

Diocese of Davenport
Art Standards and Benchmarks
Grade Level 5-8

Level II (Grade 5-8)

Standard 4: Understanding the visual arts in relation to history and cultures

A. Interval Benchmark:

- 1. Grade Level Benchmark:** Students know and compare the characteristics of artworks in various eras and cultures

- 2. Grade Level Benchmark:** Students describe and place a variety of art objects in historical and cultural contexts

- 3. Grade Level Benchmark:** Students analyze, describe, and demonstrate how factors of time and place (such as climate, resources, ideas, and technology) influences visual characteristics that give meaning and value to a work of art