



Kindergarten Units of Study



CONCEPT

ARTIST

MASTERWORK

CONTENT:

Colorado
State
Standards

Essential
Skills in
each Unit

Unit 1

RELATIONSHIPS

Vincent Van Gogh

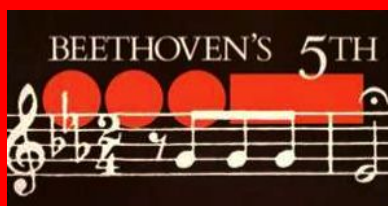


- **Relationships at Home, School & Community** (Social Studies - Civics)
- **Relationship of the Sun to the Earth** (Physical Science)
- **Relationship between the Needs of Different Plants and animals and the places they live** (Life Science)
- **Relationship with things Needs vs. Wants; Ownership** (Social Studies - Economics)
- **Relationship of People and places they live** (Social Studies-Geography)
- **Relationship of Shapes & Objects found in the World** (Math - Geometry)

Unit 2

PATTERNS

Ludwig Van Beethoven



- **Patterns in Animals and their Habitats** (Earth & Space Science)
- **Patterns in Weather** (Earth & Space Science)
- **Patterns of Healthy Living** (Diet & Dental Health)
- **Patterns in Reading** (repetitive emergent texts, sight words,)
- **Patterns in Writing** (Narrative/explanatory)
- **Patterns in Math** (Number & Quantity; Geometry; Data, Statistics & Probability)
- **Patterns in Music** (Expression of Music)

Unit 3

CHANGE

Pablo Picasso



- **Change over time** (Social Studies - History)
- **Change in Pushes and Pulls - Force & Motion** (Physical Science)
- **Change in Writing** (Revision, Editing, Detail)
- **Change in Feelings** (Health - Emotional Wellbeing)
- **Change/Impact on the Environment** (Life Science)

Personal Skills: self-awareness, initiative and self-direction, personal responsibility and self-management, adaptability and flexibility, and perseverance and resilience
Entrepreneurial Skills: critical thinking and problem-solving, creativity and innovation, inquiry and analysis, and risk-taking.
Civic/Interpersonal Skills: collaboration and teamwork, strong communication skills, global and cultural awareness, civic engagement
Professional Skills: task and time management, career awareness, information literacy, productivity and accountability, self-advocacy and leadership.