## WALLENPAUPACK AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hawley, Pennsylvania

## PLANNED COURSE CURRICULUM GUIDE

	Course Details	lı lı	nstructional Time
Course / Grade:	8th Grade Art	Type of Offering:	☐ Required X ☐ Elective
Department:	Art	Length of Course:	☐ Marking Period (1/4 year) ☐ Semester (1/2 year) ☐ Year (1 full year)
Course # / Code:			X 22.5 Days for 70 Minutes
		Date of Com	pletion:

Date Adopted:	

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**Course Description** – a narrative of the entire course. Highlight major concepts addressed and the benefit for student completion.

The 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Fine Art Curriculum teaches creativity, working individually and in groups. Students will learn appropriate processes for working with different types of materials and mediums, while emphasizing correct material handling, skill building, and individual creativity. Students will develop their skills through the materials and mediums as they complete the curriculum that is aligned with the PA Standards and National Standards. Students will be building upon the curriculum and standards that have been taught in previous years.

**Course Rationale** – highlight the purpose of this course and what makes it relevant.

- Students will be able to draw and render dimensional box structures using two vanishing points.
- Students will continue to develop and explore concepts in the Elements and Principles of Art using mixed media.
- Students will be able to create a realistic painting and explore color theory.
- Students will be able to create three-dimensional clay sculptures.
- Students will be able to explore printing with a monoprint process.

Unit	Standard	Essential Questions	Enduring Understand ings	Vocabulary	Materials/ Resources	Assessment
Drawing	9.1.8.A,B,C,D,E,H	What is 2 Point Perspective?	Apply the Elements of	Elements of Art: color, shape/form, line, texture, value,	Demonstration	
2 Point Perspecti	9.2.8.A,C,F,G	What is the	Art (line, shape, color,	and space	Reference Sheets	Observation
ve	9.3.8.A, C	horizon line and vanishing points?	texture, space).	Principles of Art: repetition, proportion/scale, balance,	Project Examples	Student Participation
		What tools do	Exhibit proper	contrast, emphasis/focal point, movement/rhythm, and	Video	Oral Questioning
	National Standards:	you utilize when using 2 Point	tool use.	unity/harmony	Paper	Completed Project
	Creating: 1, 2, 3	Perspective and why?	Demonstrate 2 Point	Drawing media: pencil (range of values from 2H-8B), eraser	Drawing Pencils (range of values	Practice Session Artwork/Rough Draft
	Performing/Presenting/ Producing: 4, 5, 6	How does	Perspective boxes/houses.	(regular and kneaded), colored	from 2H-8B)	Сору
	Responding: 7, 8, 9	knowing the location of the	Locate the horizon line and vanishing	pencil, pen, and markers (permanent and water-based).	Erasers	proper use of tools, and routine set-up and clean-
	Connecting: 10 & 11	horizon impact your drawing?	points?	Ruler, triangle and T-square.	Colored Pencils	up.
		What steps do	Use the horizon to	2-point perspective (Horizon line, vanishing points, eyelevel,	Markers/Pens	Final drawing project.
		we take to create a drawing in 2	create drama or interest.	parallel lines.	T-Squares	

Point Perspective?	Utilize correct	Drawing techniques: Shading, textures, props.	Rulers
What are parallel	paper alignment,	Foreground, middle ground,	Triangles
and vertical lines?	detail, and shading.	and background	Masking Tape

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Realistic Paintings	9.1.8. A,B,C,E,F,H,J,K 9.2.8 B, C, D, 9.3.8. A,B,C, G 9.4.8 A  National Standards:  Creating: 1, 2, 3  Performing/Presenting/ Producing: 4, 5, 6  Responding: 7, 8, 9  Connecting: 10 & 11	What is a realistic painting? How does brush choice impact your paintings? How does brush technique impact your paintings? How do you know which brush technique to apply?	Construct canvas and prepare for painting  Recognize Elements and Principles in a Painting  Knowledge of acrylic Paint  Develop Color Theory Skills	Elements of Art: color, shape/form, line, texture, value, and space  Principles of Art: repetition, proportion/scale, balance, contrast, emphasis/focal point, movement/rhythm, and unity/harmony  Painting media: acrylic, brush (round brush, flat brush, fan brush, and detail brush), palette, and canvas, reference picture.  Color theory	Reference sheets Classroom visuals Demonstration Canvas Panel Acrylic Paints Paint Brushes (round brush, flat brush, fan, and detail brush) Palettes	Observation  Student Participation  Color Theory Worksheets  proper use of tools, and routine set-up and cleanup.  Oral Questioning  Completed final painting Project
				Chromatic	Masking Tape	

How is color theory useful when painting?  How do you mix tints and shades of paint colors?	Warm/cool colors Primary, secondary, and intermediate/tertiary colors Complementary colors Neutral color Tint, tone, and shade Textures and Details Realism	Water Cups Paper Towels	
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Printmaki ng – Gelli Prints	9.1.8. A,B,C,H,J, 9.2.8 B,C, 9.3.8. A,B  National Standards:  Creating: 1, 2, 3  Performing/Presenting/ Producing: 4, 5, 6  Responding: 7, 8, 9  Connecting: 10 & 11	What can we do with different printmaking techniques to represent elements of art?  How can tools and media be manipulated to create different printmaking effects?	Knowledge of materials-tools and printing ink  Knowledge of the process of printmaking  Use of found objects to create prints  Ability to create a final print	Elements of Art: color, shape/form, line, texture, value, and space  Principles of Art: repetition, proportion/scale, balance, contrast, emphasis/focal point, movement/rhythm, and unity/harmony  Print Making: Symmetry/Asymmetry Pattern/repetition Brayer Printmaking ink Inking tray	Project Demonstration  Project Examples  Colored Paper  Cardstock  Brayers  Assortment of Printmaking inks  Inking trays	Teacher observation, student participation, oral questioning, completed project/practice session artwork, proper use of tools, and routine set-up and clean-up.  Final prints or collaged print project.

	monoprint? of s	nderstanding set up and ean-up of the rocess	Gelli plate, relief print, monoprint, stamping, found objects, serigraphy/stencil, and collagraphy.	Gelli Plates Found objects Serigraphy/stencils Gelli plate Tissue Paper Scissors Glue	
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Mixed Media/Ele ments and Principles of Art	9.1.8. A,B,C,H,J 9.2.8 B, C 9.3.8. A,B,D 9.4.8.A  National Standards:  Creating: 1, 2, 3  Performing/Presenting/ Producing: 4, 5, 6  Responding: 7, 8, 9  Connecting: 10 & 11	What are the elements and principles of art?  How can working with mixed media/craft materials create 2D or 3D artwork?  What elements and principles of art can be represented with various mixed and craft medias?	Apply fiber art media and craft materials and techniques to represent both realistic and abstract artwork.  Apply fine motor skills and elements of art to a fiber artwork.  Create 2D and 3D artwork from various fiber arts and craft media.	Elements of Art: color, shape/form, line, texture, value, and space  Principles of Art: repetition, proportion/scale, balance, contrast, emphasis/focal point, movement/rhythm, and unity/harmony  Mixed media Arts: Gems and sequins, Yarn, pipe cleaners, wood bits, Felt, magazines, paints, Buttons, beads, Found objects, paper	Handout/Worksheet  Completed Samples  Teacher Demonstration  Various papers  Magazines  Newspapers  Mixed media/craft materials  Scissors  Glue  Rulers  Markers  Paint  Pen/Pencils	Teacher observation, student participation, oral questioning, completed project/practice session artwork, proper use of materials, and routine set-up and clean-up.  Final mixed media project depicting the elements and principles of art.
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Sculpture /Pottery	9.1.8. A,B,C,H,I, J,K 9.2.8 B, C, G 9.3.8. A,C  National Standards:  Creating: 1, 2, 3  Performing/Presenting/ Producing: 4, 5, 6  Responding: 7, 8, 9  Connecting: 10 & 11	How can we use hand-building techniques to exhibit form and other elements of art?  How do 3D sculptures develop higher critical thinking skills?  What effects do different glazes have on your clay piece sculptures?  What is the kiln and the firing processes of clay?	Knowledge of materials- clay and glazes Knowledge of wedging techniques Use of pinch, coil, or slab hand building techniques Ability to select glaze colors and application of glaze Use of clay tools	Elements of Art: color, shape/form, line, texture, value, and space  Principles of Art: repetition, proportion/scale, balance, contrast, emphasis/focal point, movement/rhythm, and unity/harmony  Pottery:  Equipment terms: kiln, firing, leather-hard, bone dry, greenware  Tools: pin/score tool, loop tool, wire cutter, sponge, roller, cutters, wooden carving tool  Wedging board/canvas sheet/wedging Pinch pot, coil, and slab Additive and subtractive methods (low relief, carving, etc.)  Scoring and slipping for attachments	Reference Sheets Classroom Visuals Tools: pin/score tool, loop tool, wire cutter, sponge, roller, cutters, wooden carving tool, wedging board/ canvas sheet  Slip Glaze Newspaper Glue Thin wire Plaster strips Various clays Paper	Teacher observation, student participation, oral questioning, completed project/practice session artwork, proper use of tools, and routine set-up and clean-up.  Final clay sculpture project

	Slip Glaze	Cardstock Cardboard	
	Sculpture: Papier mâché Thin wire Plaster strips Various clays Paper/cardstock/cardboard sculpture, stuffed paper, mobiles, and recycled material sculpture  Low relief/carving, additive & subtractive methods, modeling, and constructing.	Recycled materials	