## Brunswick School Department Art II Art History and Culture

Essential Understandings	<ul> <li>Art and artists reflect and shape their time period and culture.</li> </ul>
Essential Questions	<ul> <li>What does art tell us about our own and other cultures? How does art reflect history?</li> </ul>
Essential Knowledge	<ul> <li>Art has different meanings in different times and places.</li> <li>Artists often create works inspired by art and cultural traditions.</li> </ul>
Vocabulary	<ul> <li><u>Terms</u>:</li> <li>o Art History, culture, symbolism</li> </ul>
Essential Skills	<ul> <li>Compare and contrast the function and meaning of works of art from various cultures and/or time periods.</li> <li>Create works inspired by various historical art periods and cultures including our own.</li> </ul>
Related Maine Learning Results	Visual and Performing Arts         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.
Sample Lessons And Activities	<ul> <li>Research Native American Art and pottery.</li> <li>Discuss the symbolism and cultural meaning of Native American Art.</li> <li>Discuss the difference in opinion between the Native American culture and your own regional culture.</li> <li>Design a vessel using an authentic Native American shape and symbolism.</li> <li>Create a coil vessel in a Native American style using authentic symbols and techniques to develop a personalized piece.</li> <li>Write a statement or short essay describing your piece and how it was influenced by the study of Native American culture.</li> </ul>

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Sample	<ul> <li>portfolio</li> </ul>
Classroom	<ul> <li>essay</li> </ul>
Assessment	<ul> <li>sketchbook</li> </ul>
Methods	<ul> <li>assignment assessment</li> </ul>
Sample	<ul> <li><u>Publications:</u> <ul> <li><u>Art&amp; Man: Native American Art</u></li> <li><u>Scholastic Art: Working with Clay</u></li> </ul> </li> <li>Videos:</li> </ul>
Resources	<ul> <li><u>With Heart and Hand</u></li> <li><u>The Legacy of Generations</u></li> <li><u>Other Resources:</u></li> <li>Art Department Resource Library</li> <li>Art Reproductions print file</li> </ul>