High School Curriculum Map for Bemidji District Visual Arts K-12 Scope and Sequence

Quarter Course (Nine Week)	Standard Benchmarks	Learning Goals and	Evaluation
Advanced Photoshop		Assessment Activities (in bold)	Criteria
<b>Brief Description</b>			
Project One	III.Perform/Present	Learning Goals:	
Logo Design		Student will:	
Focus On: Create stylized initial that informs viewer about the artist  Online tutorials Familiarizing layers Introduce Create Process Create Process translation with authentic studio experience—students observe a graphic designer in his studio (DVD) and track the create process as he implements it	1.1 1.2 1.3	Select eight initials from thirty-two sketches and elaborate on one image to communicate a personal expression  Post the stylized initial on voicethread.com and request feedback from class based on use of the elements and principles to communicate some aspect of the artist's personality  Review feedback from class on voicethread.com and decide whether or not to incorporate suggested ideas  Revise artwork based on feedback  Develop statement of artistic intent elaborating on chosen image, rationale for revision and ideas for presenting art work  Submit final project for peer critique on voicethread.com  Save "digital copy" of creation for electronic portfolio and future display options	
ELEMENTS Stylized line—students convey their identity using their initial and design elements  MATERIALS  • "Advanced Photoshop Study Guide"— distributed by instructor  • Vocabulary list of modifiers selected by instructor and student for use in this lesson		(Post an artist question based on "Good Feedback Protocol #2" Webpage only open to members of class—extended written response.) (Respond to artwork of others who are in your group i.e. tablemates, assigned groups—extended written response.) (Revise artwork/presentation based on feedback from voicethread.com—performance assessment.) (Share with instructor rationale for considering audience and occasion—personal communication.)	
TECHNIQUES/SKILL Traditional drawing skills—students generate 32 thumbnail sketches of their initial, narrow selection to 8, student selection of one that best displays their creative effort justify selection of that one Elaborate selected design Scan and enlarge image to 6"x6" Create vector/bitmap art Create "Paths" Customized Brushes Create original logo/visual identity using new found pen tools skills			

TOOLS Pen tool		
ART HISTORY Art communicates		

Project Two	Standard Benchmarks	Learning Goals and	Evaluation
Animation		Assessment Activities (in bold)	Criteria
		The Student Will:	
On Going:			
Creating web animation		Create gif animations to be displayed in a web browser	
E O		Learn "Tween" blend of frame by frame animations	
<b>Focus On:</b> Create gif animations to be displayed in a		Save files to be displayed in web browser Use "Optimizing" technique—reducing file sizeSubmit final project for peer critique on	
web browser		voicethread.com	
		Save "digital copy" of creation for electronic portfolio and future display options	
PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN		(Post an artist question based on "Good Feedback Protocol #2" Webpage only	
Repetition		open to members of class—extended written response.)	
MATERIALS		(Respond to artwork of others who are in group i.e. tablemates, assigned	
"ImageReady" software within Adobe		groups—extended written response.) (Revise artwork/presentation based on feedback from voicethread.com—	
Photoshop		performance assessment.)	
"Shrek" "Toy Story"		performance assessments)	
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TECHNIQUES/SKILL			
Multi-layer file			
Frame by frame animation Opacity animation			
"Tween" blend of frame by frame animations			
Save files to be displayed in web browser			
"Optimizing"—reducing file size			
TOOLS			
Animation palette in Photoshop			
Tools for drawing and creating animation elements			
cientis			
ART HISTORY			
Single frame animation			
Claymation			
Flash			
Current trends in animation			

	Standard Benchmarks	Learning Goals and	Evaluation
Project Three:		Assessment Activities (in bold)	Criteria
On-going:		Student will:	
Acquire an understanding of creating a			
web site and develop basic workflow		Create a web page with five links	
habits for success			
Use Photoshop to produce content for		Submit final project for peer critique on voicethread.com	
homepage and five other linkable pages		Post an artist question based on "Good Feedback Protocol #2" Webpage only open	
Use "ImageReady" to slice pages, create		to members of class	
image maps		Respond to artwork of others who are in your group i.e. tablemates, assigned groups	
Adding links to pages using		Revise artwork/presentation based on feedback from voicethread.com	
"ImageReady"		Save "digital copy" for electronic portfolio and future display	
Create interactive regions by the use of rollovers			
Exporting designs as web pages			
Saving web site in correct format for web			
delivery			
Learn to use a layer-comp			
Focus On:			
Creating a Web Page			
Creating a web rage			
SUBJECT MATTER			
Digital business card—communication			
via the web			
MATERIALS:			
"ImageReady"			
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TECHIQUES/SKILLS			
See ongoing:			
moor g			
TOOLS			
Digital environment			
ART HISTORY			
Web in 1993—no images			
Artists saw potential			

	Standard Benchmarks	Learning Goals and	Evaluation
Project Four		Assessment Activities (in bold)	Criteria
On-going:		Student will:	
Focus On:		Revise existing image with realistic adaptations	
USING PERSPECTIVE		Use the traditions and skills of perspective:	
Adding realism to photos		Foreground, middle ground, background,	
Manipulation of the illusion of depth in a		Converging lines	
2D composition		Overlap	
		Use of space	
CLONING TEXTURES FOR THE		Detail applications	
ILLUSION OF DEPTH		Vanishing point	
		Atmospheric perspective	
		Incorporate the genre of surrealism as Magritte interpreted it in his/her composition	
SUBJECT MATTER			
Vanishing Point		Submit final project for peer critique on voicethread.com	
		Post an artist question based on "Good Feedback Protocol #2" Webpage only open	
TECHNIQUE/SKILLS		to members of class	
Use of planes to create the illusion of		Respond to artwork of others who are in your group i.e. tablemates, assigned groups	
perspective		Revise artwork/presentation based on feedback from voicethread.com	
Distortion		Save "digital copy" for electronic portfolio and future display	
MATERIALS			
Student-selected			
TOOLS			
TOOLS "Youishing Daint" filter in Adoba			
"Vanishing Point" filter in Adobe Photoshop			
Filotoshop			
ART HISTORY			
Surrealism			
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Project Five:	Standard Benchmarks	Project Five:	Evaluation
		Learning goals:	Criteria
On-going: Photoshop tools, techniques and layering capabilities		Students Will:  Self-select color photograph Import image—scan or take off IPod	
Focus On: Color-Range Manipulation of photograph to look like a woodcut or linoleum block print		Change to grayscale Posterize grayscale image reducing value regions to four or five Select each region of value and place on individual layer Manipulate the value of each layer by introducing new color schemes,	
ELEMENTS & PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN Contrast Monochromatic color schemes		Submit final project for peer critique on voicethread.com Post an artist question based on "Good Feedback Protocol #2" Webpage only open to members of class Respond to artwork of others who are in your group i.e. tablemates, assigned groups Revise artwork/presentation based on feedback from voicethread.com	
SUBJECT MATTER Printmaking		Save "digital copy" for electronic portfolio and possible future display	
TECHNIQUE/SKILLS Posterization			
STYLE Printmaking			
TOOLS New "selection" tool			
ART HISTORY: Pop Art			
On Going: Exploring Photoshop: Tools, Techniques and Layers			
Focus On: PRINCIPLES:			
• Contrast			

Project Six	<b>Standard Benchmarks</b>	Learning Goals and	Evaluation
		Assessment Activities (in bold)	Criteria
On-going:		Student will:	
Perspective: overlap, use of space, size of an object			
Foreground, middleground, background		Render form/perspective in a realistic way using traditional art techniques (value,	
Point of view		texture, shading) and the tools/techniques of Photoshop.	
Atmospheric perspective		(Scaffolded exercises building student understanding of illustrative techniques	
Drawing skills		to create realism using Adobe Photoshop—performance assessment)	
Rendering form			
Focus On: Realism			
ELEMENTS & PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN Value Center of Interest Form			
SUBJECT MATTER Landscape, portrait, still life, cityscape, seascape—any traditional subject except abstract and non- objective.			
TECHNIQUE/SKILLS Advanced filter techniques for rendering textures			
STYLE Photo Realism			
ART HISTORY: Chuck Close. Audra Flack			

Project Seven	Standard Benchmark	Learning Goals and	Evaluation
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On-going:		Student will:	
Assembling 2D design page layout into a 3D product or package		Design product packaging on a flat 2D sheet to be cut, scored and assembled into a 3D form	
<ul> <li>Understand the purpose of packaging design</li> </ul>		Interpret product function on the front by manipulating the art elements and principles	
Realize that there are form and function requirements		Place design on paper so it doesn't run off the edges and maximizes use of space Consider from follows function when designing the product—it must be a useable product	
<ul> <li>Integration of type and visuals to communicate a products' identity</li> </ul>		Use craftsmanship when scoring and gluing edges Critique peer product design for effectiveness of message	
<ul> <li>Learn that packaging must enclose, inform ad persuade</li> </ul>		Review feedback from peers and reflect on possibilities for future design change in online journal.	
Deconstructing layout elements			
Focus On: 3D package design			
ELEMENTS & PRINCIPLES OF DESIGN Form follows function			
SUBJECT MATTER Package design			
TECHNIQUE/SKILLS Higher level thinking skills: how does 3D design differ from 2D Conceptualize final package—consider some panels may be inverted, rotated, etc. Consider audience			
MATERIALS Digital Environment/Examples			
TOOLS Packaging templates Exacto knives Rulers Scoring tools			

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Advanced brush techniques and		
Advanced brush techniques and increased repertoire		
increased repertoire		