Essential Learning for Art in Kindergarten

All Year:

<u>Skills that should be reinforced</u>: stamp, glue, fold, tear, cut, chalk, crayon, watercolor, marker, pencil, tempera paint

Safety and Respect

<u>Concepts</u>: real and imaginary subject matter, abstract and realistic, knowing the seven Elements or Art, introduction to Principles of Design, Sculpture, introduction artwork from other Cultures

Vocabulary:

- Kindergarten First Quarter:
 - <u>Line:</u> vertical, horizontal, diagonal, zigzag, wavy, thick, thin, curved, outline
 - Shape: organic (free form shape), geometric, square, triangle, circle, oval, two-dimensional (flat)
 - o Pattern: repetition
- Kindergarten Second Quarter:
 - <u>Color:</u> primary, secondary, tempera paint, watercolor paint, paintbrush
 - o **Value:** light and dark
 - Form: three-dimensional shapes (solid), sculpture, clay, pinch pot
 - <u>Texture:</u> rough and smooth, collage
- Kindergarten Third Quarter:
 - Space: Foreground, background and overlapping
 - o **Balance:** symmetry
 - o **Sharing Work and Vocalizing:** describe
 - o <u>Review</u>
- Kindergarten Fourth Quarter:
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