

**Visual and Performing Arts
Elementary Art:
Unit 1: Creative Problem Solving**

Essential Understandings	The creative process in art involves identifying and demonstrating problem-solving skills.
Essential Questions	What creative problem-solving skills are used to make art?
Essential Knowledge	Artists solve problems and imagine solutions.
Vocabulary	Terms: -imagination, solution, improvise, symmetry
Essential Skills	Imagine, improvise and solve problems Share solutions
Standards: Maine Learning Results and Common Core	A. Disciplinary Literacy B. Creative Problem Solving C1. Students identify and demonstrate creative Problem solving skills. CCS-Disciplinary Literacy
Sample Lessons And Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Experiment and explore painting ▪ Create a cut paper symmetrical design ▪ Create a pattern using stamp printing ▪ Draw an imaginative creature
Sample Classroom Assessment Methods	Observation of the creative process Share with class Share with peers
Sample Resources	<u>Other Resources:</u> <u>Reproductions of famous works</u>

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