

PS-Grade 2 Visual Arts Standards and Benchmarks

STANDARD 1: Understands and applies media, techniques and processes related to the visual arts

Benchmarks:

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- 1.1: Knows and can apply a variety of different art materials, techniques and processes
- 1.2: Uses art materials, equipment and tools in a safe and responsible manner

Standards 2: Knows the art elements and design principles and can apply these in an artwork to express an idea or feeling

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- 2.1: Recognize and can show the different art elements

Standard 3: Knows a range of subject matter, symbols and potential ideas in the visual arts

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- 3.1: Selects prospective ideas for works of art

Standard 4: Understands the visual arts in relation to history and cultures

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- 4.1: Identifies specific works of art as belonging to particular cultures, times and places

Standard 5: Understands the characteristics and merits of one's own work and the artwork of others

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- 5.1 Knows various purposes for creating works of art and uses these in their artwork

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