

Art Around the World: Tentative 2018/2019 Syllabus

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Course Description:

This course will combine the subjects of geography and world art in a creative way. The art portion of the class will be led by Jessi Goodwin, and the geography will be led by Alyssa Hayes. The subjects will alternate weeks. Students will label detailed maps of the continents using the curriculum *Mapping the World by Heart* by David Smith. The maps will include countries, major cities, bodies of water, and mountain ranges. They will study their own maps to prepare for a quiz on each continent. Students will also connect with humanity's creative history through regionally inspired art projects. Each art lesson will include insight into the traditional materials, techniques and influences of creative people from around the world.

Course Requirements:

- Maps will be labeled in class using a class set of atlases. Students will need to finish maps at home using their own atlas or online resources.
- Students will use their labeled maps to complete the quizzes.
- Students will research various world landmarks in class to create their own Wonders of the World book. Books will be on display at the end-of-year picnic.
- Art projects completed in class and at home will be collected and saved in a presentation binder that will be displayed at the end-of-year picnic.
- During the spring semester, students will choose one country to research for the World Experts project. Projects will be completed outside of class and presented during class. Deadlines will be given throughout the semester to help students manage notetaking, outlining, and creating visuals for their projects. Visuals will be on display at the end-of-year picnic.

Week	Topic	Homework
August 16: Both	Introduction Blank map– Pre-assessment Grapefruit Lesson	Gather materials for organizing a geography binder/folder
August 23: Alyssa	Organize binders Types of Maps Latitude & Longitude	Complete: Study for Types of Maps/Latitude and Longitude Quiz
August 30: Jessi	ART: Compass Rose Project	Read this article: https://mymodernmet.com/urbano-monte-old-world-map/ and view hand-drawn illustrations from the world's largest early map
September 6: Alyssa	Quiz: Types of Maps/Latitude and Longitude USA Map	Complete USA Map
September 13: Jessi	ART: Jasper Johns American Flag Collage	Select one US state flag and recreate it using whatever art medium is preferred (pencils, markers, paint, collage, etc). Be sure to bring it to class!

September 20: Alyssa	Quiz: USA Map Canada Map & Review	Complete Canada Map
September 27: Jessi	ART: Tinglit Orcas / Animal paper piecing	Watch the following video (2:50) http://www.aadnc-aandc.gc.ca/eng/1472670112251/1472670146699 Sketch your own totem pole design.
October 4: Alyssa	Quiz: Canada Map Central America / Mexico / West Indies Map & Review	Complete Central America / Mexico / West Indies Map
October 11	Fall Break	
October 18: Jessi	ART: Molas paper craft	Recreate a flag from a Central or South American country of your choice. (Optional) Learn about the Aztec Sun Stone: https://www.khanacademy.org/humanities/ap-art-history/indigenous-americas/v/sun-stone . What geographic references does it contain hidden within its intricate carvings?
October 25: Alyssa	Quiz: Central America / Mexico / West Indies South America Map & Review	Complete South America Map
November 1: Jessi	ART: Rio architecture paintings	Learn about life in the Amazon Rainforest. Select one bird from the following video to sketch (bring your sketch to class next week): https://www.khanacademy.org/humanities/art-americas/south-america-early/amazonian-people/v/kayap-headaddress-a-glimpse-of-life-in-the-amazon-rainforest
November 8: Alyssa	Quiz: South America Europe Map & Review	Complete Europe Map
November 15: Jessi	ART: Greek & Roman Column chalk drawings	Peruse this illustrated glossary of Classical Architecture and select one element to sketch and label (bring it to next class): http://www.doric-column.com/glossary_classical_architecture.html
November 22	Thanksgiving Break	
November 29: Alyssa	Quiz: Europe Map Wonders of the World Book	<i>Create a list of 5 countries of interest for the World Experts Project</i>
December 6: Jessi	ART: Klimt 'Tree of Life' project	Recreate a flag from a European country of your choice
Winter Break		
January 10: Alyssa	Eastern Europe & Northern Asia Map <i>Introduce World Experts Project</i>	Complete Eastern Europe & Northern Asia Map <i>World Experts Project Notetaking</i>
January 17: Jessi	ART: Russian architecture printmaking	Recreate a flag from an Eastern European or Northern Asian country (Optional) read this article: https://mymodernmet.com/sergei-tarasov-st-basils-cathedral-origami/ to see another artistic interpretation of Russian architecture
January 24: Alyssa	Quiz: Eastern Europe & Northern Asia Map Africa Map	Complete Africa Map <i>World Experts Project Notetaking</i>

January 31: Jessi	ART: Woven paper 'mudcloth'	Recreate a flag from an African nation of your choice
February 7: Alyssa	Quiz: Africa Map South Asia Map	Complete South Asia Map <i>World Experts Project Notetaking</i>
February 14: Jessi	ART: Sumi-e Bamboo Brush painting	Recreate a flag from a South Asian country of your choice
February 21: Alyssa	Quiz: South Asia Map Australia & Oceania <i>How to Create an Outline for Organizing Information</i>	Complete Australia & Oceania <i>World Experts Project Outlining</i>
February 28: Jessi	ART: Aboriginal Lizard drawings / paintings	Learn about the myths and stories that inspire Aboriginal art (select and read at least one of the 'Dreamtime' stories at this link): https://japingkaaboriginalart.com/info/stories
March 7: Alyssa	Quiz: Australia & Oceania Wonders of the World Book	<i>World Experts Project Outlining</i>
March 14	Spring Break	
March 21: Jessi	ART: Batik of Java watercolor resist	<i>World Experts Project Outlining</i>
March 28: Alyssa	Post Assessment (Blank Map) <i>How to Use Notecards to Make a Presentation</i>	<i>World Experts Project Visuals & Presentation Preparation</i>
April 4: Jessi	ART: Paper Mache globes part 1	<i>World Experts Project Visuals & Presentation Preparation</i>
April 11: Alyssa	Compile Wonders of the World book	<i>World Experts Project Visuals & Presentation Preparation</i>
April 18: Jessi	ART: Paper Mache globes part 2	<i>World Experts Project Visuals & Presentation Preparation</i>
April 25: Both	<i>World Experts Presentations</i>	
May 2: Both	<i>World Experts Presentations</i>	
May 7	Snow Day or Year End Party	