

GRADE EIGHT ART ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Students learn about a variety of art forms exploring subject matter that is cross curricular in nature. Most often the focus corresponds to historical time periods, events or people featured in social studies and literature.

Each class features a lecture and visual presentation. Students participate with questions and discussion of the art and artists assigned to the lesson. Critical thinking is highly encouraged.

Further exploration occurs via a brief hands-on art experience. The art projects include work with dry and wet media, 3D construction and sculpture, multimedia and design /architecture.

Students are introduced to the art of Andy Warhol, Roy Lichtenstein, Helen Frankenthaler, Jacob Lawrence, Janet Fish, Alexander Calder, Henry Moore, Joseph Cornell, Frank Lloyd Wright and mid 20th century design and architecture.

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