Visual and Performing Arts Art II Unit 3: Painting

Essential Understandings	 Artists use a variety of knowledge, skills and problem solving strategies to communicate through a work of art.
Essential Questions	 How do the elements and principles of design create a strong composition? What is the role of color in developing a strong composition in painting? What is color theory? What techniques, methods, and media can an artist use to produce paintings?
Essential Knowledge	 In painting the elements and principles of design are used to create a composition. In painting color theory is used a variety of ways to create works of art.
Vocabulary	 Terms: hue, tint, shade, local color, tertiary colors, complementary colors, warm/ cool colors, monochromatic, analogous, acrylic, gesso, palette knife, glaze, atmospheric perspective
Essential Skills	 Produce paintings that show an understanding of the elements and principles of design. Understand the role of color in developing a composition Apply color theory in painting. Produce works that show an understanding of color theory using a variety of color schemes. Expand knowledge of painting techniques, methods, and media. Understand the different qualities of painting media. Produce works using color to create atmospheric perspective. Analyze the use of color relevant to historical periods of art and other cultures.
Related Maine Learning Results	Visual and Performing Arts B. Creation, Performance, and Expression B1.Media Skills Students choose multiple suitable media, tools, techniques, and processes to create a variety of original art works. B2.Composition Skills Students use Elements of Art and Principles of Design to create original art works that demonstrate development of personal style in a variety of media and visual art forms.
Sample Lessons And Activities	 Acrylic painting using color temperatures and shades to create atmospheric perspective Explore texture in Acrylic painting using a variety of tools and techniques

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Sample	portfolio
Classroom	critique
Assessment	sketchbook
Methods	 assignment assessment
Sample	Other Resources:
Resources	 Art Department Resource Library: Painting, Color
	 Art Reproductions Print File