

Grade 7 Weeks 5-8

Option 1

| Picture Study | |
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| | Jan Vermeer (1632-1675) Dutch Genre Featured Works: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>The Lace Maker</i>, c 1669-1670 2. <i>Woman with a Water Jug</i>, c. 1664-1665 3. <i>Girl with a Flute</i>, c. 1666-1667 4. <i>The Astronomer</i>, c. 1668 |

Option 2

| Art Appreciation | | Activity |
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| 5 | Read: <i>Getting to Know the World's Greatest Artists: Vermeer</i> Add Vermeer to your timeline. | <i>Watercolor for the Artistically Undiscovered</i> Pages 22-24 |
| 6 | View: <i>The Girl with a Pearl Earring</i> Page 32 | <i>Watercolor for the Artistically Undiscovered</i> Pages 25-27 |
| 7 | View: <i>The Geographer</i> Page 22 | <i>Polymer Clay</i> Complete the project "Makin' Faces Switch Plates" on pages 30-32. |
| 8 | Make a brief notebook entry including: Biographical summary of Vermeer (date of birth, death, what country he was from, 2 facts about his life). Website for information about Vermeer: http://www.ibiblio.org/wm/paint/auth/vermeer/ | <i>Watercolor for the Artistically Undiscovered</i> Pages 28-33 |

Option 3

| Art Appreciation | | Activity |
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| 5 | <i>Artistic Pursuits Jr. High Book 1</i> Unit 3 page 10 Complete the drawing project on page 10. | <i>Artistic Pursuits Jr. High Book 1</i> Unit 3 page 11 Complete the drawing project on page 11. |
| 6 | <i>Artistic Pursuits Jr. High Book 1</i> Unit 3 page 12 Complete the drawing project on page 12. | <i>Artistic Pursuits Jr. High Book 1</i> Unit 3 page 13 Complete the drawing project on page 13. |
| 7 | <i>Artistic Pursuits Jr. High Book 1</i> Unit 4 page 14 Complete the drawing project on page 14. | <i>Artistic Pursuits Jr. High Book 1</i> Unit 4 page 15 Complete the drawing project on page 15. |
| 8 | <i>Artistic Pursuits Jr. High Book 1</i> Unit 4 page 16 Complete the drawing project on page 16. | <i>Artistic Pursuits Jr. High Book 1</i> Unit 4 page 17 Complete the drawing project on page 17. |

Composer Study: Frederic Francois Chopin (1810-1849)

| Music Appreciation | Listening |
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| <i>Story of Chopin</i> Listen to tracks 1-24 Add Chopin to your timeline. | <i>Story of Chopin</i> Listen to tracks 25-35 |

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Featured works will be found at www.abcgallery.com. If you would like to give your child a brief biography of Vermeer, use the link provided in Option 2, week 8 for information to share with your child.

Option 2:

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Getting to Know the World's Greatest Artists: Vermeer

After reading the book in week 5, you can view the paintings listed in weeks 6 and 7 and then sketch them in your notebook.

Watercolor for the Artistically Undiscovered

Extra time may be needed for some lessons because the pages need to dry in between steps.