

Art II
Drawing

Essential Understandings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Artists use a variety of knowledge, skills and problem solving strategies to communicate through a work of art.
Essential Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How do the elements and principles of design create a strong composition? What media can an artist use to produce drawings? What technical skills does an artist use to create a drawing?
Essential Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In drawing the elements and principles of design are used to create a composition. A variety of media, wet and dry, are used to produce drawings. Perspective is used to create depth in representational and non representational drawings. Measurement and sighting techniques are used to create accurate proportion in drawing.
Vocabulary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Terms:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> elements of design, principles of design, composition, proportion, sighting, measuring, alignment, perspective, representational, non-representational, dry media, wet media
Essential Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Produce works that show an understanding of the elements and principles of design. Produce works that show complexity in drawing techniques. Expand knowledge of variety of wet and dry drawing media Compare compositional relationships using of the elements and principles of design in both representational and non-representational drawings. Expand compositional skills and techniques. Produce works that show an understanding of perspective. Apply sighting and measurement skills in observational drawing. Refine both observational and imaginative drawing skills. Analyze the connection between relevant historical and/or contemporary art styles in drawing.
Related Maine Learning Results	<p><u>Visual and Performing Arts</u> B. Creation, Performance, and Expression B1.Media Skills Students choose multiple suitable media, tools, techniques, and processes to create a variety of original art works. B2.Composition Skills Students use Elements of Art and Principles of Design to create original art works that demonstrate development of personal style in a variety of media and visual art forms.</p>

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Sample Lessons And Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Perspective technical drawing and practice▪ Observational drawing of the inside or outside of a building▪ Figure drawing using proportion, sighting, measuring, body alignment from life▪ Explore the study of human proportion using observational drawing techniques
Sample Classroom Assessment Methods	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ portfolio▪ critique▪ sketchbook
Sample Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ <u>Videos:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">○ <u>Masters of Illusion</u>▪ <u>Other Resources:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Art Department Resource Library: Drawing○ Art Reproductions Print File