

Online Resources

Visual Arts: Grade 2

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Unit 1: Elements of Art (Slide Deck 1–2)

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Lesson 3: Lines as Movement (Day 1)

[Bridget Riley: Perceptual Abstraction \(Yale Center for British Art\) - Movement in Squares](#) (Image)

[Kids Web Japan - Map of Japan](#) (Map)

[Dailymotion - Iconic Japanese Master Hokusai Featured in Immersive Art Exhibition in Tokyo](#) (Video)

Lesson 4: Unit 1 Assessment (Day 1)

[Artsy - “My Hometown “ | Liu Xiaodong](#) (Image)

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Lesson 1: Looking at Sculptures

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[Milwaukee Art Museum - Nudity in Art and Your Students](#) (Website)

[Sketchfab - Discobolus of Myron \("The Discus Thrower"\)](#) (3D Model Image)

[Texas Archive of the Moving Image - Men's Discus Throw - Dorothy Doolittle Collection](#) (Video)

(Day 2)

[Sketchfab - Discobolus of Myron \("The Discus Thrower"\)](#) (3D Model Image)

Lesson 2: Movement Through Sculpture (Day 1)

[Sketchfab - Discobolus of Myron \("The Discus Thrower"\)](#) (3D Model Image)

Lesson 3: "The Thinker" (Day 1)

[YouTube - The Thinker by Auguste Rodin](#) (Video)

Lesson 4: Making Sculptures (Day 1)

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Unit 3: Landscapes (Slide Deck 5–9)

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Lesson 2: Elements of Art in Landscape (Day 1) Artsy - “Urban Fiction No. 13” Xing Danwen (Image)
Lesson 3: Dreamlike Landscapes (Day 1) The Met - “The Repast of the Lion” Henri Rousseau (le Douanier) (Image)
Lesson 4: Textures in Landscape (Day 1) PBS Learning Media - ArtQuest: What is Texture? (Video) Tate Gallery (Kids) - Who is Vincent van Gogh? (Website)
Lesson 5: Landscapes Can Tell a Story (Day 1) Google Art & Culture - “The Inspiring Story of Clementine Hunter” (Website)
Lesson 6: Unit 3 Assessment (Day 1) Minneapolis Institute of Art - “Winter in the North” (“Nahookosji Hai”) D.Y. Begay (Image) MutualArt - “Vista” Richard Mayhew (Image) Alamy - “Bigger Trees Near Warter” David Hockney (Image)

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Unit 4: Abstract Art (Slide Deck 10–15)

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<p>Lesson 1: Real or Abstract (Day 1)</p> <p>The Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) - Study for “Composition VIII” (“The Cow”) Theo van Doesburg (“Realist,” Image)</p> <p>The Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) - Study for “Composition VIII” (“The Cow”) Theo van Doesburg (“Shape,” Image)</p> <p>The Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) - Study for “Composition VIII” (“The Cow”) Theo van Doesburg (“Abstract,” Image)</p>
<p>Lesson 2: Abstract Sculpture (Day 1)</p> <p>The Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) - “Bull’s Head” Pablo Picasso (Image)</p>
<p>Lesson 3: Real and Abstract Birds (Day 1)</p> <p>PBS Learning Media - Birds Cooperating to Find Food and Raise Offspring (Video)</p> <p>Norton Simon Museum - “Bird in Space” Constantin Brancusi (Image)</p>
<p>Lesson 4: Abstraction and Movement (Day 1)</p> <p>Telfair Museums - “Baseball Players” Elaine de Kooning (Image)</p> <p>Britannica - Photo of Baseball Player (Nolan Arenado) (Photo)</p>
<p>Lesson 5: Natural Abstract Patterns (Day 1)</p> <p>Britannica Kids - Leaf (Website)</p> <p>Tate Gallery - “The Snail” Henri Matisse (Image)</p> <p>Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) - Henri Matisse: The Cut-Outs (Kids Tour) (Website)</p> <p>Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) - Henri Matisse The Cut-Outs (Website)</p>
<p>Lesson 6: Abstraction and Memories (Day 1)</p> <p>The Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) - “I and the Village” Marc Chagall (For Kids, Audio)</p>

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Unit 5: Architecture (Slide Deck 16–19)

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Lesson 1: Designing Buildings (Day 1)

[PBS Kids - “City Island: Architect”](#) (Video)

[Center for Architecture \(AIA New York\) - Illustrated Building Parts](#) (PDF Document)

Lesson 2: Greek Architecture (Day 1)

[Google Arts & Culture - Peek Inside the Parthenon in 3D](#) (Virtual Tour)

[The British Museum - “Series: The Parthenon Sculptures” | Pheidias](#) (Image)

[National Park Service - Carol Highsmith - Lincoln Memorial](#) (Photo)

Lesson 3: Domes (Day 1)

[Britannica - Map of India with Location of the Great Stupa](#) (Map)

Lesson 4: Compare Architecture (Day 1)

[Infoplease - Map of Asia](#) (Map)

[Columbia University - Katsura Walking Tour](#) (Website)

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