

## Hampden Academy Visual and Performing Arts Standards REGIONAL SCHOOL UNIT #22

RSU #22 is committed to the optimal learning of all students. As RSU 22 continues to move towards meeting 2018 graduation expectations, we have elected to look at proficiency learning targets K-12. Rather than only the high school being responsible to report student proficiency, we have created some initial targets at each grade level. We know that some children may be able to meet standards beyond the targets listed at the grade level. We also know that some students will need more time to meet the expectations.

### **Standards to be met before or during High School years**

#### **Aesthetics and Critique Standards**

##### **Critique Standards**

- Understands how to describe an art form.
- Understands how an art work (dance, music, theatre, and/or visual art) is organized.
- Understands how to interpret a specific art work (dance, music, theatre, and/or visual art).
- Understands how to make informed judgments about an individual example of an art work (dance, music, theatre, and/or visual art).
- Understands critical analysis of art works.

#### **Art Standards**

##### **Creation, Performance and Expression 2D**

- Is skilled at using 2D tools (such as brushes, sponges, pencils, crayons).
- Is skilled at using 2D techniques (such as blending, layering, mixing).
- Is skilled in the use of 2D media (such as landscape, portrait, still life)
- Is skilled at using 2D media with a variety of style: realism, abstraction, impressionism, surrealist, cubist
- Is skilled at choosing suitable media, subject matter, and style to create multiple 2D artworks

##### **Elements of Art/Principles of Design Standards**

- Understands color, line, and shape are building blocks of art.
- Understands value, texture, space, and form are building blocks of art.
- Understands that Elements of Art are used to create a work of art.
- Understands that there are basic ways to organize the Elements of Art in design such as pattern and balance.
- Understands ways to organize the Elements of Art, contrast, emphasis, rhythm, movement, unity, in design.
- Understands the Principles of Design are used to organize art work.