Creating	6 th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade
CR.1 – Visualize and generate ideas for creating works of art	 Brainstorm & visualize ideas Creating a rough draft/plan Sketching journaling, collecting ideas & note taking Composition – foreground, middle ground, background (rule of thirds, fill the page) Use of materials, supplies, equipment correctly with care/safety Using elements with thorough understanding, using principals with introductory understanding to create art 	 Brainstorm & visualize ideas Creating a rough draft/plan Sketching journaling, collecting ideas & note taking Composition – foreground, middle ground, background (rule of thirds, fill the page) Use of materials, supplies, equipment correctly with care/safety Using elements with thorough understanding, using principals with introductory understanding to create art 	 Brainstorm & visualize ideas Creating a rough draft/plan Sketching journaling, collecting ideas & note taking Composition – foreground, middle ground, background (rule of thirds, fill the page) Use of materials, supplies, equipment correctly with care/safety Using elements with thorough understanding, using principals with introductory understanding to create art
CR.2 – Choose from a range of materials and/or methods of traditional and contemporary artistic practices to plan and create works of art	 Inspired by a theme (ex:	 Inspired by a theme (ex:	 Inspired by a theme (ex:
	student interest, mood, feeling,	student interest, mood, feeling,	student interest, mood, feeling,
	memory, imagination, fantasy,	memory, imagination, fantasy,	memory, imagination, fantasy,
	social events, art history, or	social events, art history, or	social events, art history, or
	culture)	culture)	culture)
CR.3 - Engage in an array of processes, media, techniques, and/or technology through experimentation, practice, and persistence.	 Realistic, abstract, non-	 Realistic, abstract, non-	 Realistic, abstract, non-
	objective, representational,	objective, representational,	objective, representational,
	non-representational art	non-representational art	non-representational art
CR. 4 – Incorporate formal & informal components to create works of art	 Variety of media (exploring	 Variety of media (exploring	 Variety of media (exploring
	techniques & fine tune skills)	techniques & fine tune skills)	techniques & fine tune skills)
CR.5 -Reflect on, revise, and refine works of art considering relevant traditional and contemporary practices as well as artistic ideation.	 Printmaking 	 Printmaking 	 Printmaking
CR.6 – Keep an ongoing visual and verbal record to explore and develop works of art	 Mixed Media Collage Create with technology Create with color	 Mixed Media Collage Create with technology Create with color	 Mixed Media Collage Create with technology Create with color
	schemes/theory	schemes/theory	schemes/theory

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- Atmospheric perspective
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- Textile (weaving, jewelry, stitchery)
- Lettering/Typography
- Mask Making
- Sculpture (relief, carving, paper-mache)
- Painting (color mixing/developing, care of brushes, care of art piece)
- Creating value scale (shading, stippling, paint, etc)
- Using value to create illusion of form
- Grid drawing
- Batik
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Presenting	6 th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade
PR.1 – Plan, prepare, and present completed works of art	 Complete an artwork for presentation Participate in art exhibit Write artist statement Reflect on finished work of art Develop/maintain portfolio 	 Complete an artwork for presentation Participate in art exhibit Write artist statement Reflect on finished work of art Develop/maintain portfolio 	 Complete an artwork for presentation Participate in art exhibit Write artist statement Reflect on finished work of art Develop/maintain portfolio
Responding	6 th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade
Re.1 – Reflect on the context of personal works of art in relation to community, culture, and the world	Evaluate personal works of art	Evaluate personal works of art	Evaluate personal works of art
RE.2 – Critique personal works of art and the artwork of others, individually and collaboratively, using a variety of approaches	Art Critique (student work or professional piece)	Art Critique (student work or professional piece)	Art Critique (student work or professional piece)
RE.3 – Engage in the process of art criticism to make meaning and increase visual literacy	 Describe aesthetics and interpret meaning Verbal and/or written critique Supportive peer review – formal and informal 	 Describe aesthetics and interpret meaning Verbal and/or written critique Supportive peer review – formal and informal 	 Describe aesthetics and interpret meaning Verbal and/or written critique Supportive peer review – formal and informal
Connecting	6th Grade	7 th Grade	8 th Grade
CN.1 – Develop personal artistic voice through connecting uses of art within a variety of cultural, historical, and contemporary contexts	 Identify universal themes in art (freedom, love, societal conflicts, etc) 	Identify universal themes in art (freedom, love, societal conflicts, etc)	Identify universal themes in art (freedom, love, societal conflicts, etc)
CN.2 – Develop life skills through the study and production of art	 Reasons for creating art (influence from history, culture, and art) 	 Reasons for creating art (influence from history, culture, and art) 	 Reasons for creating art (influence from history, culture, and art)
CN.3 – Utilize a variety of resources to understand how artistic learning extends beyond the walls of the classroom	 Making connections between other subject areas (grid drawing, reflections, color theory, light spectrum, anatomy, etc) 	 Making connections between other subject areas (grid drawing, reflections, color theory, light spectrum, anatomy, etc) 	 Making connections between other subject areas (grid drawing, reflections, color theory, light spectrum, anatomy, etc)
	 Investigate and develop artistic skills and habits (higher order thinking, 	 Investigate and develop artistic skills and habits (higher order thinking, 	 Investigate and develop artistic skills and habits (higher order thinking,

tolerance, judgement, creativity, problem solving)	tolerance, judgement, creativity, problem solving)	tolerance, judgement, creativity, problem solving)
 Explore and articulate careers in art 	Explore and articulate careers in art	 Explore and articulate careers in art
 Recognize and explore local art 	 Recognize and explore local art 	 Recognize and explore local art