Secondary Curriculum Maps



Cumberland Valley School District

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High School Art Visual Arts

Proficient

VA:Cn10.1.la

CVSD Secondary Curriculum Map

CV Priority Standard/National Academic Standard		
VA:Cn10.1.la Document the process of developing ideas from early stages to fully elaborated		
ideas.		
Taught in	Courses(s)	
Visual Arts Level 1		
Big Ideas (Enduring Understanding) Essential Question(s)		
Through art making, people make meaning by investigating and developing awareness of perceptions, knowledge, and experiences.	How does engaging in creating art enrich people's lives? How does making art attune people and their surroundings? How do people contribute to awareness and understanding of their lives of their communities though art making?	
Assessments		
See course specific maps for assessments.		
Concepts	Skills	
(what students need to know)	(what students must be able to do)	
Use of the Artistic Process	Synthesize and relate knowledge and personal experiences to make art.	

VA:Cr1.2.la

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CV Priority Standard/National Academic Standard		
VA: Cr1.2 Ia Shape an artistic investigation of an aspect of present day life using a contemporary practice of		
art and design.		
Taught in	Courses(s)	
Visual Arts Level 1		
Big Ideas (Enduring Understanding) Essential Question(s)		
Creativity and innovative thinking are essential life skills that can be developed.	What conditions, attitudes, and behaviors support creativity and innovative thinking? What factors prevent or encourage people to take creative risks? How does collaboration expand the creative process?	
	sments	
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Concepts	Skills	
(What students need to know)	(What students must be able to do)	
*Sketching/Modeling *Research (Visual, Concepts, Techniques) *Personal Experiences *Materials Experimentation	Generate and conceptualize artistic ideas and work	

*Collaboration Techniques *Use of Post Modern Principles	

VA:Cr2.1.la

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CV Priority Standard/National Academic Standard			
VA:Cr2.1.la Engage in making a work of art or design without having a preconceived plan.			
Taught in Courses(s)			
Visual Arts Level 1			
Big Ideas (Enduring Understanding) Essential Question(s)			
Artists and designers experiment with forms, structures, materials, concepts, media, and art-making approaches.	How do artists work? How do artists and designers determine whether a particular direction in their work is effective? How do artists and designers learn from trial and error?		
Asses	sments		
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Concepts	Skills		
(what students need to know)	(what students must be able to do)		
*Sketching	Organize and develop artistic ideas and work		
*Modeling			
*Journaling			
*Media Exploration			
*Trial and Error			

VA:Cr3.1.la

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CV Priority Standard/National Academic Standard		
VA:Cr3.1.la Apply relevant criteria from traditional and contemporary cultural contexts to		
examine, reflect on, and plan revisions for works of art and design in process.		
Taught in Courses(s)		
Visual Arts Level 1		
Big Ideas (Enduring Understanding) Essential Question(s)		
Artists and designers develop excellence through practice and constructive critique, reflecting on, revising, and refining work over time.	What role does persistence play in revisiting, refining, and developing work? How do artists grow and become accomplished in art forms? How does collaboratively reflecting on a work help us experience it more fully and develop it more completely?	
Assessments		
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Concepts	Skills	
(what students need to know) (what students must be able to do)		

*Use of prior knowledge and skills	Refine and complete artistic work
*Ability to synthesize knowledge and skills	

VA:Pr5.1.la

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CV Priority Standard/National Academic Standard			
VA:Pr5.1.la Analyze and evaluate the reasons and ways an exhibition is presented.			
Taught in Courses(s)			
Visual Arts Level 1			
Big Ideas (Enduring Understanding)	Essential Question(s)		
Artists, curators and others consider a variety of factors and methods including evolving technologies when preparing and refining artwork for display and or when deciding if and how to preserve and protect it.	What methods and processes are considered when preparing artwork for presentation or preservation? How does refining artwork affect its meaning to the viewer? What criteria are considered when selecting work for presentation, a portfolio, or a collection?		
Assessments			
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Concepts	Skills		
(what students need to know)	(what students must be able to do)		
Reasons and ways an exhibition is presented	Develop and refine artistic techniques and work for presentation.		

VA:Re8.1.la

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CV Priority Standard/Nat	CV Priority Standard/National Academic Standard		
VA:Re8.1.la Interpret an artwork or collection of works, supported by relevant and sufficient			
evidence found in the work and its various contexts.			
Taught in	Courses(s)		
Visual Arts Level 1			
Big Ideas (Enduring Understanding)	Essential Question(s)		
People gain insights into meanings of artworks by engaging in the process of art criticism	What is the value of engaging in the process of art criticism? How can the viewer "read" a work of art as text? How does knowing and using visual art vocabularies help us to understand an interpret works of art?		
Asses	Assessments		
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Concepts	Skills		
(what students need to know)	(what students must be able to do)		
Use evidence, context, and vocabulary Interpret intent and meaning in artistic work.			