

Art Curriculum

Grade 4

Important Concepts

- The various elements of a city (recreation, transportation, dwellings, factories, parks)
- The meaning of icons used in Papunya dot painting
- The cultural importance of dot painting and the Aboriginal people
- The proportion of the human body
- How artists represent the human body in different mediums
- How to use their hands to form a pinch pot
- World cultures that create Mandala designs
- Modern artists that use concentric shapes
- George Seurat and his pointillist style of painting
- Optical mixing

Vocabulary

ruler
recreation
transportation
dwelling
factory
park
structures
hot dog stand
dowel rod
sketch
medium
pattern
impress
carve
pinch
pull
roll
center space
composition
horizon line
perspective
graphic art
pattern