8TH Grade Art History + Art Appreciation

WEEK 1: Introduction & Aesthetic Theories

PART I: ART HISTORY		
Weeks 2-4	1800-1910	• Early Modern Architecture • Academic Sculpture • Rodin • Photography Becomes an Artform
Weeks 5-7	1920-1930	• Bauhaus • American Skyscrapers • Brancusi & Modernist Sculpture • Frank Lloyd Wright • Alexander Calder
Weeks 8-9	1940-1950	• WWII & Photojournalism • Surrealist Sculpture • Harlem Renaissance • Abstract Expressionism • Sculpture in the 40s & 50s
Weeks 10-11	1960-Today	• Pop Art • Postmodernist Architecture

PART II: Analysis	
Week 12	Formal Analysis Essay
Week 13	Socratic Discussion

PART III: Studio Project	
Week 14	Sketching & Planning & Drawing
Week 15-End of Semester	Create your final studio project (This project is in place of a final.)