Industrial Designers are visual artists who plan manufactured goods.
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7.3 Critical Response to the Arts and Humanities	Identify the criteria for judging mass-produced
	objects.
7.4 Aesthetic Responses to the Arts and	
Humanities	Redesign and improve an everyday object.
	Reflect on the industrial design of an everyday
	object through critical thinking, questions and
	writing.
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ACTIVITIES:	Students will make a 3 dimensional model of their
Studio, Design - batta	product in clay or paper.
Studio: Design a better product.	Packaging
Students will think about a design problem and	Packaging:
propose a solution.	Students will design a container to contain and
	market their product.
Students will consider how designers and	
engineers design products for specific types of	Assessment:
peopleWho will use this product, what is the	Dresentation (Oritique
person's gender? Age? Experience with this product? Where, what and how will this product	Presentation/Critique
be used?	Students will present their redesigned object to
	the class. Listeners will provide feedback on the
Students will prepare a design briefwhich will	changes and packaging.
include: the typical users' needs, and states a	
proposed solution in terms of how it will solve the	Teacher observation and evaluation of tasks
problem. The design brief will include a sketch or	based on criteria for each project in the unit.
sketches of the solution.	Each student will write a critical analysis of his or
Conceptual Drawing:	her individual project.
Students will draw their ideas, on graph paper;	
drawings may include different perspectives of	
their ideas and different components and parts	
of their product.	

Remediation: In school working time during TASC, or working at home. Computers and the library can be used or research.
Enrichment: Create advertisements about their product by means of other media; such as television, radio, or billboards.
Suggest that students do an independent research of a famous industrial designer or invention.
Compare and contrast design models in our environment; wrappers, boxes. billboards, ads, etc.

COURSE: Art	GRADE(S): 8

UNIT: Painting

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STATE STANDARDS: 7.1 Producing , Performing and Exhibiting the Arts and Humanities	UNIT OBJECTIVES: Students will design drawings to be altered into painting.
7.2 Historical and Cultural Contexts7.3 Critical Response to the Arts and Humanities	Paintings will demonstrate an understanding of spatial relations and use of perspective.
7.4 Aesthetic Responses to the Arts and Humanities	Students will be apprised of various painting styles by viewing posters, slides and computer sites. Students will expand their understanding of light
	and shade by mixing dark and light colors of one hue. (Monochromatic painting).
	Awareness of style differences will be critiqued. By viewing various artists' technical skill, students will plan to be comfortable with their personal style.
	Neatness and well blended colors will be demonstrated.
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS:
Students will generate a painted color wheel and value chart to show an understanding of color mixing and value studies.	Teacher observation and evaluation of tasks based on criteria for each project in the unit.
Students will experiment with different painting techniques before starting to paint.	Each student will complete a critique sheet on final project.
Students will draw and paint a monochromatic painting based on a photo, magazine picture	Each student will conduct written critical analysis for their individual project.
that clearly displays shades and highlights.	Peer critical analysis will be conducted on chosen projects.
Students will incorporate painting skills by drawing and painting landscapes, still-life's, portraits, or figures.	Originality, creativity and craftsmanship will be displayed.
Resources: Master art prints, posters, slides and research on the internet will provide the visuals for comparing styles of painting.	REMEDIATION: Study hall, work at home. Individual discussions with instructor.
Students will review elements and principals of design.	ENRICHMENT: Personal development in style will be explored independently. Personal growth will be explored.

COURSE: Art

GRADE(S):8

UNIT: Printmaking (Silk screen)

- 1. Understanding and applying media, techniques, and processes
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STATE STANDARDS: 7.1 Producing , Performing and Exhibiting the Arts and Humanities	UNIT OBJECTIVES:1. Students design their subject with strong positive and negative space indicated.2. Student's design must communicate
7.2 Historical and Cultural Contexts	successfully visually with the viewer. The final result must have a clear message.
7.3 Critical Response to the Arts and Humanities	3. Silk screen print should provide a high level of craftsmanship.
7.4 Aesthetic Responses to the Arts and Humanities	4. Students have the opportunity to print on fabrics, T-shirts, and other clothing articles with textile inks.
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS:
1. Students cut their film and prepare their screen.	1.Cear message
2. After the film is adhered to the screen students	2.Original design
will print using silkscreen printing inks.	3.Understanding the printing process
3. Students will indicate a confidence in the	4.Use of positive and negative space
procedure of using silk-screen printing, from the	5. Use of elements and principals of design
beginning to end product. 4. Project may involve the printing of greeting	6. Good craftsmanship exhibited
cards, T-shirts, posters.	
5. The silk-screen as a multiple print resource	REMEDIATION:
opportunity will be the major emphasis of this	Student's original plan must be approved. It must
lesson: printing more than a couple of one thing.	be simple enough to cut out and create a clear
	message. Teacher assistance will be necessary to
RESOURCES:	fulfill the complicated steps needed in silk-screen
1. Greeting cards	printing.
2. Posters	
3. T-shirts/sweatshirts	ENRICHMENT:
4. Advertisements	Students should be encouraged to challenge
	themselves to design a more complex design.
	Extra credit will be given to students who design
	flyers or posters for school events. (Such as student
	government, dances, meeting, and fund-raisers.)

GRADE(S):8th grade

UNIT: Drawing: Variety and Emphasis.

- 1. Understanding and applying media, techniques, and processes
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STATE STANDARDS:	UNIT OBJECTIVES:
7.1 Producing, Performing and Exhibiting the Arts	1. Identify variety as the principle of art
and Humanities	concerned with contrast and difference.
	2. Identify emphasis as the principle of art
7.2 Historical and Cultural Contexts	that makes one part of a work dominant
7.3 Critical Response to the Arts and Humanities	over the other parts. 3. Complete series of drawings based on
7.5 Childar Response to the Arts and Humanities	variations of a single object.
7.4 Aesthetic Responses to the Arts and	4. Recognize that artists use variety to express
Humanities	their ideas and feelings.
	5. Recognize that artists use different media
	and techniques when drawing.
	 Students will complete the task of drawing an object or a group of objects in class.
	an object of a group of objects in class.
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS:
1. Students will draw the subject as	1. Teacher evaluation based on criteria of
accurately as possible.	lesson.
 Draw object/objects using different varieties of media. Change the shape, 	 Understanding the properties and technique(s) of the media chosen.
size, color, pattern, detail, texture, and	3. Use of variety and emphasis.
form in as many ways possible.	4. Students will develop a rough sketch into a
	final project.
	REMEDIATION : Students will work one on one with
RESOURCES:	the teacher in order to challenge at the student's
	own level.
Scholastic Arts magazine	TASQ time
Videos on Drawing How to Draw Books	ENRICHMENT:
Drawing prints by Masters	
	Experiment with media:
	Show and discuss examples of artworks that use
	variety and emphasis to create interest and
	contrast.
	Explain, demonstrate procedures for:
	Scratchboard
	Pen and Ink
	Conte Crayon
	Chalk, Pastels
	Experiment with what is most successful.