

# WEST DEPTFORD TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

Content Area: Visual and Performing Arts (Art)		
Grade Level: 4		
<b>Unit 1: Elements and Principles</b>		
9/11/2023 → 1/11/2024		<b>16 Weeks</b>
Weeks 1-5: Focus on the element line: varieties and uses. Creation of artworks with lines.		
Weeks 6-11: Focus on the element shape: creating forms, patterning. Creation of artworks with shapes.		
Weeks 11-16: Focus on the principle value: identifying and creating values scales, as well as shadows and highlights.		
<b>Unit 2: Media Art</b>		
1/16/2024 → 2/9/2024		<b>4 Weeks</b>
Week 1: The students will learn what the media arts are.		
Week 2: The students will identify and connect a variety of media arts in their lives.		
Week 3: The students will brainstorm and plan a media arts concept.		
Week 4: The students will create a media artwork.		
<b>Unit 3: Art Appreciation</b>		
9/11/2023 → 6/11/2024		<b>All Year</b>
Focus on master artists.		
Focus on significant art styles.		
Focus on art from other cultures.		
Creation of art in these styles.		
<b>Unit 4: Presentation</b>		
9/11/2023 → 6/11/2024		<b>All Year</b>
Focus on art as aesthetic and how art is used and needed in daily life.		
Cultivate safe space for self-expression and personalization of art works.		
Understand and apply proper techniques while using art media and tools.		
Identify ways in which good craftsmanship is necessary.		
Assess and refine craftsmanship.		

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