

Unit 5 Art K - Craft Media

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Unit Summary

In art, craft is considered art that is utilitarian, like a pottery bowl, handmade toy, article of clothing, jewelry, or woven blanket. Students will learn to distinguish between fine art and craft. Students will create various examples of 2D and 3D craft using a variety of craft media.

Student Learning Objectives

Students will learn...

- Craft media are traditionally used for home decor.
- Any material can be re-purposed as craft media.

Essential Questions

- How do visual artists use media to convey ideas?
- How do visual artists organize art elements to convey ideas?
- How do visual artists select and present subject matter, symbols and ideas?
- What are the similarities and differences of visual art among cultures and across time?
- How do people respond to art?
- How is art related to other disciplines and daily life?

Enduring Understandings

Students will understand that...

- Craft media are traditionally used for home decor.
- Any material can be re-purposed as craft media.

Application

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

- Create Pinch Pots (clay)
- Create Basic Weaving (paper)

- Utilize Recycled materials

Skills

Students will be skilled at...

- differentiating between craft and fine art media.
- creatively re-purposing a variety of craft media into original projects.
- recognizing and using a variety of traditional craft media.

Resources

- Hopi Pottery video
- Wayne Theibaud lollipop painting
- Samples of weaving
- Student sample art from previous years