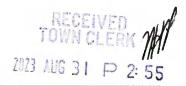
NEW MILFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION

New Milford Public Schools 25 Sunny Valley Road, Suite A New Milford, Connecticut 06776

COMMITTEE ON LEARNING SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE



DATE: September 5, 2023

TIME: 7:30 P.M.

PLACE: Sarah Noble Intermediate School Library Media Center

AGENDA

New Milford Public Schools Mission Statement

The mission of the New Milford Public Schools, a collaborative partnership of students, educators, family, and community is to prepare each and every student to compete and excel in an ever-changing world, embrace challenges with vigor, respect and appreciate the worth of every human being, and contribute to society by providing effective instruction and dynamic curriculum, offering a wide range of valuable experiences, and inspiring students to pursue their dreams and aspirations.

1. Call to Order

2. Public Comment

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3. Items for Discussion and Approval

- A. Curriculum
 - Ceramics
 - AP Art & Design
 - Traditional Crafts
- B. Five Year Curriculum Plan

4. Items of Information

- A. Science of Reading Update
- B. Schaghticoke Middle School World Language Program 2023-2024 Update

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6. Adjourn

Sub-Committee Members: Tammy McInerney Chairperson

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Ceramics 1

9-12

A brief description of the course..

The goal of this curriculum is to integrate artistic literacy as the foundation for creating, presenting, responding, and connecting, as defined in the National and Connecticut Core Arts Standards: "Fluency in the language of the arts is the ability to create, perform, present, respond and connect through symbolic and metaphoric forms that are unique to the arts. An artistically literate person has the ability to transfer arts knowledge, skills, experiences and capacities to other subjects, settings and contexts to promote and enhance lifelong learning."

This Visual Art Ceramics 1 Curriculum will provide students with a comprehensive overview of the major Elements and Principles of Artistic Design, Studio Habits of Mind, The Creative Process, and with an emphasis on personal choice, self-assessment, and critical thinking as well as preparing clay, basic hand-building techniques, glazing techniques, art history, art exhibition participation and academic vocabulary. Excellent craftsmanship will be stressed and students will take part in an all district Art Department Show. This document provides a sequential study for students using these overarching artistic processes: create, present, respond, and connect.

The curriculum is aligned with the concepts, knowledge, and skills, described in the National Core Arts Standards.

Instruction is led through a sequentially/vertically aligned standards based, concept driven, student centered learning activities, that include social emotional learning competencies so that students can discover their creativity and become proficient in applying the knowledge and skills in order to innovate and create aesthetic visual compositions. Students will apply academic language and vocabulary within the context of critical thinking, communication, collaboration, and creativity required of 21st century citizens. Students will be assessed to demonstrate evidence of their learning and success.

This is a one semester course in which students will attend an 80 minute class period every other day based on the high school's A/B rotating schedule.

NATIONAL COREARTS STANDARDS



Conceiving and developing new artistic ideas and work.



Presenting (visual arts): Interpreting and sharing artistic work.



Understanding and evaluating how the arts convey meaning.



Relating artistic ideas and work with personal meaning and external context.

The **Vision of the Graduate** articulates the school district, community and the Art Department aspirations for each student by developing and communicating the skills, dispositions, and specific attitudes which identify desired outcomes for students who graduate from New Milford Public Schools.

COMMUNICATION	CRITICAL THINKING	CREATIVITY	PROBLEM SOLVING	POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS/SOCIAL AWARENESS	SELF MANAGEMENT	GROWTH MINDSET
Clearly articulate and express themselves orally, through various modes of written expression and other forms of communication.	The intellectually disciplined process of actively and skillfully conceptualizing, applying, analyzing, synthesizing, and/or evaluating information.	The ability to think innovatively, generate original ideas, alternatives, possibilities and apply them in solving problems, creating solutions and communicating with others.	Defining a problem; determining the cause of the problem; identifying, prioritizing, and selecting alternatives for a solution; and implementing a solution.	The ability to demonstrate an understanding, acceptance, and respect of others' differences	The ability to set and pursue personal and professional goals through self-advocacy, time-management, preparation, and organization.	The ability to improve one's skills and/or situation through self-reflection, perseverance, and hard work

VISION OF A GRADUATE

LIFE, LEARNING, AND CAREERS BEYOND

Communication

Recognizing audience. Actively listens. Advocates for themselves. Allowing productive discourse

Critical Thinking

The ability to use information in original and creative ways to solve problems

Problem Solving

The ability to define a problem, evaluate options, and persevere through to find a solution



Growth Mindset

The ability to set goals, develop an action plan and seeks opportunities for personal growth

Personal Relationships & Social Awareness

The ability to demonstrate an understanding, acceptance, and respect of others' differences

Self-management

The ability to set and pursue personal and professional goals through self-advocacy, time-management, preparation, and organization.

FOCUS | HEART | COMMUNICATION | CREATIVITY

Pacing/Implementation Guide

Include a list of the units and the approximate number of days/weeks it will take to teach the unit.

Unit Title	Days	Pages
1. Introduction	Ongoing	9-14
2. Creation	Ongoing	16- 23
3. Presentation	Ongoing	24-29
4. Mid-term/Final Exam	end of semester including Mid-term/Final Exam week	31-37

Unit 1: Introduction UbD Template 2.0 **ESTABLISHED GOALS** Transfer **NCAS Anchor Standard 1:** Students will be able to independently use their learning to... Generate and conceptualize artistic ideas and work. **HS Proficient VA:Cr1.1.la**- Use multiple approaches to begin creative endeavors. HS Proficient VA:Cn10.1.la- Document the process of developing ideas from early **NCAS Anchor Standard 10:** stages to fully elaborated ideas Synthesize and relate knowledge **04 SEL Competency-** Recognize the importance of self-confidence in handling daily tasks and personal experiences to and challenges make art. **07 SEL Competency-** Identify and apply ways to persevere or overcome barriers through alternative methods to achieve one's goals **SEL Competency-**04 Self Awareness Meaning 07 Self Management

UNDERSTANDINGS

Students will understand that...

- Creativity and innovative thinking are essential life skills that can be developed.
- Through art-making, people make meaning by investigating and developing awareness of perceptions, knowledge, and experiences.
- The creative process is iterative and requires perseverance and strategies to overcome obstacles in order to successfully execute the artist's vision.

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS

Students will keep considering... Further Information:

- What conditions, attitudes, and behaviors support creativity and innovative thinking?
- How does engaging in creating art enrich people's lives?
- How does self-confidence in handling daily tasks and challenges inform the process of refining and completing a work of art?
- How does overcoming obstacles during the creative process impact the refinement and completion of an artistic work?

Acquisition		
Students will know Creativity, thinking, life skills, art-making,	Students will be skilled at	
Creativity, thinking, life skills, art-making, people, meaning, awareness, perceptions,knowledge, experiences, work, thoughts, feelings.influence, analysis, process, perseverance, strategies, obstacles, vision	Supporting, engaging, creating, responding, informing, overcoming, and impacting, handling, informing, refining and completing.	

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
	Further information:	PERFORMANCE TASK(S):
		Students will show that they really understand evidence of
(A)Acquisition	-Student identifies The 8 Studio Habits of Mind.	
(A)Acquisition	-Student identifies the Creative Process.	-Demonstrating the role of a novice studio artist.
(A)Acquisition	-Student identifies the Elements of Design.	-Application of the creative process, Inspiration, Idea, Research, Production, Critique, Rework, Evaluation, Presentation, in concert with the 8 Studio Habits
(T) Transfer	-Artwork applies a synthesis of skill, technique, original thought, personal choice using correct technique.	of Mind, Develop Craft, Engage and Persist, envision, express, observe, reflect, stretch and explore, and Understand the Art World.
		- Application and incorporation of concepts of the Elements of Art.
(T) Transfer	-Artwork applies the appropriate use of Element(s) of Design, line, form, volume & mass.	- Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studio practice of design ideas.
(M) Meaning	-Artwork supports knowledge of various technique(s) and proper use of clay and tools.	- Identify one's strengths, and next steps for reinforcing areas of need.
(T) Transfer	-Student applies the steps in the clay process of	- Demonstrating and applying line, form, volume & mass
	recycling, forming, and firing clay.	- Effective use of clay tools such as Recycling bats, canvas mats, hand-building tools, and other studio machinery.
(A)Acquisition	-Use technical vocabulary of ceramics.	-Students and peers will evaluate each other regarding required criteria based
(A)Acquisition	-Operates ceramic studio machinery safely.	on their trial and error.
(T) Transfer	-Demonstrates responsible behavior in a communal Ceramic Studio.	-Students will correctly apply clay techniques to appropriately produce their original artwork.
(T) Transfer	Demonstrates use of appropriate safety techniques	-Evaluating progress and adjusting plans when there is little to no progress.
	and care of materials.	-Assess lessons learned from experiences and mistakes.
(T) Transfer	–Applies trial and error with clay.	-Collaboration with reflection and revision of each other's artwork.
		-Log/journal of project progress through the initial concept, execution, and

(T) Transfer	-Students apply the creative process and how it	final stages.
(M) Meaning (T) Transfer	involves their work of art. -Explaining personal choice, using art/ceramic vocabulary.	-Weighing the decision to present their artwork(s) in the student art show viewed by the public, student body, and faculty and staff.
(T) Transfer (A)Acquisition	-Reflecting and revising their artwork through the clay process. -Evaluating and describing their own and peers' work accurately, and effectively. -Identify one's strengths and next steps for reinforcing areas of need	Suggested activities: Introduction to, but not limited to going over contracts and have them signed, icebreakers to get to know one another, tour of the studio, intro to the clay process, intro to The Creative Process, intro to the 8 Studio Habits of Mind, read "The Pottery Place", Hodden and Stoughton, London, Introduce 1987 Global Art Timeline, Ceramic Innovations, Maureen Mackey, Davis, Worcester, MA, 2002, Play "Pass the clay" https://www.teambuildingportal.com/games/pass-clay Create cut-off wire tools, pinch pots, Japanese tea bowls.

	OTHER EVIDENCE:
	Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by
	using correct art vocabulary in reflection, artist statements, or "I can" to discuss their original artwork.
	Assessments: Self or peer assessment rubrics must link to unit standards and objectives.

Code	Pre-Assessment		
(M)Meaning	Teacher will check students' prior knowledge with the District-Wide Baseline Assessment.		
(W)Wearing	Teacher will check students' prior knowledge of clay through formative asses	ssment.	
	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction	Progress Monitoring	
	Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on		
(A)Acquisition	-Teacher introduces clay studio, tools, discusses contracts.		
	WHETO	 Students will get feedback from the teacher by formative assessment. 	
(T)Transfer	-Teacher introducesThe 8 Studio Habits of Mind and The	 Return and review homework. 	
	Creative Process.WHERETO	Evaluate vocabulary notes. Direct also a metion.	
(T)Transfer	-Teacher and students analyze the use of Elements of Design	Direct observationSpecific feedback	
	and Clay techniques throughout history and cultures. WHETO	 One-on-one instruction 	
(A)A aquicition	- Teacher demonstrates hand building techniques. WHEO	Comparison peer critiqueStudents will collaboratively reflect on	
(A)Acquisition	- Teacher demonstrates additive and subtractive building	learning through their project based	
(A)Acquisition	methods to create cohesive 3 dimensional artwork. WHEO	rubric and end goal.	
	-Students will synthesize their subject for a studio project	Presentation	
(M)Meaning	according to project requirements. HERT		
(-)-	- Students apply the appropriate method for joining clay		
(T)Transfer	together. ERT		
	- Students practice following directions in sequence for clay		
	and creative processes, classroom procedure and clean-up.		
Meaning	WEO		

- students maintain and safely use tools and equipment. WEO

- Teacher will coach students to enhance their artwork through individual skill, personal choice and student collaboration. TER

-Students will self assess, and each other's work while in progress for further revision. TER

Essential Resources:

Artroom with Smartboard, appropriate artist prints, white paper, pencils, erases, markers, colored pencils, clay, glazes, kilns, sinks, clay tools (mats, modeling tools, sponges, rolling pins, scoring tools, rib tools, and texture stamps/rollers), Recycling bats, Kaolin, storage shelves, tables, bins, paint brushes.

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Unit	2.	Creation

ESTABLISHED GOALS Include any national/state/or	Transfer
school goals (Power standards).	Students will be able to independently use their learning to HS Proficient VA:Cr1.2.la- Shape an artistic investigation of an aspect of present day life using
NCAS Anchor Standard 1 :	a contemporary practice of art or design.
Generate and conceptualize artistic ideas and work.	HS Proficient VA:Re9.1.la- Establish relevant criteria in order to evaluate a work of art or collection of works.
NCAS Anchor Standard 8:	HS Proficient VA:Cn10.1.la- Document the process of developing ideas from early stages to fully elaborated ideas.
Interpret intent and meaning in	SEL Competency 10: Demonstrate an understanding of the need for mutual respect when
artistic work.	viewpoints differ.
NCAS Anchor Standard 10: Synthesize and relate knowledge	
and personal experiences to make art.	Meaning
SEL Competency: 10 Social Awareness	

UNDERSTANDINGS

Students will understand that...
-Artists and designers shape artistic investigations, following or breaking with traditions in pursuit of creative art making goals.

- -People evaluate art based on various criteria.
- Through art-making, people make meaning by investigating and developing awareness of perceptions, knowledge, and experiences.
- -Openness and mutual respect for differing viewpoints impact one's perception, analysis or interpretation of artistic works.

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS

Students will keep considering...

- -How does knowing the contexts, histories, and traditions of art forms help us create works of art and design? Why do artists follow or break from established traditions? How do artists determine what resources and criteria are needed to formulate artistic investigations?
- -How does one determine criteria to evaluate a work of art? How and why might criteria vary? How is a personal preference different from an evaluation?
 - -How does engaging in creating art enrich people's lives?
- -How does understanding the need of mutual respect for differing viewpoints impact the way an artist or audience perceives, analyzes, interprets artistic works?

Acquisition

Students will know...

Artists, designers, investigations, traditions, goals, art, criteria, meaning, perceptions, knowledge, experiences, ideas, openness, respect, viewpoints, analysis, interpretation, works.

Students will be skilled at...

- knowing the contexts, histories, and traditions of art forms.
- -follow or break from established traditions -determining what resources and criteria are
- -determining what resources and criteria are needed to formulate artistic investigations.
- -determine criteria to evaluate a work of art
- -engaging in creating art to enrich their lives.
- -understanding the need for mutual respect for differing viewpoints.
- -perceiving, analyzing, interpreting artistic works

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
(M) Meaning	-Artwork that demonstrates a synthesis of skill,	PERFORMANCE TASK(S):
	technique, original thought, personal choice using	Students will show that they really understand evidence of
	correct technique.	
		-Demonstrating the role of a developing artist.
(T) Transfer	-Artwork demonstrates the appropriate use of	
	Element(s) of Design, line, form, volume & mass.	-Incorporating the creative process: Inspiration, Idea, Research, Production,
		Critique, Rework, Evaluation, Presentation.
(M) Meaning	-Investigates options for personal subjects.	- Application and incorporation of concepts of the Elements of Art.
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(4)	-Artwork supports knowledge of various technique(s)	- Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studio practice
(A) Acquisition	and proper use of clay and tools.	of design ideas.
(T) Transfer	-Student applies the steps in the process of recycling,	- Identify one's strengths, and next steps for reinforcing areas of need.
(1) Hallstei	forming, and firing clay.	
	3,4 4 6 4 4	- Demonstrating and applying line, form, volume & mass
(A) Acquisition	-Use technical vocabulary of ceramics.	la compando effectivo con efector to allo esta la contra
	,	- Incorporate effective use of clay tools such as Recycling bats, canvas mats, hand-building tools, and other studio machinery.
(A) Acquisition	-Operates ceramic studio machinery safely.	Hand-building tools, and other studio machinery.
		-Determine what culture(s) inspired their artwork.
	-Demonstrates responsible behavior in a communal	Determine what carea e(s) inspired their artiforni
(T) Transfer	Ceramic Studio.	-Students and peers will evaluate each other regarding required criteria based
	Geranne Stadion	on their trial and error.
(A) Acquisition	Demonstrates use of appropriate safety techniques	
(A) Acquisition	and care of materials.	-Students will correctly apply clay techniques to appropriately produce their
		original artwork.
(T) Transfer	-Demonstrate the capacity to maintain concentration	Access lessons learned from a propried and michalics
	on a task.	-Assess lessons learned from experiences and mistakes.
	2	-Collaboration with reflection and revision of each other's artwork.
(T) Transfer	Relate subjects to various cultures.	condition with reflection and revision of each other 3 drework.
		-Logging/journaling project progress through the initial concept, execution, and
(T) Transfer	–Apply trial and error concept with clay.	final stages.

(T) Transfer	-Artwork is done neatly, and with focus.	-Weighing the decision to present their artwork(s) in the student art show viewed by the public, student body, and faculty and staff.
(T) transfer (T) Transfer	-Demonstrate the creative process and how it involves their work of art.	
(M) Meaning	-Apply personal choice, using art/ceramic vocabulary.	
(T) Transfer	-Reflecting and revising their artwork through the clay process and meaning.	Suggested activities: Introduction to, but not limited to, the genres of Greek, Japanese, US Southwest Native American and Chinese histories of ceramic art. Incorporate current ceramic artists such as Hitomi Hosono, Tony Marsh, Hae
(A) Acquisition/	Recognize and understand opposing viewpoints and demonstrate the skills needed to relate to, and reflect	Won Sohn, Zemer Peled, etc. https://theartling.com/en/artzine/contemporary-ceramic-artists/
(T) Transfer	on, and respectfully disagree with other's perspectives.	Create chops/stamps, slab bowls, mugs, "mugimals", mugs with thrown lips, goblets, coil vessels, Effigy Vessel, Intro to wheel throwing. formative assessment, exit sips, thumbs up/down, etc.
(T) Transfer	-Evaluating and describing their own and peers' work accurately, and effectively.	

OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by
using correct art vocabulary in reflections, artist statements, or "I Can" to discuss their original artwork.
Assessments: Self or peer assessment rubrics must link to unit standards and objectives.
Participation in either, but not limited to, showcase display, HS Art Show, Sr. Art Show, District Wide Art Show, K-12 National Ceramic Exhibition.

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Code	Pre-Assessment Questions to help complete this portion:	
Meaning	Teacher will check students' prior knowledge with the District-Wide Baseline Assessment.	
	Teacher will check students' prior knowledge of clay through formative assessment.	
	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on	Progress Monitoring
(A)Acquisition	-Teacher introduces processes of projects. WHETO	
(T) Transfer	-Teacher and students analyze the use of Elements of Design	 Students will get feedback from the teacher by formative assessment.
	and Clay techniques. WHETO	Return and review homework.
(A)Acquisition	- Teacher demonstrates hand building techniques. WHEO	Evaluate vocabulary notes.Direct observation
(A)Acquisition	- Teacher demonstrates additive and subtractive building	Specific feedback
(A)Acquisition	methods to create cohesive 3 dimensional artwork. WHEO	One-on-one instruction
(M) Meaning	-Students will synthesize their subject for a studio project	Comparison peer critiqueStudents will collaboratively reflect on
	according to project requirements. HERT	learning through their project based
(T) Transfor	- Students apply the appropriate method for joining clay	rubric and end goal.
(T) Transfer	together. ERT	 Presentation
(T) Transfer	- Students perform the appropriate sequence for clay and	
(1) Hansici	creative processes, classroom procedure and clean-up. WEO	
(A)Acquisition	- Students maintain and safely use tools and equipment. WEO	
	- Teacher will coach students to enhance their artwork through	
(T) Transfer	individual skill, personal choice and student collaboration. TER	
(T) Transfer	-Students will self assess, and peers work while in progress	

NCAS Anchor Standard 3:

Refine and complete artistic work.

NCAS Anchor Standard 4:

Select, analyze, and interpret artistic work for presentation.

NCAS Anchor Standard 9:

Apply criteria to evaluate artistic work

SEL Competency:

13 Relationship Skills and Presenting

Transfer

Students will be able to independently use their learning to...

HS Proficient 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 progress.

HS Proficient VA:Pr4.1.la: Analyze, select, and curate artifacts and/or artworks for presentation and preservation

HS Proficient VA:Re9.1.la: Establish relevant criteria in order to evaluate a work of art or collection of works.

SEL Competency 13: Utilize positive communication and social skills to interact effectively with others.

Meaning

UNDERSTANDINGS

Students will understand that...

- Artists and designers develop excellence through practice and constructive critique, reflecting on, revising, and refining work over time.
- Artists and other presenters consider various techniques, methods, venues, and criteria when analyzing, selecting, and curating artworks for preservation and presentation.
 - People evaluate art based on various criteria.

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS
Students will keep considering...

- -What role does persistence play in revising, refining, and developing work? How do artists grow and become accomplished in art forms?
- How are artworks cared for and by whom? What criteria, methods, and processes are used to select work for preservation or presentation?
- -How does one determine criteria to evaluate a work of art? How is a personal preference different from an evaluation?

-Maintaining professional communication, sustaining healthy relationships, and fostering collaboration can greatly enhance the presentation of an artistic work.	-How can an artist's relationship with others impact the presentation of artistic works?
Acq	uisition
Students will know	Students will be skilled at
Artists, designers, excellence, practice, critique, work, time, techniques, methods, venues, criteria, artworks, preservation, presentation, communication, relationships, collaboration.	Revising, refining, developing, growing and becoming accomplished, caring for artworks, selecting, determining, impacting.

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
(M) Meaning,	-Artwork that demonstrates a synthesis of skill,	PERFORMANCE TASK(S):
	technique, personal choice using correct glazing	Students will show that they really understand evidence of
	technique.	
		-Accepting the role of a developing artist.
(T) Transfer	-Artwork demonstrates the appropriate use of	
	Element(s) of Design, line, and color.	-Incorporating the creative process: Inspiration, Idea, Research, Production,
	-Investigates options for personal subjects.	Critique, Rework, Evaluation, Presentation.
(M) Meaning	-investigates options for personal subjects.	- Application and incorporation of concepts of the Elements of Art.
	-Apply the process of construction, drying, bisque	- Application and incorporation of concepts of the Elements of Art.
(T) Transfer	firing, glaze application, and glaze firing.	- Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studio practice
		of design ideas.
(A) Assuration	-Artwork supports knowledge of various decorative	
(A) Acquisition	glazing technique(s) and proper use of glaze and tools.	- Identify one's strengths, and next steps for reinforcing areas of need.
(A) Acquisition		
(7 t) 7 toquiottion	-Observe change of color of fired glaze when	- Applying line, & color.
	compared to glaze color in container.	
(A) Acquisition	- Note and duplicate the effect of two overlapping	- Incorporate effective use of glazing/underglazing tools such as paint brushes,
	glazes.	sponges, wax resist, sgraffito tools.
(A) Acquisition	- Recognize and use different techniques of glaze	-Students and peers will evaluate each other regarding required project criteria.
	application	Stadents and peers will evaluate each other regulating required project effectu.
(4)		-Students will correctly apply glazing techniques to finish their piece.
(A) Acquisition	 -Use technical vocabulary of glazing. 	
(A) Assuration		-Assess lessons learned from experiences and mistakes.
(A) Acquisition	-Operates ceramic studio machinery safely.	
(T) Transfer	Demonstrate and another to the first of the second	-Collaboration with reflection and revision of each other's artwork.
	-Demonstrates responsible behavior in a communal	
	Ceramic Studio.	-Logging/journal of project progress through the initial concept, execution, and
(T) Transfer	-Demonstrates use of appropriate safety techniques	final stages.
	and care of materials.	-Weighing the decision to present their artwork(s) in the student art show
(T) Transfer		viewed by the public, student body, and faculty and staff.
	-Demonstrate the capacity to maintain concentration	
	on a task.	

(T) Transfer	-Artwork is done neatly, and with focus.	
(T) Transfer	-Demonstrate the creative process and how it involves their work of art.	Suggested activities: Introduction to, but not limited to, glazing and
(M) Meaning	-Apply personal choice using art/ceramic vocabulary.	underglazing, wax resist, sgraffito, engraving, incising, stamping. Evaluation, rubric, group critique, peer critique, participation in student art shows.
(T) Transfer/(M) Meaning	-Reflecting on their artwork through the clay process and meaning.	
(T) Transfer	-Recognize and understand opposing viewpoints and demonstrate the skills needed to relate to, and reflect on, and respectfully disagree with other's perspectives.	
(T) Transfer	-Understand and be able to demonstrate how to effectively communicate with others in a variety of situations.	
(T) Transfer	-Evaluating and describing their own and peers' work accurately, and effectively.	
(T) Transfer	-Select artwork for the student art show.	
		OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by
		using correct art vocabulary in reflections, logs/journals, artist statements, or "I Can" to discuss their original artwork.
		Assessments: Self or peer assessment rubrics must link to unit standards and objectives.
		Participation in either, but not limited to, showcase display, HS Art Show, Sr. Art Show, District Wide Art Show, K-12 National Ceramic Exhibition.
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Code	Pre-Assessment	
(M) Meaning	Teacher will check students' prior knowledge with the District-Wide Baseline Assessment. Teacher will check students' prior knowledge of clay through formative assessment.	
(A) Acquisition (T) Transfer (T) Transfer	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on -Teacher shows students test tiles and leads discussion of how the color of glaze in a container is different than that of fired color. WHETO -Teacher explains the result of flux in glaze in relation to how a piece is placed in the kiln (clean or bottom stilt). WHETO -Teacher discusses the firing cycle and temperature. WHETO -Teacher discusses the chemistry of glaze, including melting point and kiln atmosphere. WHETO - Teacher introduces new glazing vocabulary and concepts. WHETO - Teacher conferences with students to help choose the best glaze(s) and application method(s) for their selected piece. HERT - Students incorporate the use of Elements of Design in their glaze applications. WHETO - Students practice following directions in sequence for the	Progress Monitoring Students will get feedback from the teacher by formative assessment. Evaluate vocabulary notes. Formative assessments. Direct observation. Specific feedback. One-on-one instruction. Peer critique. Students will reflect on learning through their project based rubric and end goal. Presentation/Display
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(T) Transfer	creative processes, classroom procedure and clean-up. WEO
(M) Meaning	- Students maintain and safely use tools and equipment. WEO
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	individual skill, personal choice and student collaboration. TER
	-Students will self/peer assess work while in progress for
(T) Transfer	further revision. TER
	-Teacher coaches students in preparation for and set up
(M) Meaning	display of selected piece(s). WHERETO
	-Students will select and defend their piece(s) for a student
(T) Transfer	art exhibit. WHERETO
	-Students will evaluate their finished project. E
	Essential Resources: Artroom with Smartboard, appropriate artist prints, white
	paper, pencils, erases, markers, colored pencils, glazes,
	underglazes, kilns, sinks, glazing tools (paint brushes, sponges, wax resist, scoring tools, rib tools, texture
	stamps/rollers, shape punches), whisks, hand held blender,
	storage shelves, tables, bins.
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Transfer **NCAS Anchor Standard 2:** Organize and develop artistic Students will be able to independently use their learning to... ideas and work **HS Accomplished VA:Cr2.1.lla-**Through experimentation, practice, and persistence, **NCAS Anchor Standard 8**: demonstrate acquisition of skills and knowledge in a chosen art form. Interpret intent and meaning in artistic work. HS Proficient 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. **NCAS Anchor Standard 10:** HS Proficient VA:Cn10.1.la- Document the process of developing ideas from early Synthesize and relate knowledge stages to fully elaborated ideas. and personal experiences to make art Meaning **ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS UNDERSTANDINGS** Students will understand that... Students will keep considering... How do artists work? How do artists and Artists and designers experiment with forms, structures, materials, concepts, designers determine whether a particular direction in their work is effective? media, and art-making approaches. People gain insights into meanings of How does knowing and using visual art artworks by engaging in the process of vocabularies help us understand and art criticism. interpret works of art? Through art-making, people make How does engaging in creating art enrich meaning by investigating and people's lives?

developing awareness of perceptions, knowledge, and experiences

Acquisition	
Students will know Artists and designers, forms, structures, materials, concepts, media, approaches, insights, meanings, artworks, criticism, awareness, perceptions, knowledge, and experiences.	Students will be skilled at working, determining, using vocabularies, understanding, interpreting, engaging, enriching.

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
	Further information:	PERFORMANCE TASK(S):
(T) Transfer	-Student constructs initial proposal of final project.	Students will show that they really understand evidence of
(A) Acquisition /(M) Meaning/ (T) Transfer	-Artwork that demonstrates a synthesis of skill, technique, original thought, personal choice using correct technique.	-Incorporating the creative process: Inspiration, Idea, Production, Critique, Rework, Evaluation.
	correct technique.	- Application and incorporation of concepts of the Elements of Art.
(T) Transfer	-Artwork demonstrates the appropriate use of Element(s) of Design, line, form, volume & mass.	- Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studio practice of design ideas.
(M) Meaning	-Artwork supports knowledge of various technique(s) and proper use of clay and tools.	- Identify one's strengths, and areas of weakness, for reinforcement.
(T) Transfer	-Student demonstrates the appropriate steps in the	- Incorporate effective use of the clay process from recycling, building, firing, and glazing.
(T) Transfer	clay and creative processes. -Use technical vocabulary of ceramics.	-Log/journal of project progress through the initial concept, execution, and final stages.
(A) Acquisition	-Operates ceramic studio machinery safely.	-Teacher will evaluate student work regarding required project criteria.
(A) Acquisition	-Demonstrates responsible behavior in a communal Ceramic Studio.	
(T) Transfer	-Demonstrates use of appropriate safety techniques and care of materials.	Suggested activities: Possible, but not limited to, the students proposing to create, any 3-D ceramic form combining pinch, slab, and coil method of hand-building, and/or throwing on the wheel. Log/journals may include a form of electronic visual and written portfolio such as Canva, Flip-grid, See-Saw, etc.
(T) Transfer	–Demonstrates trial and error with clay.	Evaluation/rubric will be provided by the teacher. Participation in student art shows when appropriate.
(T) Transfer	-Defend their creative process and how it involves their work of art.	
	-Analyze personal choice, using art/ceramic	

(M) Meaning	vocabulary.	
(M) Meaning (T) Transfer	-Reflecting their artwork through the clay process. -Evaluating and describing their own work accurately, and effectively. -Identify one's strengths and areas of improvement.	
(A) Acquisition		
		OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by using correct art vocabulary in reflections, logs/journals, artist statements, or "I Can" to discuss their original artwork. A rubric must link to unit standards and objectives. Participation in either, but not limited to, showcase display, HS Art Show, District Wide Art Show, K-12 National Ceramic Exhibition.

Code	Pre-Assessment		
(M) Meaning	-Teacher will consider students initial project proposal Teacher will check students' prior knowledge of clay through prior formative assessments.		
(A)Acquisition (M) Meaning (M) Meaning (T) Transfer	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on -Teacher and students discuss criteria requirements for the final project. WHETO - Students incorporate the use of Elements of Design, Creative Process, and Clay process in their final projects. WHETO -Students will construct an initial proposal of their final project. WHETO -Teacher conferences with students on final projects throughout the entire process. WHETO	 Students will get feedback from the teacher by formative assessment upon initial proposal completion. Direct observation. Specific feedback. One-on-one instruction. Peer critique. Teacher will evaluate final projects through project based rubric and student end goal. Presentation/Display when appropriate during Midterms/Final 	
(T) Transfer (T) Transfer	-Students create their final project.WHERETO -Students keep a log/journal of the entire clay and creative processes. WHETO	Exams.	
(T) Transfer (T) Transfer	- Students maintain and safely use tools and equipment. WEO -Students will self assess work while in progress for further		

(M) Meaning -Teacher will evaluate the completed project. E Essential Resources: Artroom with Smartboard, Technology devices such as chromebooks, ipads, etc. with access to Canva, See-Saw, Flip-Grid, etc. appropriate artist prints, white paper, pencils, erases, markers, colored pencils, clay, glazes, underglazes, kilns, sinks, clay tools (mats, modeling tools, sponges, rolling pins, scoring tools, rib tools, and texture stamps/rollers, handle forms, shape punches, sponge on a stick, hair dryer/heat gun, paint brushes, sponges, wax resist), whisks, hand held blender, recycling bats, Kaolin, storage shelves, tables, bins.
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New Milford's Mission Statement

The mission of the New Milford Public Schools, a collaborative partnership of students, educators, family and community, is to prepare each and every student to compete and excel in an ever-changing world, embrace challenges with vigor, respect and appreciate the worth of every human being, and contribute to society by providing effective instruction and dynamic curriculum, offering a wide range of valuable experiences, and inspiring students to pursue their dreams and aspirations.

Advanced Placement Art and Design

Grades 11 and 12

The goal of this curriculum is to integrate artistic literacy as the foundation for creating, presenting, responding, and connecting, as defined in the National and Connecticut Core Arts Standards: "Fluency in the language of the arts is the ability to create, perform, present, respond and connect through symbolic and metaphoric forms that are unique to the arts. An artistically literate person has the ability to transfer arts knowledge, skills, experiences and capacities to other subjects, settings and contexts to promote and enhance lifelong learning."

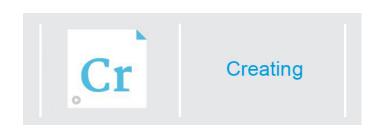
Instruction is led through a sequentially/vertically aligned standards based, concept driven, student centered learning activities, that include social emotional learning competencies so that students can discover their creativity and become proficient in applying the knowledge and skills in order to innovate and create aesthetic visual compositions. Students will apply academic language and vocabulary within the context of critical thinking, communication, collaboration, and creativity required of 21st century citizens. Students will be assessed to demonstrate evidence of their learning and success.

The AP Art and Design program consists of three different courses and AP Portfolio Exams—AP 2-D Art and Design, AP 3-D Art and Design, and AP Drawing—corresponding to college and university foundations courses. Students may choose to submit any or all of the AP Portfolio Exams. Students create a portfolio of work for evaluation based on specific criteria, which include skillful synthesis of materials, processes, and ideas and sustained investigation through practice, experimentation, and revision, guided by questions. Students may choose to submit any or all of the AP Portfolio Exams. College Course Equivalent The AP 2-D Art and Design, AP 3-D Art and Design, and AP Drawing courses are designed to be the equivalent of a one-semester, introductory college course in 2-D art and design, 3-D art and design, and drawing, respectively.

This course is designed for the advanced student that has taken at least 2 courses in one artistic discipline. For example, Design Foundations 1 and Design Foundations 2 (Drawing), Ceramics 1 and Ceramics 2 (3D), Advertising Art & Design and Graphic Design (2D). Evaluation of a student portfolio of artwork by the art department is recommended to determine the most appropriate level art course for individual students.

This is a full year course in which students will attend an 80 minute class period every other day based on the high school's A/B rotating schedule.

NATIONAL COREARTS STANDARDS



Conceiving and developing new artistic ideas and work.



Presenting (visual arts): Interpreting and sharing artistic work.



Understanding and evaluating how the arts convey meaning.



Relating artistic ideas and work with personal meaning and external context.

The **Vision of the Graduate** articulates the school district, community and the Art Department aspirations for each student by developing and communicating the skills, dispositions, and specific attitudes which identify desired outcomes for students who graduate from New Milford Public Schools.

COMMUNICATION	CRITICAL THINKING	CREATIVITY	PROBLEM SOLVING	POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS/SOCIAL AWARENESS	SELF MANAGEMENT	GROWTH MINDSET
Clearly articulate and express themselves orally, through various modes of written expression and other forms of communication.	The intellectually disciplined process of actively and skillfully conceptualizing, applying, analyzing, synthesizing, and/or evaluating information.	The ability to think innovatively, generate original ideas, alternatives, possibilities and apply them in solving problems, creating solutions and communicating with others.	Defining a problem; determining the cause of the problem; identifying, prioritizing, and selecting alternatives for a solution; and implementing a solution.	The ability to demonstrate an understanding, acceptance, and respect of others' differences	The ability to set and pursue personal and professional goals through self-advocacy, time-management, preparation, and organization.	The ability to improve one's skills and/or situation through self-reflection, perseverance, and hard work

Pacing Guide

Unit Title	Days	Pages
1. Inquiry and Investigation	Ongoing	8-14
2. Making through Practice, Experimentation, and Revision	Ongoing	15- 20
Communication and Reflection	Ongoing	21-27

The Advanced Placement Art and Design curriculum focuses on big ideas that encompass core principles and processes of art and design. Teachers are encouraged to adapt the framework to their own and their students' diverse needs and interests; there are many different ways to organize and present a successful AP Art and Design course.

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NCAS Anchor Standard 1:

Generate and conceptualize artistic ideas and work.

SELArts Competency:

03 Self Awareness and Connecting: Recognize one's personal traits, strengths and limitations.

AP Framework Course Skill 1:

Investigate materials, processes, and ideas.

Transfer

Students will be able to independently use their learning to...

- **HS Advanced VA:Cr1.2.Illa** Choose from a range of materials and methods of traditional and contemporary artistic practices, following or breaking established conventions, to plan the making of multiple works of art and design based on a theme, idea, or concept.
- **03 Self Awareness and Connecting** Recognize and analyze how one's personal traits and qualities contribute to the work and outcomes of a group.
- **1.B** Describe how inquiry guides investigation through art and design.
- 1.C- Describe how materials, processes, and ideas in art and design relate to context.
- 1.D- Interpret works of art and design based on materials, processes, and ideas used.

Meaning

UNDERSTANDINGS

Students will understand that...

Artists and designers shape artistic investigations, following or breaking with traditions in pursuit of creative art making goals.

Through individual connections in the arts personal strengths, traits and challenges are recognized.

Perspectives about societal, cultural and historical concepts in the arts reveal one's own traits, strengths and limitations.

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS

Students will keep considering...

How does knowing the contexts, histories, and traditions of art forms help us create works of art and design? Why do artists follow or break from established traditions? How do artists determine what resources and criteria are needed to formulate artistic investigations?

How does the recognition of one's personal traits, strengths and challenges influence the creative process?

What informs why, how and what artists and

Artists and designers investigate how materials, processes, and ideas within a work relate to each other, how they relate to interpretations of the work, to art and design traditions, and to other disciplines. Artists and designers select materials, processes, and ideas to investigate as potential components for making.	designers make?
Acq	uisition
 various artists and designers various artistic materials, processes, and traditions interpretations and components of art personal art making goals, traits, strengths, values, and challenges 	 thinking innovatively formulating, organizing, developing and and shaping questions, investigations, and creative ideas recognizing personal strengths, traits and challenges investigation and relating to interpretations, traditions, and other disciplines selecting materials, processes, and ideas to investigate

STAGE 2

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
Acquisition	Evaluates and describes own and others work-effectively using accurate	PERFORMANCE TASK(S): Students will show that they really understand evidence of
Acquisition	art vocabulary.Identifies materials, processes and ideas	 Investigating and experimenting with materials, processes and ideas including those traditionally and not traditionally used to make art and
Acquisition	 Demonstrates knowledge of various 	Imagining abstract and fictional concepts
Meaning	artistic techniquesUses specific evidence to compare work with a specific criteria	Discovering and verifying information about various traditional and contemporary artists and cultures via magazines, books, online sources and social media Carefully and methodically about its artificial artifi
Meaning	 Identifies and evaluates the use of specific 2D, 3D and drawing skills 	 Carefully and methodically observing artwork Interacting with people and surroundings
Meaning	 Notes similarities and differences between artworks presented 	Associating what they perceive in a work with their own experiences, affecting their interpretation of artwork Considering inherent and interpreted attributes.
Meaning	 Highlights distinctive aspects of each work 	 Considering inherent and interpreted attributes Confirming and challenging thinking, revealing connections
Meaning	 Recognizes and demonstrates the skills needed to relate to, and reflect on, and respectfully disagree with 	 and opportunities Sharing constructive feedback formally and informally Talking with viewer and/or artist to learn how they interpret a
Meaning	other's perspectivesRecords questions, lines of inquiry and	 specific material used in an artwork Observing and reflecting on individual and combined effects of components within an work
Acquisition	 investigative processes, and outcomes Clearly identifies questions or areas of inquiry that guide and further a 	 Considering how visual evidence of skills used in a work could be strengthened
Acquisition	 sustained investigation Provides documentation including drawings, photos, diagrams, videos, samples, models, verbal description 	 Formulating questions or areas of inquiry that guide a sustained investigation through art and design.
Acquisition	and soundAcknowledges references and influences	SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES:
Transfer	Demonstrates responsible behavior in a communal Art Studio	Exploring original ideas by creating Mind Maps,Tree of Influence, sketchbook evaluations, peer critiques, self evaluations, artist

	Demonstrates the capacity to maintain	interviews, and more.
Transfer	concentration on a task	Completing self directed and teacher directed projects which incorporate exploration of materials, processes and ideas. For example: self portrait drawing with a fork, layered printmaking abstraction, digital architectural collage, and ceramic vessels.
		Viewing, investigating and discussing artwork by traditional artists such as Impressionists, Baroque artists, artists of the Harlem Renaissance, Renaissance artists, the Hudson River School, early 20th century artists, Realists, and more.
		Viewing, investigating and discussing work by diverse contemporary and/or local artists such as Joy Brown, Elizabeth MacDonald, Anda Styler, Alexander Calder, Christo, Maya Lin, Xu Bing, Cindy Sherman, Faith Ringgold, Jaune Quick-to-see-Smith, Shirin Neshat, Pepón Osorio, Frank Gehry, Ai Wei Wei, J.C. Leyendecker, Carol Moore, Souby Boski, Joel Spector, Vesper Stamper, contemporary animation artists and more.
		Attending virtual or in person visits to museums and galleries such as Hill-stead Museum, Aldrich, Wadsworth Atheneum, Norman Rockwell Museum, Gallery 25, Google Arts and Culture, Institute for American Indian Studies, Yale University Art Gallery, The Clark, Metropolitan Museum of Art, Museum of Modern Art, and more.

OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by
<u>Visual evidence</u> can include but is not limited to process photos, videos, preliminary sketches, and completed artwork. <u>Written evidence</u> can include but is not limited to journals, research notes, written critiques, self evaluations, inventories and artist statements.
Materials are physical substances that artists and designers use to make works of art and design. <u>Processes</u> are physical and conceptual activities involved with making works of art and design. <u>Ideas</u> are concepts used to make works of art and design.

Code	 Pre-Assessment Teacher evaluation of individual student's skill level based on previous art courses taken Teacher evaluation of summer art work Student list of known artists 		
Transfer	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on Student is introduced to the Studio Habits of Mind; Develop craft, engage and persist, envision, express, observe, reflect,	Feedback from the teacher by formative assessment Return and review homework	
Acquisition	stretch and explore, understand the art world. WO Teacher presentations and class discussion of the requirements for the AP Digital Portfolio for 2D, 3D and Drawing. WE	 Direct observation Specific feedback One-on-one instruction Comparison peer critique 	
Meaning	Teacher presentations and class research and discussion of student portfolio examples and scoring guide. HW	Students will collaboratively reflect on learning through their project based rubric	
Meaning	Student explores and documents selection and investigation of materials, processes, and ideas. E	and end goal. • Presentations	
Acquisition	Student researches artists of interest to them and documents how works of art and design relate to art and design traditions. HET	Review of journals/sketchbooks	
Transfer	Through activities such as creating a Mind Map, students will formulate questions or areas of inquiry. T		
Acquisition	Student evaluates the commonalities in the use of Elements and Principles of Design in personal artwork created previously. T		
Meaning	Student creates preliminary sketches to envision new artwork. OW		
Acquisition	Student organizes and creates a plan for beginning an artwork and artistic investigation. O		
Acquisition	Teacher demonstrates various art techniques. E		
Acquisition	Student applies, practices and develops art skills. R		
Acquisition	Innovatively solve visual challenges provided by the teacher.		

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Transfer	Student actively participates in class critiques. RE	
Transfer	Student documents investigation of viewer's interpretations of	
Meaning	art and design. E Teacher will coach students to enhance their artwork through	
Meaning	individual skill, personal choice and student collaboration. R	
Transfer	Students maintain and safely use materials, tools and	
rianoro.	equipment appropriate to their interests and abilities. O	
	Facestial Decourage	
	Essential Resources: Artroom with equipment and tools including but not limited to	
	Smartboard, computer with internet connection, sinks, easels,	
	large desks or tables, storage, spot lights, scissors, and mat	
	cutter	
	Various drawing supplies including but not limited to various	
	pencils, erasers, markers, colored pencils, charcoal and	
	pastels.	
	Various painting supplies including but not limited to	
	watercolor, acrylic, gouache and oil and appropriate brushes.	
	Various substrates including white paper, charcoal paper,	
	canvas boards, canvas with stretchers, printing paper, tissue	
	paper, magazines, newsprint paper, watercolor paper, colored paper, mat board.	
	paper, mat board.	
	Various sculpting supplies including but not limited to clay,	
	glazes, kilns, clay tools (mats, modeling tools, sponges, rolling	
	pins, scoring tools, rib tools, and texture stamps/rollers), wire,	
	pliers, jigs, balsa wood, saws, adhesives, hammers, carving	
	tools, plaster, plaster wrap, and rasps.	

ESTABLISHED GOALS	Transfer		
	Students will be able to independently use their	r learning to…	
NCAS Anchor Standard 2: Organize and develop artistic ideas and work.	HS Advanced VA:Cr2.1.IIIa- Experiment, plan explore a personally meaningful theme, idea, o	, and make multiple works of art and design that or concept.	
NCAS Anchor Standard 3: Refine and complete artistic work.	HS Advanced VA:Cr3.1.IIIa -Reflect on, re-engonsidering relevant traditional and contempora	ary criteria as well as personal artistic vision.	
		tivity, problem solving and innovation to generate	
SELArts Competency:	multiple possible solutions when experiencing obstacles.		
07 Self-management and	2.C -Make works of art and design that demonstrate synthesis of materials, processes, and ideas.		
Creating: Identify and apply	2.0-Make works of art and design that demons	trate synthesis of materials, processes, and ideas.	
ways to persevere or overcome barriers through alternative	2 D Make works of art and decign that demonstrate 2 D 2 D or drawing akilla		
methods to achieve one's goals.	Meaning		
	UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS	
AP Framework Course Skill 2:	Students will understand that	Students will keep considering	
Make works of art and design by practicing, experimenting, and revising.	Artists and designers experiment with forms, structures, materials, concepts, media, and	How do artists and designers make works of art and design?	
revising.	art-making approaches.	How do artists work? How do artists and	
		designers determine whether a particular	
	Artists and designers develop excellence	direction in their work is effective? How do artists	
	through practice and constructive critique,	and designers learn from trial and error?	
	reflecting on, revising, and refining work over time.		
	unie.	What role does persistence play in revising,	
	Artists' and designers' work is often driven by	refining, and developing work? How do artists	
	inquiry. Artists and designers generate	grow and become accomplished in art forms?	

questions related to their experiences. They select materials, processes, and ideas to investigate, guided by their questions.

The creative process is iterative and requires perseverance and strategies to overcome obstacles in order to successfully execute the artist's vision.

How does collaboratively reflecting on a work help us experience it more completely?

How does overcoming obstacles during the creative process impact the refinement and completion of an artistic work?

Acquisition

Students will know...

- multiple works of art and design
- various artistic methods
- traditional criteria
- contemporary criteria
- personal artistic goals
- barriers to creating successful art
- personally meaningful theme, idea, or concept

Students will be skilled at...

- experimenting with forms, structures, materials, concepts, media, and art-making approaches
- developing excellence through practice and constructive critique
- reflecting on, revising, and refining work over time
- developing a sustained investigation through art and design
- persevering and overcoming obstacles in order to successfully execute personal artistic vision

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
Meaning	 Demonstrates visual relationships among materials, processes, and ideas that are <i>clearly evident</i> and demonstrate synthesis. 	PERFORMANCE TASK(S): Students will show that they really understand evidence of • Accepting the role of a developing artist.
Transfer	 Clearly identifies and demonstrates development of a sustained investigation through clear written and visual evidence of practice, 	 Incorporating the Studio Habits of Mind: Develop Craft, Engage & Persist, Envision, Express, Observe, Reflect, Stretch & Explore, Understand Art World. Applying knowledge of materials and processes from
Acquisition	 experimentation, and revision. Demonstrates advanced 2-D, 3-D, OR drawing skills. 	 previous experimentation. Consider traditions, ideas and techniques used by various cultures, historical and contemporary artists.
Meaning	 Demonstrates knowledge of various technique(s) as well as proper and 	 Developing areas of inquiry that guide a sustained investigation through art and design. Assessing lessons learned from experiences and mistakes
Acquisition	safe use of materials and tools.Uses descriptive and accurate art	to solve visual problems. Incorporating and describing concepts of the Elements and
Transfer	 vocabulary. Demonstrates responsible behavior in a communal Art Studio. 	Principles of Art and Design. Demonstrating advanced 2D, 3D or Drawing skills. Relating and expressing personal experience.
Transfer	Demonstrates the capacity to maintain	 Synthesizing ideas, materials and processes to clearly express personal ideas.
Meaning	 concentration on a task. Relates personal artwork to various traditional and contemporary artists and cultures. 	 Design, produce sketches for and create a series of original, finished artworks that explore a personally meaningful theme, idea, or concept.
	 Recognizes and understands opposing viewpoints and demonstrates the skills 	 Collaborating with peers reflect and revise artwork while evaluating the effectiveness of artistic choices and being open to new ideas.
	needed to relate to, and reflect on, and respectfully disagree with other's	 Documenting project progress through the initial concept, execution, and final stages.
	perspectives.	SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES:
	 Evaluates and describes own and peers' work accurately, and effectively. 	Exploring themes such as Still Life, Landscape, Figure in Art, Thinking Inside the Box, Thinking Outside the Box, Narrative in Art, Personal Journey, Voyeurism, Decay, Portraiture.

Exploring processes such as book making, mark making, collage, drawing, painting, printmaking, photography, video, sculpture, pottery, assemblage, installation, and traditional crafts. Exploring art concepts such as emphasis, contrast, texture, color, positive and negative space, balance, perspective, anatomy, form, structure, mood, sound, time, appropriation, movement, originality, unity, variety, composition, craftsmanship, sequence, value, shading, abstraction.
OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by Visual evidence can include but is not limited to process photos, videos, preliminary sketches, and completed artwork. Written evidence can include but is not limited to journals, research notes, written critiques, self evaluations, inventories and artist statements. 2-D skills: use of two-dimensional elements and principles—point, line, shape, plane, layer, form, space, texture, color, value, opacity, transparency, time; unity, variety, rhythm, movement, proportion, scale, balance, emphasis, contrast, repetition, figure/ground relationship, connection, juxtaposition, hierarchy 3-D skills: use of three-dimensional elements and principles—point, line, shape, plane, layer, form, space, mass, volume, texture, color, value, opacity, transparency, time; unity, variety, rhythm, movement, proportion, scale, balance, emphasis, contrast, repetition, figure/ground relationship, connection, juxtaposition, hierarchy Drawing skills: use of mark-making, line, surface, space, light and shade, composition

Code	 Pre-Assessment Teacher evaluation of individual student's skill level based on previous art courses taken Teacher evaluation of summer art work Teacher, student and peer evaluation of documentation of research, experimentation, and areas 	
Acquisition Acquisition Meaning, Transfer Meaning Transfer Transfer Meaning Acquisition Transfer Transfer	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on Teacher demonstrates various artistic techniques. H Students experiment with materials, processes and ideas. E Students design and produce artwork based on a sustained investigation. R Students document the process of art making and finished artwork via visual and written evidence. EO Teacher and students participate in group critiques. WE Teacher and students analyze the use and effectiveness of elements of design and artistic processes in their own and each other's work. W Teacher suggests relevant historical and contemporary artists and techniques for the student to research and experiment with. HT Students explore artwork virtually or in person at galleries and museums. H Teacher provides feedback via verbal instruction and written evaluation based on the AP College Board rubrics. E Students maintain and safely use tools, materials and equipment. O ESSENTIAL RESOURCES: • Digital camera and a computer equipped with image editing software and an internet connection (required for submitting digital portfolios through the AP Digital Portfolio)	Students will get feedback from the teacher via formative assessment. Return and review homework. Evaluate student's written and visual documentation. Direct observation. One-on-one instruction. Peer critique.

- Digital projector and screen for viewing and discussing works of art and design with students
- Art and design materials and resources necessary to meet the requirements for the portfolio each student chooses to submit
- Instructional materials that support the formulation of a creative problem and its comprehensive investigation, including, but not limited to, art and design books, periodicals, reproductions, digital images, and online and resources

Students need time and resources to engage with art and design in the classroom, school, and in the local community as well as in museums and galleries (in person and virtually). Such experiences are invaluable for supporting student inquiry and developing understanding of context, interpretation, and how their work relates to art and design traditions. Possibilities for thinking and making are expanded by frequent interactions with diverse works of art and design.

ESTABLISHED GOALS	Transfer		
NCAS Anchor Standard 5:	Students will be able to independently use their learning to		
Develop and refine artistic techniques and work for presentation.	8th Grade VA:Pr5.1.8a- Collaboratively prepare and present selected theme-based artwork for display, and formulate exhibition narratives for the viewer.		
NCAS Anchor Standard 8: Interpret intent and meaning in artistic work.	HS Proficient 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.		
artistic work.	17 Responsible Decision-making and Presenting- Regularly demonstrate use of systematic		
SELArts Competency: 17 Responsible decision-making and Presenting: Develop,	decision-making, by identifying a decision, gathering information, and assessing alternative resolutions.		
implement and model effective problem solving and critical thinking skills	3.B- Describe how a sustained investigation through art and design shows evidence of practice, experimentation, and revision guided by questions or inquiry.		
3.D-Describe how works of art and design demonstrate synthesis of materials, proceedides.		onstrate synthesis of materials, processes, and	
Communicate ideas about art and design.	3.E- Describe how works of art and design demonstrate 2-D, 3-D, or drawing skills.		
	3.F- Present works of art and design for viewer interpretation.		
	Meaning		
	UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS	
	Artists, curators and others consider a variety	What methods and processes are considered	
	of factors and methods including evolving	when preparing artwork for presentation or	
	technologies when preparing and refining	preservation? How does refining artwork affect	
	artwork for display and or when deciding if and how to preserve and protect it.	its meaning to the viewer? What criteria are considered when selecting work for presentation,	
	People gain insights into meanings of	a portfolio, or a collection?	

artworks by engaging in the process of art criticism.

Artists develop practices for decision making that enable them to realize their creative work in constructive ways.

By presenting their work and documenting viewer responses, artists and designers learn how viewers interpret materials, processes, and ideas used to make the work.

Understanding viewer interpretations can inform thinking and making.

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 understand and interpret works of art?

How do artists use problem solving and critical thinking skills to impact the quality of their presentation?

How do choices made in the process of preparing and presenting artistic works affect the intended impact on the audience?

Why and how do artists and designers present their work to viewers?

Acquisition

Students will know...

- a variety of factors and methods for displaying artwork
- insights into meanings of artworks
- practices for decision making
- constructive criticism
- documentation techniques

Students will be skilled at...

- analyzing and selecting personal artwork
- identifying, considering and assessing alternative resolutions
- preparing and refining artwork
- engaging in the process of art criticism
- demonstrating use of systematic decision making
- realizing their creative work in constructive ways.
- presenting their work and documenting viewer responses
- interpreting materials, processes, and ideas
- understanding viewer interpretations

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence	
	The AP Art and Design Portfolio will be	PERFORMANCE TASK(S):	
	evaluated collectively and holistically. The	Students will show evidence of understanding by	
	most successful portfolio submission:	Carafully and mathadically about a works of art or decima	
	Demonstrates visual relationships among	Carefully and methodically observe works of art or design.	
Transfer	Demonstrates visual relationships among materials, processes, and ideas that are	Exchange constructive feedback about clarity and effectiveness of	
	clearly evident and demonstrate synthesis.	writing about materials, ideas, and processes.	
	Sourie of the first and demonstrate synthesis.	μ	
	Clearly identifies questions or areas of	Point out, list, discuss and cite visual evidence from the	
Meaning	inquiry that guide and further a sustained	work to support descriptions of skills that are shown in a work of art	
	investigation.	or design.	
	Demonstrates development of a contained	Analyze, describe and articulate information about their work.	
Tranfer	Demonstrates <i>development</i> of a sustained investigation through clear written and visual	Analyze, describe and articulate information about their work.	
	evidence of practice, experimentation, and	Consider connections between the words within the description and	
	revision.	visual evidence within the work of art or design.	
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Transfer	Demonstrates advanced 2-D, 3-D, OR	Try different approaches to writing and evaluate their effectiveness	
drawing skills.		and alignment with the work in the portfolio.	
	Present accurate representations of work and	Consider, evaluate, and decide which of their artworks will be	
Transfer	work processes using digital images that have	submitted for the Sustained Investigation and Selected Works	
	clear lighting, focus and overall clarity.	sections of the AP Digital Portfolio Submission.	
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	When identifying and describing relationships	Choose one of the three portfolios.	
Acquisition	among materials, processes, and ideas of a	AP 2-D Art and Design Portfolio	
	work of art or design in writing, it is important	AP Drawing Portfolio	
	to:	AP Drawing Portfolio	
	Identify components individuallyConsider which components are used,	Students submit digital images to the College Board for possible	
	as well as why and how they are used	college credit. Scores are based on AP Art and Design scoring	
	 Use clear, concise words to provide 	rubrics (available on AP Central). This portfolio also serves as the	
	essential information about materials,	end of the year summative.	
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processes, and ideas

- Compare characteristics of one component with another, identifying similarities and differences
- Describe relationships among all three types of components (materials, processes, and ideas), giving examples of visual evidence of their connections

Acquisition

To identify, in writing, questions or inquiry that guided a sustained investigation:

- Reference documentation of questions or inquiry that were recorded
- Reflect on the questions or inquiry that were initially formulated, and on how they changed as the sustained investigation took place
- Communicate the inquiry that guided the work

Meaning, Transfer

To describe in writing how a sustained investigation through art and design shows evidence of practice, experimentation, and revision guided by a question or inquiry:

- Reference documentation of practice, experimentation, and revision guided by questions or inquiry
- Write about what was done, how it was done, and why it was done
- make strong connections between visual evidence seen in the work and the words used in writing.

Transfer

Uses descriptive and accurate art vocabulary.

The AP Art and Design Portfolio Exam Submission includes: SELECTED WORKS SECTION: (40% of Total Score)

Submit five works that demonstrate:

- 2-D/3-D/drawing skills (depending on type of portfolio submitted)
- Synthesis of materials, processes, and ideas

For each work, state the following in writing:

- Idea(s) visually evident (100 characters maximum,
- Materials used (100 characters maximum,
- Processes used (100 characters maximum,

SUSTAINED INVESTIGATION SECTION: (60% of Total Score) Submit 15 images that demonstrate:

- Sustained investigation through practice, experimentation, and revision
- Sustained investigation of materials, processes, and ideas
- Synthesis of materials, processes, and ideas
- 2-D/3-D/drawing skills (depending on type of portfolio submitted)

State the following in writing:

- Identify the questions or inquiry that guided your sustained investigation (600 characters maximum)
- Describe how your sustained investigation shows evidence of practice, experimentation, and revision guided by your questions or inquiry (600 characters maximum)
- Questions that guide the sustained investigation

Identify the following for each image:

- Materials used (100 characters maximum, including spaces)
- Processes used (100 characters maximum, including spaces)
- Size (height × width × depth, in inches)

Meaning		Weigh the decision to present their artwork(s) in the student art show viewed by the public, student body, and faculty and staff.
Ivicariiig	Demonstrates responsible behavior in a communal Art Studio.	show viewed by the public, student body, and faculty and stail.
Transfer	Sommanar / We Stadio.	Select original work for public display.
Transfer	Demonstrates the capacity to maintain	
	concentration on a task.	Suggested Activities: Introduction to, but not limited to discussion of preparing work for
Meaning Acquisition	Recognizes and understands opposing viewpoints and demonstrates the skills needed to relate to, and reflect on, and respectfully disagree with other's perspectives.	display, Set up display panels and tables, creating individual labels and naming work for display, assist visitors and the art making process, assist in striking the exhibit and storing display materials and equipment, writing about the exhibit, creating invitations, response to community
Acquisition	Evaluates and describes own and peers' work accurately, and effectively.	Rough drafts of written evidence for the AP Submission, class oral and written critiques, showcase displays to gain community feedback, lesson on taking and editing quality digital photos, lessons on technology use to upload and send digital photos,
Acquisiton	Supports and curates the gallery process during exhibitions.	instructional lessons based on AP Classroom videos, plagiarism vs. appropriation lesson, compare AP requirements and uploading to college submissions
Acquisition	Supports one another to create an attractive display.	
		OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by
		Artwork can be produced in art classes or on the student's own time and may cover a period of time longer than a single school year.
		Google Drive folders, inventory sheets, sketchbooks, interaction with art and artists outside of school community
		AP Digital Submission account

	Pre-Assessment Teacher and student evaluate the number and quality of student art pieces created. Teacher and student evaluate digital photographs taken previously. Teacher and student evaluate previous written documentation.	
Meaning Meaning Meaning Acquisition Acquisition	Teacher and student evaluate previous written documentation. Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on Teacher and students review AP requirements/expectations* and student examples of comprehensive portfolios. WE Students investigate, explore, and analyze a body of work by artist(s) of interest and inspiration to themselves. EHT Students view a body of work by a professional artist either virtually or in person. EHT Students work collaboratively to view and rehearse ideas by critiquing peer portfolios. R Students create and gather visual documentation in the form of photographs, videos, sketches, digital presentations and exploratory artwork. TO Students create and gather written evidence in the form of notes, journals, rough drafts, self evaluations, and digital presentations. TO	Progress Monitoring Students will get feedback from the teacher via formative assessment. Return and review homework. Evaluate student's written and visual documentation. Direct observation. One-on-one instruction. Comparison peer critique Presentations Review of journals/sketchbooks Evaluate digital submission sites.
Meaning	Students work collaboratively to reflect on the questions or inquiry that were initially formulated. WR	
Meaning	Students rethink, select, and refine artwork to better conform to inquiry and AP requirments.* R	

Acquisition	Students convert and upload digital photographs to AP Digital Submission portal. WEO	
Meaning	Students use google or word documents to keep track of word count and submit rough drafts of written evidence to teacher and peers for review. EREO	
Meaning	Students work collaboratively to evaluate connections between visual evidence seen in the work and the words used in writing. E	
Transfer	Students revise written evidence using clear and accurate art vocabulary. R	
Transfer	Students enter written criteria into AP Digital Submission portal in the correct format.* W	
	*Note- Though all AP students will be submitting a portfolio to the College Board as their exam, some students may also opt to submit a portfolio to specific colleges or scholarships. These requirements will also be considered during these lessons. These lessons also apply to the selection and documenting of	
	artwork for display in school or community exhibitions.	
	 Essential Resources: Digital camera and a computer equipped with image editing software and an internet connection (required for submitting digital portfolios through the AP Digital Portfolio) 	
	 Digital projector and screen for viewing and discussing works of art and design with students Area outside of the classroom to display artwork Matting and framing materials for display of artwork 	

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Traditional Crafts - Fine Arts

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New Milford's Mission Statement

The mission of the New Milford Public Schools, a collaborative partnership of students, educators, family and community, is to prepare each and every student to compete and excel in an ever-changing world, embrace challenges with vigor, respect and appreciate the worth of every human being, and contribute to society by providing effective instruction and dynamic curriculum, offering a wide range of valuable experiences, and inspiring students to pursue their dreams and aspirations.

Crafts

9th -12th Grade

The goal of this curriculum is to integrate artistic literacy as the foundation for the overarching artistic processes: creating, presenting, responding, and connecting, as defined in the National and Connecticut Core Arts Standards: "Fluency in the language of the arts is the ability to create, perform, present, respond and connect through symbolic and metaphoric forms that are unique to the arts. An artistically literate person has the ability to transfer arts knowledge, skills, experiences and capacities to other subjects, settings and contexts to promote and enhance lifelong learning." This document provides a sequential study for students to use the overarching artistic processes that are aligned with the National Core Arts Standards concepts, knowledge, and skills.

This Visual Art Crafts Curriculum will provide students with a comprehensive overview of the major Elements and Principles of artistic design with an emphasis on personal choice, self-assessment, critical thinking, and academic vocabulary, as well as hands-on, functional, and decorative art through 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional designs. Excellent craftsmanship will be stressed and students will take part in an all district art department show. Instruction is led through a sequentially/vertically aligned standards based, concept driven, student centered learning activities, that include social emotional learning competencies so that students can discover their creativity and become proficient in applying the knowledge and skills in order to innovate and create aesthetic visual compositions. Students will apply academic language and vocabulary within the context of critical thinking, communication, collaboration, and creativity required of 21st century citizens. Students will be assessed to demonstrate evidence of their learning and success.

This is a one semester course in which students will attend an 80 minute class period every other day based on the high school's A/B rotating schedule.

NATIONAL CORE ARTS STANDARDS



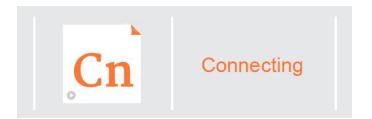
Conceiving and developing new artistic ideas and work.



Presenting (visual arts): Interpreting and sharing artistic work.



Understanding and evaluating how the arts convey meaning.



Relating artistic ideas and work with personal meaning and external context.

The **Vision of the Graduate** articulates the school district, community and the Art Department aspirations for each student by developing and communicating the skills, dispositions, and specific attitudes which identify desired outcomes for students who graduate from New Milford Public Schools.

VISION OF A GRADUATE

LIFE, LEARNING, AND CAREERS BEYOND

Communication

Recognizing audience. Actively listens. Advocates for themselves. Allowing productive discourse

Critical Thinking

The ability to use information in original and creative ways to solve problems

Problem Solving

The ability to define a problem, evaluate options, and persevere through to find a solution

Growth Mindset

The ability to set goals, develop an action plan and seeks opportunities for personal growth

Personal Relationships & Social Awareness

The ability to demonstrate an understanding, acceptance, and respect of others' differences

Self-management

The ability to set and pursue personal and professional goals through self-advocacy, time-management, preparation, and organization.

FOCUS | HEART | COMMUNICATION | CREATIVITY

Pacing/Implementation Guide

Units	Pages	Timeline
Unit 1 - Introduction/SEL	Pages 8-14	Semester 1 September - January
Unit 2 - Creating and Connecting	Pages 15-21	Semester 2 January-June
Unit 3 - Presenting	Pages 22-29	1- Introduction/SEL- Ongoing
Unit 4 - Mid-term/Final Assessments	Pages 30-33	2 - Creating and Connecting - Ongoing 3 - Presenting - Ongoing
A comprehensive overview of the Elements and Principles of artistic design with an emphasis on personal choice, self-assessment, critical thinking, and academic vocabulary through 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional art		(District Wide Art Show - Cumulative - End of Year) 4 - Mid-term/Final Assessment (mid-term/final exam week)
Elements of Design - Line, Shape, Color, Value, Texture, Space, Form		The estimated time may be revised. It is to assist teachers for planning purposes, mid semester check in, and final exams. The developers recognize the task has many purposes and implementation strategies and times are highly teacher
Principles of Design - Balance, Movement, Pattern, Rhythm, Unity, Contrast, Emphasis		dependent. In all cases, time estimates are to be used as a guideline.

NCAS Anchor Standard 1:

Generate and conceptualize artistic ideas and work.

NCAS Anchor Standard 10:

Synthesize and relate knowledge and personal experiences to make art.

SEL Competency-

05 Responsible Decision Making and Connecting

01 Self Management and Creating

Transfer

Students will be able to independently use their learning to...

HS Proficient VA:Cr1.1.la - Use multiple approaches to begin creative endeavors.

HS Proficient VA:Cn10.1.la - Document the process of developing ideas from early stages to fully elaborated ideas.

17 SEL Learning Competency - Develop, implement and model effective problem solving and critical thinking skills

06 SEL Learning Competency - Recognize the skills needed to establish and achieve personal and educational goals

UNDERSTANDINGS

Students will understand that...

Creativity and innovative thinking are essential life skills that can be developed.

Through art-making, people make meaning by investigating and developing awareness of perceptions, knowledge, and experiences.

Artists rely upon problem solving, critical thinking, and personal perspective when making creative choices.

Artists consider the impact of decisions made during the creative process.

Meaning

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS Students will keep considering...

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?

How does engaging in creating art enrich people's lives?

How does making art attune people to their surroundings?

How do people contribute to awareness and understanding of their lives and the lives of their communities through art-making?

	How does the recognition of one's feelings, thoughts, strengths and challenges impact the iterative process of preparing for a performance/presentation and inform the final product? How do varying degrees of self-confidence affect the performance/presentation/production of artistic works?
Acq	uisition
Students will know	Students will be skilled at
Creativity, thinking, life skills, art making, people, meaning, awareness, perceptions, knowledge, experiences, artists, problem, thinking, perspective, choices, impact, decisions, process	Developing, making, investigating, solving, and considering

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
	FURTHER INFORMATION:	PERFORMANCE TASK(S):
(A) Acquisition	Students identify and apply the Elements and	Students will show that they really understand evidence of
	Principles of Design to their planning of artwork.	Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studio
	Plan and select designs that demonstrate a	practice of design ideas.
	synthesis of well-organized, original, quality	Application and incorporation of concepts of the Elements and Principles
	designs.	of Design.
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	Identify one's strengths and next steps for	Demonstrating the role of a novice studio artist.
	reinforcing areas of need.	
		Students and peers will evaluate each other regarding required criteria
		based on their trial and error.
		Students will collaboratively reflect and revise each other's artwork.
		Log/journal of project progress through the initial concept, execution, and
(M) Meaning		final stages.
	Use personal choice, correct technique and academic language while demonstrating and	
	supporting knowledge of the planning process.	Evaluate how expressing one's emotions in different situations affects
	copporang internouge of the planning process.	oneself and others
	Responsible decision making is needed to work	Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studie
	successfully in a communal studio.	Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studio practice of design ideas.
		practice of design ideas.
	Evaluating and describing their own and peers'	Students and peers will evaluate each other regarding required criteria
	work accurately, and effectively.	based on their trial and error.
(T) Transfer	Through critical analysis and curating a collection	Regularly demonstrate use of systematic decision-making by identifying a
	of artwork based on differing sets of criteria, students will consider the impact of works of art	decision, gathering information, and assessing alternative resolutions
	on the values and behaviors of society.	
	Students will investigate methods for displaying,	
	preserving, and protecting art.	
	Applies and supports knowledge of various	
	technique(s) through trial and error of various	

supplies and techniques and proper use of media with a focus on appropriate safety techniques and care of materials.

Students apply the creative process and how it involves their work of art.

Self assessing and revising artwork throughout the artmaking process.

Apply academic language.

Reflecting and adjusting their artwork through detailed rubrics

6 Facets of Understanding

GRASPS

Goal/challenge - To be successful and responsible in a communal studio. Choose from a range of materials and methods of traditional and contemporary artistic practices to plan works of art and design.

Role - High school art student

Audience - Your target audience is your teacher and our school community.

Situation - School community. Art studio

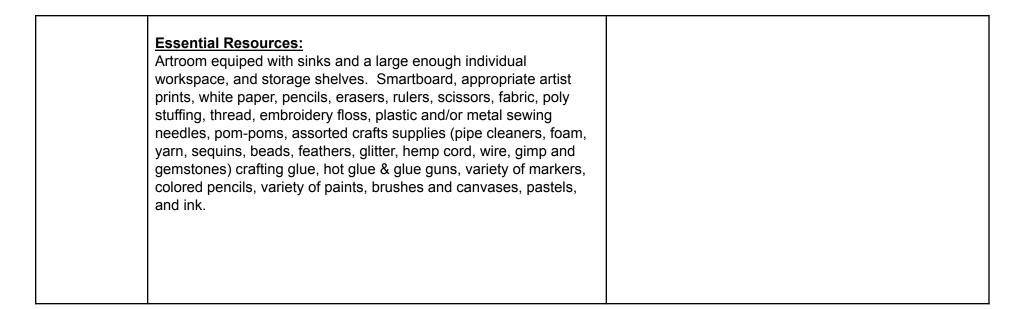
Products and performances generated by students - To become familiar with the art studio. To plan and design hand-made works of usable art Standards/criteria for judging success - Rubrics, Ongoing formative/summative assessments, feedback

Suggested Activities:

Discuss class contracts and syllabus. Introduction to the room and class expectations. Participate in group discussions of studio rules. Design an artist's portfolio and folder with craft vocabulary. Introduction to, but not limited to cultural traditions of mandalas textile design, stenciling, jewelry, calligraphy, weaving, mosaics, fabric painting, sculptures, cultural masks, and embroidered samplers. Students may be introduced to the Byzantine, Roman and Greek styles of art, Hindu and Buddhist designs. Visual artists Sonia King and Maurice Bennett - mosaic artists. Shannon Rankin and Armelie Caron - textile artists. Students may experiment with any variety of appropriate art materials to generate an original and organized artwork incorporating the elements and principles.

OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by Using academic language in reflection, artists statements, or "I can" to discuss artwork
Assessments: Rubrics, self/peer assessments, ongoing formative/summative assessments, feedback, all linked to unit standards and objectives

(M) Meaning	Pre-Assessment District wide baseline assessments to check prior knowledge	
	Formative assessments	
(M) Meaning	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on WHERETO Students will synthesize their subject for a studio project according to project requirements. HERT	Progress Monitoring Formative assessments • Teacher feedback through the planning and creating processes • Review and conferencing of sketchbooks/portfolios • Evaluate vocabulary usage • Teacher rubrics
(A) Acquisition	Compare and contrast specific language and vocabulary of crafts WHER	Summative assessments : ● Direct observation of student work ● Specific feedback ● One-on-one instruction ● Student/peer rubric ● Presentations ● Reflections and feedback during discussions and
	Introduction to class studio, tools, discusses contracts and portfolios. WHETO	critiques •
	Teacher introduces different possible projects and the processes WHETO	
(T) Transfer	Students maintain and safely use tools and equipment. WEO	
	Teacher and students analyze the use of Elements and principles of Design and techniques. WHETO	
	Students perform the appropriate sequence for studio work and creative processes, classroom procedure and clean-up. WEO	
	Teacher will coach students to enhance their artwork through individual skill, personal choice and student collaboration. TER	
	Students will self assess, and peers work while in progress for further revision. TER	



	Transfer		
NCAS Anchor Standard 2: Organize and develop artistic ideas and work.	Students will be able to independently use their learning to HS Proficient VA:Cr2.1.la - Engage in making a work of art or design without having a preconceived plan.		
NCAS Anchor Standard 11: Relate artistic ideas and works with societal, cultural, and historical	personal responses to art.		
context to deepen understanding	18 SEL Learning Competency Identify the consequences associated with one's actions in order to make constructive choices		
SEL Learning Competency - 05 Responsible Decision Making	07 SEL Learning Competency Identify and apply valternative methods to achieve one's goals	ways to persevere or overcome barriers through	
and Connecting	Me	eaning	
and Connecting	UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS	
02 Self Management and Perform/Present/Produce	Students will understand that Artists and designers experiment with forms, structures, materials, concepts, media, and art-making approaches	Students will keep considering 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?	
	People develop ideas and understandings of		
	society, culture, and history through their interactions with and analysis of art. Artists rely upon problem solving, critical thinking,	How does art help us understand the lives of people of different times, places, and cultures? How is art used to impact the views of a society? How does art preserve aspects of life?	
	and personal perspective when making creative choices. Artists consider the impact of decisions made during the creative process.	In what ways does an artist consider personal, ethical, safety, and civic impact when making decisions as part of the creative process?	
		How do perceptions, interpretations, and application of criteria affect one's view of artistic works?	

Acquisition	
Students will know	Students will be skilled at
Artists, designers, experiment, forms, structures, materials, concepts, media, art, people, ideas, understandings of society, cultures, and history, interactions, analysis, thinking skills, perspective, choices, artists, impacts, decisions, process,	Making, developing, relying, solving, considering, implementing

STAGE 2

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
(A) Acquisition	Students identify the Creative Process.	PERFORMANCE TASK(S):
		Students will show that they really understand evidence of
	Artworks supports proper use and knowledge of	
	various techniques	Students will correctly apply media techniques to appropriately produce
		their original artwork.
	Use of academic language	
(M) Meaning		Application and incorporation of the Elements and Principles of Design.
	Artwork supports multiple approaches, and a	
	range of materials and methods, to formulate new	Identify helpful questions to use when determining consequences of
	directions for art work to influence perceptions	decisions.
	and understanding of human experiences.	Decrease tractions the could of a developing antist. Determine the atoms
	Otodonto villalan anno the anno den anno anno lle	Demonstrating the role of a developing artist. Determine the steps
	Students will plan concept-based, personally	needed to reflect a personal design and determine what culture inspires
	meaningful artwork and analyze how the world is	their work.
	affected by visual imagery in a variety of local, cultural, and historical contexts.	Can independently utilize a decision-making model to provide rationale for
	Cultural, and historical contexts.	a decision.
	Artwork that demonstrates a synthesis of skill,	a decision.
	technique, personal choice using correct	Assess lessons learned from experiences and mistakes.
	technique.	7 toocoo leosono learnea from experiences ana mistakes.
	tooquo.	Continue to build upon and strengthen the ability to identify strategies that
	Artwork demonstrates the appropriate use of the	will make use of available resources to assist in overcoming obstacles
	Elements and Principles of Design	and achieving goals.
		Use creativity, problem solving, and innovation to generate multiple
(T) Transfer	Students apply the proper steps in creating	possible solutions when experiencing obstacles.
	design.	
	Demonstrates the creative process and how it	Students and peers will evaluate each other's progress regarding criteria
	involves their work.	based on trial and error. Collaborate with reflection and revision of each
		other's work.
	Demonstrates the capacity to maintain	
	concentration and stay on task.	Logging/journaling/sketching progress through each stage of design.
	Relates subjects to various cultures and	Weighing the decision to present their artwork(s) in a District Wide art
	differences	show viewed by the school community and the public

(T) Transfer	App
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Applies trial and error while reflecting and revising

Performs in a safe and responsible manner.

Works neatly and with focus

Understand and be able to demonstrate how to effectively communicate with others in a variety of situations.

Evaluating and describing their own and peers' work accurately, and effectively.

Select artwork for the student art show.

6 Facets of Understanding

GRASPS

Goal/challenge - Through experimentation, practice, and persistence, demonstrate acquisition of skills and knowledge in a chosen art form. Role - High school art student

Audience - Your target audience is your teacher and our school community.

Situation - School community. Art studio.

Products and performances generated by students - To develop usable and functional art based on either an idea, emotion, or social issue. Standards/criteria for judging success - Rubrics, Ongoing formative/summative assessments, feedback

Suggested Activities

Introduction to, but not limited to cultural traditions of Mandalas and Masks from around the world. Textile designs and embroidered samplers influenced by Ancient Chinese artists, Early American and European Art. Stenciling, fabric painting, jewelry, calligraphy, weaving as usable and functional art. Plan, research the history of Mosaics and create a decorative and functional piece. Students may be introduced to the Byzantine, Roman and Greek styles of art, Hindu and Buddhist designs. Visual artists Sonia King and Maurice Bennett - mosaic artists. Shannon Rankin and Armelie Caron - textile artists. Students may experiment with the basic art tools and materials such as markers (permanent and washable, various types of paints, palette, brushes, embroidery materials (hoop, floss, and needles), mosaic supplies (tesserae, backer board, tile nips, grout), xacto knife, pliers, scissors, textiles, adhesives (rubber cement, white glue, glue gun, tape, tile adhesive) wire, beads, carving tools, plaster, yarn, fabrics etc. to generate an original and organized artwork incorporating the elements and principles.

OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by Using academic language in reflection, artists statements, or "I can" to discuss artwork Assessments: Rubrics, self/peer assessments, ongoing formative/summative assessments, feedback, all linked to unit standards and objectives Preparation and planning to present semester work in either, but not limited to, showcase display, District Wide Art Show, Senior Art Show,
State and/or National Exhibitions.

	Pre-Assessment	
(M) Meaning	District wide baseline assessments to check prior knowledge	
	Formative assessments	
(A) Acquisition	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on WHERETO Teacher introduces different possible projects and the processes WHETO Teacher introduces new vocabulary and concepts. WHETO Teacher demonstrates the steps needed to design 2-D or 3-D designs. WHEO	Progress Monitoring Formative assessments • Teacher feedback through the planning and creating processes • Review and conferencing of sketchbooks/portfolios • Evaluate vocabulary usage • Teacher rubrics • Summative assessments : • Direct observation of student work • Specific feedback • One-on-one instruction • Student/peer rubric • Presentations • Reflections and feedback during discussions and critiques •
(M) Meaning	Teacher conferences with students to help choose the best design and application for their selected piece. HERT Analyze why art is made and will discuss different cultural approaches and materials used to create art. WHERT Students will synthesize their subject for a studio project according	
(T) Transfer	to project requirements. WHERTO Students will compare and contrast a variety of art from different time periods and cultures. WHERT Students will experience and apply working with new materials. WHET Students will design and execute artwork that integrates interdisciplinary knowledge. WHERTO	

(T) Transfer

Coach students to enhance their artwork through individual skill, personal choice and student collaboration. TER

Students incorporate the use of the Elements and Principles within their design. WHETO

Students practice following directions in sequence for the creative processes, classroom procedure and clean-up. WEO

Students maintain and safely use tools and equipment. WEO

Students apply the appropriate tools and techniques according to project requirements. HERT

Students will evaluate their finished project. E

Students will self/peer assess work while in progress for further revision. TER

Essential Resources:

Artroom equiped with sinks and a large enough individual workspace, and storage shelves. Smartboard, appropriate artist prints, white paper, pencils, erasers, rulers, scissors, fabric, poly stuffing, thread, embroidery floss, plastic and/or metal sewing needles, pom-poms, assorted crafts supplies (pipe cleaners, foam, yarn, sequins, beads, feathers, glitter, hemp cord, wire, gimp and gemstones) crafting glue, hot glue & glue guns, variety of markers, colored pencils, variety of paints, brushes and canvases, pastels, and ink.

NCAS Anchor Standard 3: Refine and complete artistic work.

NCAS Anchor Standard 4: Select, analyze, and interpret artistic work for presentation

SEL Learning Competency -

02 Self Management and Perform/Present/Produce

Transfer

Students will be able to independently use their learning to...

HS Proficient 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 progress

HS Proficient VA:Pr4.1.la - Analyze, select, and curate artifacts and/or artworks for presentation and preservation

05 SEL Learning Competency - Understand and practice strategies for managing one's own emotions, thoughts and behaviors

Meaning

UNDERSTANDINGS

Students will understand that...

Artists and designers develop excellence through practice and constructive critique, reflecting on, revising, and refining work over time.

Artists and other presenters consider various techniques, methods, venues, and criteria when analyzing, selecting, and curating artworks for preservation and presentation.

Artists analyze, evaluate, and refine their presentation/performance/production over time through openness to new ideas, persistence, and the application of appropriate criteria

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS

Students will keep considering...

What role does persistence play in revising, 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 completely?

How do artists' processes and skills for managing emotions impact practice/rehearsal/refinement strategies and the quality of their presentation, production or performance?

Acquisition	
Students will know	Students will be skilled at
Artists, designers, excellence, practice, critique, refining work, time, techniques, methods, venues, criteria, artworks, preservation, presentation, performance, production, openness to new ideas, persistence, application, criteria	Revising, reflecting, refining, developing, analyzing, curating, selecting, evaluating

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
(A) Acquisition	Selecting original work for public display Apply personal choice using academic language Reflecting on their artwork through the clay process and meaning.	PERFORMANCE TASK(S): Students will show that they really understand evidence of Accepting the role of a developing artist. Application and incorporation of concepts of the Elements of Art.
(M) Meaning	Analyze and evaluate works of other artists. Support and curate the gallery process. Supporting each other to create an attractive display.	Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studio practice of design ideas. Identify one's strengths, and next steps for reinforcing areas of need. Students and peers will evaluate each other regarding required project criteria. Assess lessons learned from experiences and mistakes. Collaboration with reflection and revision of each other's artwork.
(T) Transfer	Demonstrate the capacity to maintain concentration on a task. Artwork is done neatly, and with focus. Demonstrate the creative process and how it involves their work of art Recognize and understand opposing viewpoints and demonstrate the skills needed to relate to, and reflect on, and respectfully disagree with other's perspectives. Understand and be able to demonstrate how to	Logging/journaling/sketching of project progress through the initial concept, execution, and final stages. Weighing the decision to present their artwork(s) in the student art show viewed by the public, student body, and faculty and staff.

(T) Transfer	situations. Evaluating and describing their own and peers' work accurately, and effectively.	6 Facets of Understanding
	Select artwork for the student art show.	GRASPS Goal/challenge - To prepare and participate in a high quality group art exhibit Role for student - High School Student Audience for student work - Teacher, the school community and the New Milford Community Situation - School Community. Art Studio Products and performances generated by student - Standards/criteria for judging success - Rubrics, ongoing formative/summative assessments, feedback
		Suggested Activities: Introduction to, but not limited to discussion of preparing work for display, Set up display panels and tables, Creating individual labels and naming work for display, assist visitors and the art making process, assist in striking the exhibit and storing display materials and equipment, writing about the exhibit, creating invitations, response to community

	OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by Using academic language in reflection, artists statements, or "I can" to discuss artwork Assessments: Rubrics, self/peer assessments, ongoing formative/summative assessments, feedback, all linked to unit standards and objectives Preparation and planning to present semester work in either, but not limited to, showcase display, District Wide Art Show, Senior Art Show, State and/or National Exhibitions.

(M) Meaning	Pre-Assessment Teacher will check students' prior knowledge with the District-Wide Baseline Assessment. Teacher will check students' prior knowledge through prior formative assessments. Prior knowledge of the major Elements and Principles of artistic design with an emphasis on personal choice, self-assessment, critical thinking, and use of academic vocabulary, as well as hands-on, functional, and decorative art through 2-dimensional and/or 3-dimensional designs. Excellent craftsmanship will be stressed through formative assessment.				
	Summary of Key Learning Events and Instruction	Progress Monitoring			
(A) Acquisition	Student success at transfer meaning and acquisition depends on WHERETO	Formative assessments • Teacher feedback through the planning and creating processes • Review and			
	Teacher conferences with students to help choose their best piece. HERT	conferencing of journaling/sketchbooks/portfolios • Evaluate vocabulary usage • Teacher rubrics evaluations			
	Criteria requirements for a final assessment is discussed. WHETO				
(M) Meaning	Students summarize the use of Elements and Principles of Design, creative process and process of mediums used in their final project. WHETO	 Summative assessments ● Direct observation of student work ● Specific feedback ● One-on-one instruction ● Student/peer rubric ● Presentations/Display when appropriate during Midterm and Final exams 			
	Teacher will coach students to enhance their artwork through individual skill, personal choice and student collaboration. TER				
	Teacher will evaluate their finished presentation. E				
	Students will self assess work by journaling/logging/sketching of the process for further revision. WHERETO				
	Students will select and defend their piece(s) for a student art exhibit. WHERETO				

Students practice following directions in sequence for the creative processes, classroom procedure and clean-up. WEO Students maintain and safely use tools and equipment. WEO Students create a proposal for a final project. WHERETO Teacher coaches students in preparation for and set up display of selected piece(s).WHERETO Essential Resources: Artroom equiped with sinks and a large enough individual workspace, and storage shelves. Smartboard, tape, matte board, railroad board, labels, string, staples, display panels, boxes and shelving. White paper, pencils, erasers, rulers, scissors, fabric, assorted crafts supplies (hemp cord, wire crafting glue, hot glue & glue guns, variety of markers).

NCAS Anchor Standard 2:	Transfer				
Organize and develop artistic ideas and work	Students will be able to independently us	e their learning to			
NCAS Anchor Standard 8: Interpret intent and meaning in artistic work.	HS Accomplished VA:Cr2.1.lla- Through experimentation, practice, and persistence, demonstrate acquisition of skills and knowledge in a chosen art form.				
	HS Proficient VA:Re8.1.la- Interpret an artwork or sufficient evidence found in the work and its various	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •			
NCAS Anchor Standard 10: Synthesize and relate knowledge and personal experiences to make art.	HS Proficient VA:Cn10.1.la- Document the process of developing ideas from early stages to fully elaborated ideas.				
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	UNDERSTANDINGS	ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS			
	Students will understand that	Students will keep considering			
	Artists and designers experiment with forms,				
	structures, materials, concepts, media, and	How do artists work? How do artists and designers			
	art-making approaches.	determine whether a particular direction in their work is effective?			
	People gain insights into meanings of artworks by				
	engaging in the process of art criticism.	How does knowing and using visual art vocabularies help us understand and interpret works of art?			
	Through art-making, people make meaning by				
	investigating and developing awareness of	How does engaging in creating art enrich people's			
	perceptions, knowledge, and experience	lives?			
		uisition			
	Students will know	Students will be skilled at			
	Artists and designers, forms, structures,	working, determining, using vocabularies,			
	materials, concepts, media, approaches,	understanding, interpreting, engaging, enriching.			
	insights, meanings, artworks, criticism,				
	awareness, perceptions, knowledge, and				
	experiences.				

STAGE 2

Code	Evaluative Criteria	Assessment Evidence
	Further information:	PERFORMANCE TASK(S):
(A) Acquisition	Artwork that demonstrates a synthesis of skill	Students will show that they really understand evidence of
(A) Acquisition /(M) Meaning/	Artwork that demonstrates a synthesis of skill, technique, original thought, personal choice using	Application and incorporation of concepts of the Elements and Principles
(T) Transfer	correct technique.	of Art.
		Investigative and experimental techniques through method and studio
(A) Acquisition	Selects and states proposal of final assessment	practice of design ideas.
()	Identify one's strengths and areas of	Identify one's strengths, and areas of weakness, for reinforcement.
	improvement.	Incorporate effective use of the artistic process
	Demonstrates use of appropriate safety techniques and care of materials.	Log/journal/sketch of project progress through the initial concept, execution, and final stages.
(NA) NA i		Teacher will evaluate student work regarding required project criteria.
(M) Meaning	Applies appropriate studio behavior.	
	Artwork supports knowledge of various techniques	
	and proper use of materials and tools.	Suggested activities: Possible, but not limited to, the students proposing to reflect their artwork through the creative process. Log/journals/sketches
	Summarizes their artwork through the creative process.	may include a form of electronic visual and written portfolio such as Canva, Flip-grid, See-Saw, etc. Evaluation/rubric will be provided by the teacher. Participation in student art shows when appropriate.
(T) Transfer	Evaluating and describing their own work accurately, and effectively.	
	Student constructs initial proposal of final project.	
	Artwork demonstrates the appropriate use of the Elements and/or Principles of Design.	
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(T) Transfer	Students demonstrate the appropriate steps in the artmaking processes.	
	Defend their creative process and how it involves their work of art.	
	Demonstrates trial and error with medium.	
	Use of academic language.	
		OTHER EVIDENCE: Students will show they have achieved Stage 1 goals by
		Using academic language in reflection, artists statements, or "I can" to discuss artwork
		Assessments: Rubrics, self/peer assessments, ongoing formative/summative assessments, feedback, all linked to unit standards and objectives
		Preparation and planning to present semester work in either, but not limited to, showcase display, District Wide Art Show, Senior Art Show, State and/or National Exhibitions.

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Pre-Assessment					
Teacher will consider students' initial project proposals.					
Teacher will check students' prior knowledge of the major Elements and Principles of artistic design with an emphasis on personal choice, self-assessment, critical thinking, and use of academic vocabulary, as well as hands-on, functional, and decorative art through 2-dimensional and/or 3-dimensional designs. Excellent craftsmanship will be stressed through formative assessment.					
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(T) Transfer	Teacher conferences with students on final projects throughout the entire process. WHETO	
	Students create their final project. WHERETO	
	Students keep a log/journal of the entire clay and creative processes. WHETO	
	Students maintain and safely use tools and equipment. WEO	
	Essential Resources:	
	Artroom equiped with sinks and a large enough individual workspace, and storage shelves. Smartboard, appropriate artist prints, white paper, pencils, erasers, rulers, scissors, fabric, poly stuffing, thread, embroidery floss, plastic and/or metal sewing needles, pom-poms, assorted crafts supplies (pipe cleaners, foam, yarn, sequins, beads, feathers, glitter, hemp cord, wire, gimp and gemstones) crafting glue, hot glue & glue guns, variety of markers, colored pencils, variety of paints, brushes and canvases, pastels, and ink.	

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Business & Practical Arts/	Intro to Business Technology 6-8 Marketing I Accounting I Web Design II Freshman Seminar	Website Design I Adv. Auto CAD Machine Drafting Computer Science (SMS) AP Computer Science Principles Personal Finance II	Arch Drafting I Intro to Programming Personal Finance I Accounting II College AP Computer Science A	Basic Auto CAD Business Computer App. Arch. Drafting I Marketing II General Woodworking Intro to Woodworking	Computer Literacy Sports & Entertainment Business Law Projects Unlimited Arch. Drafting II Arch. Drafting III
Technology					
English/ Language Arts K-12	Creative Writing Advanced Creative Writing Theater Workshop Science Fiction	Any not written 2021-2024 Journalism I Journalism II AP Lit and Composition	English I, II, III CP and Honors Literature and Media Studies Intro to Video Production Public Speaking	AP Lang. & Composition Advance Video Production Sports Literature Graphic Novels Studies	Children's Literature CP/Honors Modern and Contemporary Poetry World Literature and Culture Diverse Voices Writing & Research Workshop'

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Fine Arts K-12		Advertising Art & Design Sculpture Portfolio Digital Photography Graphic Design	Design Foundations I & II AP Art History Honors AP Art History	K-2 Art 3-5 Art Grade 8 Art Grade 7 Art Grade 6 Art	Crafts Ceramics I Ceramics II Sculpture AP Studio Art Honors Studio Art
Library Media K-12		K-2 Library Media 3-5 Library Media 6-8 Library Media '' 9-12 Library Media			
Mathematics K-12	Intro to Alg II Alg II CP Alg II Honors	Pre-Algebra (SMS) Intro. to Alg 1 (NMHS) Algebra I Honors Algebra I CP AP Statistics Statistics CP Statistics Honors Grades K-5 (grade level bands)	AP Calc AB AP Calc BC Calc Honors Pre-Calc Honors Adv. Algebra & Trig. Algebra III * ½ Geo CP * ½ Geo Honors * ½ Statistics CP 1 * ½ Statistics CP 2 * ½ Statistics H 1 * ½ Statistics H 2	Practical Math Percent: Practical Math Statistics: Practical Math Measure: ' Practical Math Probability: Grades 6 Grade 7 Grade 8	Intro to Geometry Geometry CP Honors Geometry Accel 6 Accel 7

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Music K-12	Grade 6-8 General Music Grade 9-12 Instr. Music	Grades K-2 Gen. Music Grades 3-5 Gen. Music	Advanced Chorus Grades 9-12 Chorus	History of Am. Music Theater Music Appreciation Music Theory Elec. Music Tech. Orchestra Wind Ensemble Honors	Grades 3-5 Choral Grades 6-8 Choral Music
Guidance PE Health K-12	Health K-2 Health 3-5	All in grade bands Guidance 3-5 Guidance 6-8 Guidance 9-12 (grade bands)	Allied Health. Careers Health I Health II Health 6-8 Sports Medicine	PE I PE II PE III & IV K-2 PE 3-5 PE 6-8 PE	EMT Medical Technology
Science K-12	Ecology I Fall Ecology II Spring Physics CP & Honors AP Physics I AP Physics II Integrated Science CP & Honors	Digital Electronics (PLTW) Engineering Design & Development (PLTW) Principles of Engineering"(PLTW) Civil Engineering & Architecture (PLTW)	Anat./Phys Honors I Anat./Phys Honors II Forensic Science Plant Science I Plant Science II	Biology CP Biology Honors AP Biology Astronomy	AP Environmental Science AP Chemistry Exper. Chemistry CP Chemistry Chemistry Honors Introduction to Engineering Design (PLTW)

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Social Studies K-12	AP Psychology Russian Studies Honors AP Government	Grades K-2 Grades 3-5 Grades 6-8 Sociology Chinese Studies Honors Forensic Psychology AP World History	IIntellectual History Honors Intro to Psychology Middle East Studies	AP US History World History Grade 9 Modern World History Grade 10 World History Honors	US History Modern America Economics Civics AP Microeconomics AP Human Geography
World Languages 7-12	French I CP German I CP Spanish I CP French 1a French 1b Spanish 1a Spanish 1b	French II CP French II Honors German II CP German II Honors Spanish II CP Spanish II Honors	French III CP French III Honors German III CP German III Honors Spanish III CP Spanish III Honors	AP French AP German AP Spanish	French IV CP French IV Honors German IV CP German IV Honors Spanish IV CP Spanish IV Honors