

Grade 3 Weeks 1-4

Option 1

Picture Study	
	<p>Jan Vermeer (1632-1675)</p> <p>Featured Works:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Girl with a Pearl Earring</i>, 1665/66 2. <i>The Music Lesson</i>, 1662-65 3. <i>The Milkmaid</i>, 1658-60 4. <i>The Geographer</i>, 1668/69

Option 2

	Art Appreciation	Activity
1	<p>Read: <i>Come Look with Me: The Artist at Work</i> Page 8-9 and 10-11</p> <p>Ask: Questions within the text.</p>	Use watercolors to paint a beautiful sky.
2	<p>Read: <i>Come Look with Me: The Artist at Work</i> Page 12-13</p> <p>Ask: Questions within the text.</p>	Make a quilt with squares and triangles made of construction paper.
3	<p>Read: <i>Come Look with Me: The Artist at Work</i> Page 14-15</p> <p>Ask: Questions within the text.</p>	Draw a building that is on fire. Use chalk on black paper and fill the whole page.
4	<p>Read: <i>Come Look with Me: The Artist at Work</i> Page 16-17</p> <p>Ask: Questions within the text.</p>	Draw a picture of someone working in the garden. Make sure to have a horizon line where the sky and ground meet.

Option 3

	Art Appreciation	Activity
1	<i>Science Arts page 95</i>	Color: <i>Dover: North American Indian Designs.</i> Choose two pages to color.
2	<i>Science Arts page 96</i>	Color: <i>Dover: North American Indian Designs.</i> Choose two pages to color.
3	<i>Science Arts pages 106-107</i>	Color: <i>Dover: North American Indian Designs.</i> Choose two pages to color.
4	<i>Science Arts page 21</i>	Color: <i>Dover: North American Indian Designs.</i> Choose two pages to color.

Composer Study: Week 1-2 Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)
 Week 3-4 Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827)

Music Appreciation	Listening
<i>Stories of the Great Composers</i> , Book 1 Pages 3-6 and 11-14 Track 1 of the accompanying CD	<i>Masters of Classical Music</i> , Vol. 2 Johann Sebastian Bach <i>Masters of Classical Music</i> , Vol. 3 Ludwig van Beethoven

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All picture study featured works will be found on www.artchive.com. Feel free to choose any of Vermeer's other many paintings for your picture study. Use the online resource to view as many as you would like. Please be cautioned that there may be nudes listed among his works so please preview any paintings that you are considering. See Appendix A for more picture study ideas. If you would like to give your child a brief biography of Vermeer, go to www.abcgallery.com to find information to share.

Option 3:

Week 1-4

This year you will be using *Science Arts* to learn about topics in science and how they relate to art. These are the sorts of activities that children love and this book offers a variety of projects that take very little preparation.

Week 2

You may be interested in trying out the variations for this week's project.

Weeks 1-4

Choose two pages from the coloring book each week for your child to color with thin colored markers. The images may be cut out and used in their history notebook as illustrations for narration pages if you so desire.