

BLUE VALLEY DISTRICT CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

Visual Arts | High School/Sculpture I



ORGANIZING THEME/TOPIC

FOCUS STANDARDS & SKILLS

UNIT 1: ARMATURE BASED SCULPTURE Suggested projects: figurative, Design Based, gestural, portraiture	 SKILLS Utilize the planning process to turn a two-dimensional design into a three-dimensional sculpture. Explore the use of line in sculpture / 3-D space Develop appropriate proportions for the work Develop structural integrity or strength Create original works of art that demonstrate personal visual expression.
UNIT 2: ADDITIVE SCULPTURE Suggested projects: Found Object, Recycled, cardboard, Foam, Reed / Rice Paper	 SKILLS Develop form from individual parts Explore various joining methods. Develop unity through the various parts Develop structural integrity or strength for each sculpture. Create original works of art that demonstrate personal visual expression.
UNIT 3: SUBRTRACTIVE SCULPTURE Suggested Projects: Plaster, Alabaster, Foam	 SKILLS Incorporate effective negative space Develop skills to think in reverse (taking away materials) Create various levels of relief (low, high, transitions) Create original works of art that demonstrate personal visual expression.
UNIT 4: COLLABORATIVE SCULPTURE Suggested Projects: Claymation, Large Scale Commission, Interactive Mask photo shoot	 SKILLS Identify appropriate materials to meet objectives Develop team work and communications skills Delegate labor and tasks Reflect and analyze work through various stages of development. Use studio practices to maintain tools, conserve materials, and work efficiently



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UNIT 1: ARMATURED BASED SCULPTURE Suggested projects: figurative, Design Based, gestural, portraiture	 SKILLS Continue to utilize the planning process to turn a two-dimensional design into a three-dimensional sculpture. Expand the use of line in sculpture / 3-D space to convey a specific visual idea or effect Develop appropriate proportions for the work
	 Demonstrate mastery of structural integrity or strength Create original works of art that demonstrate personal visual expression.
UNIT 2: ADDITIVE SCULPTURE Suggested projects: Found Object, Recycled, cardboard, Foam, Reed / Rice Paper	 SKILLS Develop form from individual parts Refine various joining methods. Develop unity through the various parts Elaborate on methods of structural integrity or strength for each sculpture. Create original works of art that demonstrate personal visual expression.
UNIT 3: SUBTRACTIVE SCULPTURE Suggested Projects: Plaster, Alabaster, Foam	SKILLS Utilize effective use of negative space to create visually advanced concepts Further develop skills to think in reverse (taking away materials) Use various levels of relief (low, high, transitions) to convey a specific visual idea or effect Create original works of art that demonstrate personal visual expression.
UNIT 4: COLLABORATIVE SCULPTURE Suggested Projects: Claymation, Large Scale Commission, Interactive Mask photo shoot	SKILLS Explore innovative, sustainable, or technologically advanced materials to meet objectives Develop team work and communications skills Delegate labor and tasks Reflect and analyze work through various stages of development. Use studio practices to maintain tools, conserve materials, and work efficiently