

Third Grade Art Scope and Sequence

Grading Period	Category	Learning Targets
Throughout the year	Observation and Perception	Use ideas from experiences with self, peers, family, school, community and imagination as sources for original art Vocabulary used when discussing elements of art: line, shape, color, texture, form, space, and value Vocabulary used when discussing principles of design: emphasis, repetition/pattern, movement/rhythm, contrast/variety, balance, proportion, and unity Elements of art are building blocks, principles of design are organizers
Throughout the year	Creative Expression	•Use ideas from life experiences to create original art •Create compositions using elements of art and principles of design •Produce drawings, paintings, prints, constructions, sculptures (modeled forms), and other art forms such as* fiber art, construction, digital art, mixed media
Throughout the year	Historical and Cultural Relevance	Identify main ideas expressed in a variety of artworks Compare and contrast historical and contemporary artworks created by men and women, connect to various cultures Connect art to career opportunities such as* architects, animators, fashion designers, graphic artists, filmmakers, photographers
Throughout the year	Critical Evaluation and Response	Use artist statements or oral response to identify/evaluate main ideas, elements of art, and principles of design found in artworks Compile a collection of artwork (physical or electronic) for the purpose of self-evaluation or exhibits

^{*}Such as are not required, but examples

Variety of Materials and Skills Considered Developmentally Appropriate

Painting	Drawing	Printmaking	3D (non-clay)	Clay	Collage	Fiber
MATERIALS/TOOLS: Watercolor (liquid and palettes) Tempera cakes Washable tempera Watercolor pencils Acrylic SKILLS/CONCEPTS: Crayon Resist Color mixing (color theory: primary, secondary, warm/cool, value study, tints, shades, complementary, analogous) Pointillism CARE: Paintbrush Palettes	MATERIALS/TOOLS: Crayon Markers Graphite pencil Colored pencils Tracers Texture plates Straight edge Color sticks Oil pastel Chalk pastel Watercolor pencils Mirrors SKILLS/CONCEPTS: Rubbings portraits/figures Symmetry Blending Proportions Fore, middle, background Shading Introduction Facial/gestural expressions CARE: Colored pencils Graphite pencils Erasers Sharpening	MATERIALS/TOOLS: Found objects Stamps Sponges Cardstock Transfers Rubbings Cardboard Foam Brayer Ink SKILLS/CONCEPTS: Stamping Transfers Inking with a brayer Mirror image Pulling a print CARE: Cleaning stamps Print tool set up and clean up	MATERIALS/TOOLS: Paper Found/Recycled objects Papier-mache Plaster/art paste SKILLS/CONCEPTS: Paper sculpture Paper relief Armature CARE: Liquid glue Scissor safety Proper disposal	MATERIALS/TOOLS: Longhorn white Longhorn red Glaze (Mayco Stroke and Coat) Acrylic paint Clear coat SKILLS/CONCEPTS: Pinch pot (various shapes) Slab Additive, drawing Slip/score Texture Coil CARE: Tool safety Clay care	MATERIALS/TOOLS: Paper Glue Mixed media (foil, pipe cleaners, plastic wrap, fabric, yarn, wax paper) SKILLS/CONCEPTS: Texture rubbing Paper collage Painted paper Positive/negative Organic/geometric shapes CARE: Liquid glue Scissor safety Recycle, reduce, reuse and repurpose	MATERIALS/TOOLS: Paper Fabric Yarn Needle Loom SKILLS/CONCEPTS: Weaving Intro to quilt patterns Warp and weft CARE: Scissor safety

^{*}Italicised copy indicates ongoing learning from previous year(s).