Unit 1: Drawing Tools

Content Area:	Technology
Course(s):	
Time Period:	Full Year
Length:	Type Length of Unit
Status:	Published

OBJECTIVES, ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS, ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS

Students will understand: different drawing methods for architectural design, how to make them, and the benefits and drawbacks of each method.

- Basic drafting symbols, tools, and techniques
- Computer drafting techniques

General Overview, Course Description or Course Philosophy

This first-year course is designed to teach students important information in the field of Architecture. Students will learn the fundamental skills and concepts necessary for architectural planning, design and drawing. Students will learn about the hard work that goes into designing a house and the problems that arise during that task. Students will be required to use his/her creative abilities to complete an individual yearlong project.

CONTENT AREA STANDARDS

9.3.12.AC.1	Use vocabulary, symbols and formulas common to architecture and construction.
9.3.12.AC.6	Read, interpret and use technical drawings, documents and specifications to plan a project.
12.9.3.MN-HSE.1	Demonstrate the safe use of manufacturing equipment.
12.9.3.ST-ET.1	Use STEM concepts and processes to solve problems involving design and/or production.
12.9.3.ST-ET.2	Display and communicate STEM information.
12.9.3.ST-ET.3	Apply processes and concepts for the use of technological tools in STEM.
12.9.3.ST-ET.4	Apply the elements of the design process.
12.9.3.ST-ET.5	Apply the knowledge learned in STEM to solve problems.

RELATED STANDARDS (Technology, 21st Century Life & Careers, ELA Companion Standards are Required)

LA.RST.11-12.3

Follow precisely a complex multistep procedure when carrying out experiments, taking measurements, or performing technical tasks; analyze the specific results based on explanations in the text.

LA.RST.11-12.4	Determine the meaning of symbols, key terms, and other domain-specific words and phrases as they are used in a specific scientific or technical context relevant to grades 11-12 texts and topics.
LA.WHST.11-12.2	Write informative/explanatory texts, including the narration of historical events, scientific procedures/experiments, or technical processes.
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LA.WHST.11-12.4	Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
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LA.WHST.9-10.6	Use technology, including the Internet, to produce, share, and update writing products, taking advantage of technology's capacity to link to other information and to display information flexibly and dynamically.

STUDENT LEARNING TARGETS

Students should be able to identify the proper use of each tool/machine, which tool/machine should be used for a specific task, how to safely operate and adjust each machine or tool.

Declarative Knowledge

- Basic floor plan symbols
- Different drafting tools
- Benefits and drawbacks of CAD programs

Procedural Knowledge

- Work in scale
- Draft out real world rooms with furniture
- Complete a tutorial house on a CAD program: house design tutorial interior design tutorial, kitchen and bath tutorial

EVIDENCE OF LEARNING

floor plan quizzes

scale quizzes

measuring

Formative Assessments

Safety quizzes: General lab safety, Eye Safety, Machine and HAnd Tool Safety, Specific Machine Safety and any other appropriate material processing equipment quizzes.

Summative Assessments

Bedroom and bathroom floor plans hand-drawn in scale

computer tutorial house

RESOURCES (Instructional, Supplemental, Intervention Materials)

Teacher notes and quizzes are available through Google Classroom/Drive.

Tutorial found within computer program and/or teacher-generated

INTERDISCIPLINARY CONNECTIONS

Educational Technology: Use of Google resources

ACCOMMODATIONS & MODIFICATIONS FOR SUBGROUPS

See link to Accommodations & Modifications document in course folder.