Cocalico School District Year-at-a-Glance - Curriculum Overview

Department: Art Course: Independent Study/Portfolio Grade Level: 10-12

Big Ideas

- Students will implement techniques, elements and principles of the arts, which can be learned, studied, refined and practiced.
- Students will use tools and resources as well as their own experiences and skills to create art.
- Students will learn how to share their experiences and ideas through the arts.
- Students will learn about the historical, cultural and social context of an individual's work in the arts.
- Students will learn how to analyze of a work of art from its historical and cultural perspectives.
- Students will implement, explain and apply the critical examination processes of works in the arts and humanities.
- Students will learn how artists evaluate an individual's philosophical statement on a work in the arts and its relationship to one's own life based on knowledge and experiences.
- Students will learn about vocabulary used between the arts and humanities.

Units of Study	% of Course Time	Textbooks & Supplemental Materials	Assessments	Standards Addressed
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Production, Performance and	70%	Includes but not limited	• Quiz	• 9.1.A,B, C, E, F,
Exhibition		to: pencil and paper	Integrated	I, K
• Know and use the elements and		Teacher created	throughout all	
principles of each art form to		tutorial(s)	student	
create works in the arts and humanities			demonstrations	
			Art Show	
 Recognize, know, use and demonstrate a variety of 				
appropriate arts elements and principles to produce, review and				
revise original works in the arts				
Integrate and apply advanced				
vocabulary to the arts forms				
 Delineate a unifying theme 				
through the production of a work				
of art that reflects skills in media				
processes and techniques				
 Analyze works of arts influenced 				
by experiences or historical and				
cultural events through				
production, performance or				
exhibition				
 Distinguish among a variety of 				
regional arts events and resources				
and analyze methods of selection				
and admission				
 Analyze and evaluate the use of 				
traditional and contemporary				
technologies in furthering				
knowledge and understanding in				
the humanities				
Historical and Cultural Context	20%	Includes but not limited	• Quiz	• 9.2.A,C,D,E,F,G
 Explain the historical, cultural 		to: acrylic paint, colored	Rubric	
and social context of an		pencil, paint brushes,	• Student	
individual work in the arts		canvas board/paper	demonstration	
• Relate works in the arts to varying		Teacher created	Art Show	
styles and genre and to the		tutorial(s)		

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periods in which they were created Analyze a work of art from its historical and cultural perspective Analyze how historical events and culture impact forms, techniques and purposes of works in the arts Know and apply appropriate vocabulary used between social studies and the arts and humanities Relate works in the arts around the world							
Critical Response in the Arts and Humanities Explain and apply the critical examination processes of works in the arts and humanities Determine and apply criteria to a person's work and works of others in the arts Apply systems of classification for interpreting works in the arts and forming a critical response Analyze the processes of criticism used to compare the meanings of a work in the arts in both its own and present time	5%	Includes but not limited to: pencil, illustrative markers/pens, paper/illustration board Teacher created tutorial(s)	 Quiz Rubric Student demonstration Art Show 	• 9.3.A,B,C,F			
Aesthetic Response in the Arts and Humanities • Evaluate an individual's philosophical statement on a work in the arts and its relationship to one's own life based on knowledge and experience • Describe and analyze the effects that works in the arts have on groups, individuals and the cultures • Compare and contrast the attributes of various audiences' environments as they influence individual aesthetic response • Analyze and interpret a philosophical position identified in works in the arts and humanities	5%	Includes but not limited to: Acrylic paint, paint brushes, canvas board Teacher created tutorial(s)	Quiz Rubric Student demonstration Art Show	• 9.4.A,B,C,D			



Eagle P.A.C.T. Course Connections:

Independent Study/Portfolio students implement problem solving skills in order to explore the various aspects of art to communicate their thoughts visually through media, respond to aesthetics, communicate in diverse environments, incorporate feedback effectively, and deal positively with praise and criticism.

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