

**BARTLESVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ELEMENTARY ART CURRICULUM
GRADES 1-5**

Curriculum is based on the Oklahoma Priority Academic Student Skills (PASS) in the Arts.

Language of Art:

*Describe and use the **elements of design: line, color, form, shape, texture, value, and space** in works of art.

*Describe and use the **principles of design: rhythm, balance, contrast, movement, variety, center of interest (emphasis), and repetition** in works of art.

Art History and Culture:

*Identify purposes of visual art in history and culture.

Art Expression (Production):

*Explore several art methods such as **drawing, painting, fiber arts, sculpture, printmaking, pottery, architecture, and graphic arts.**

Art Appreciation (Aesthetics and Criticism):

*Compare and contrast works of art.

*Identify uses of the visual arts in today's world: advertising, television, and film.

***denotes essential skill**

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INTEREST, MAKES IMPORTANCE, AND
I KNOW OF NO SUBSTITUTE FOR THE
FORCE AND BEAUTY OF ITS **P**ROCESS.”*

HENRY JAMES