

# Unit 3: Famous Artists

Content Area: **Unified Arts**  
Course(s): **Art 2**  
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## Unit Summary

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Students will learn about the lives and works of various famous artists throughout this unit. Their artistic styles will be mimicked in student works of art.

## Student Learning Objectives

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Students will learn to...

- recall the name of the famous artist.
- demonstrate an understanding of the style of art the famous artist used by showing it in their own work.
- gain an understanding and appreciation of Art History

## Essential Questions

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- What is art?
- What makes a person an artist?
- Is art important or necessary?
- Why do people create art?
- How does art expand our thinking?
- Can art help me understand other subjects, themes, areas of interest?
- Where do artists get their ideas
- What makes an artwork successful?

## Enduring Understandings

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Students will understand that...

- Art can be a line of communication, it is a language everyone around the world can speak
- Art reflects individual, community, and cultural differences throughout the world
- Art can show different views, opinions, and interpretations
- Art is an effective way to express ideas and emotions
- Art can be an individual's response to the world

## Application

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Students will be able to independently use their learning to...

- Create a work of art in the style of a famous artist
- Use the techniques taught to create a finished work of art

## Skills

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Students will be skilled at...

- Creating a work of art in the style of a famous artist
- Using the techniques taught to create a finished work of art
- Properly using the newly introduced art materials.
- Showing and explaining new techniques
- Explaining how the artists' culture is represented in his/her work

## Resources

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- Google Slides-Teacher created slideshow depicting facts about the life and works of the famous artist
- Artist poster
- Teacher created handouts for student reference
- Online video of artist/style