

# 05\_Mime Copied from: The Appreciation of Artistic Performance, Copied on: 11/15/23

Content Area: **TEMPLATE**  
Course(s):  
Time Period: **Semester**  
Length: **1 week**  
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## **General Overview, Course Description or Course Philosophy**

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This unit focuses on how artistic expression can be created without using words. Actors create stories using their bodies to produce silent dialogue through movement to show actions and reactions.

## **OBJECTIVES, ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS, ENDURING UNDERSTANDINGS**

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- artistic expression can be created without words.
- the body alone can create a dialogue through movement.
- a story can be told through an actor's actions and reactions.
- props can be added to relay details of the story, without benefit of set or words.

## **CONTENT AREA STANDARDS**

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RL.11-12.1. Cite strong and thorough textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.

RL.11-12.10. By the end of grade 11, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems at grade level text-complexity or above with scaffolding as needed. By the end of grade 12, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at grade level or above.

RL.11-12.3. Analyze the impact of the author's choices regarding how to develop and relate elements of a story or drama (e.g., where a story is set, how the action is ordered, how the characters are introduced and developed).

SL.11-12.1. Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with peers on grades 11–12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.

SL.11-12.4 Present information, findings and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically. The content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

SL.11-12.5. Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.

W.11-12.10. Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes

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LA.RL.11-12.1	Cite strong and thorough textual evidence and make relevant connections to support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
LA.RL.11-12.3	Analyze the impact of the author’s choices regarding how to develop and relate elements of a story or drama (e.g., where a story is set, how the action is ordered, how the characters are introduced and developed).
LA.RL.11-12.10a	By the end of grade 11, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems at grade level text-complexity or above with scaffolding as needed.
LA.RL.11-12.10b	By the end of grade 12, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at grade level or above.
LA.SL.11-12.1	Initiate and participate effectively in a range of collaborative discussions (one-on-one, in groups, and teacher-led) with peers on grades 11–12 topics, texts, and issues, building on others’ ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.
LA.SL.11-12.4	Present information, findings and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically. The content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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

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WRK.K-12.P.4	Demonstrate creativity and innovation.
WRK.K-12.P.9	Work productively in teams while using cultural/global competence.

## **STUDENT LEARNING TARGETS**

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### **Declarative Knowledge**

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Students will understand that:

- mime involves movement and emotion in order to convey its meaning.

- actors use props to help convey their silent story.

## **Procedural Knowledge**

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Students will be able to:

- express themselves through a story without using words.
- demonstrate intent and emotion through attention to body movement and facial expression.
- utilize props to tell their silent story and add visual interest.
- come to discussions prepared, having read and researched material under study.
- explicitly draw on that preparation by referring to evidence from texts and other research on the topic or issue to stimulate a thoughtful, well reasoned exchange of ideas.
- present information, findings and supporting evidence clearly, concisely, and logically where the content, organization, development, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- cite strong and thorough textual evidence.
- by the end of grades 11-12, read and comprehend literature, including stories, dramas, and poems, at the high ends of the grade 11-CCR text complexity band independently and proficiently.
- support analysis of what the text says explicitly as well as inferences drawn from the text, including determining where the text leaves matters uncertain.
- analyze the impact of the author's choices regarding how to develop and relate elements of a story or drama.
- write routinely over extended time frames (time for research, reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of tasks, purposes.

## **EVIDENCE OF LEARNING**

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### **Alternate Assessments**

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- FlipGrids
- Dramatizations
- Multimedia Presentations
- Screencastify

### **Formative Assessments**

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- class discussion
- viewing

- rehearsal
- journal

## **Summative Assessments**

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- performance (i.e. Live, Flipgrid, Google Meet Recording, Screencast-O-Matic, Screencastify, etc.)

## **RESOURCES (Instructional, Supplemental, Intervention Materials)**

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- [https://cole3601log.weebly.com/uploads/1/3/6/4/13643589/unit\\_melissa.pdf](https://cole3601log.weebly.com/uploads/1/3/6/4/13643589/unit_melissa.pdf)
- <https://www.wlwg.k12.or.us/cms/lib/OR01001812/Centricity/Domain/1290/Mime.pdf>
- <https://dramastartbooks.com/2012/05/11/mime-workshop-for-all-ages/>

## **INTERDISCIPLINARY CONNECTIONS**

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- English - narrative writing
- Technology - media literacy
- Social studies - social justice, ethics
- Career readiness - art

## **ACCOMMODATIONS & MODIFICATIONS FOR SUBGROUPS**

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See link to Accommodations & Modifications document in course folder.