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## WEB SITES

### Visual Arts

Make-Up Artists at Large: Hanimals
[http://www.make-upartistsatlarge.com/cgi-bin/imageviewer.pl?category=Hanimals](http://www.make-upartistsatlarge.com/cgi-bin/imageviewer.pl?category=Hanimals)

Rambles: A Cultural Arts Magazine
[http://www.rambles.net/rrc_namchant97.html](http://www.rambles.net/rrc_namchant97.html)

National Science Teachers Association (NSTA) book on Science and Art: *Art in Chemistry, Chemistry in Art at*  

History of puppetry development  
[www.sagecraft.com/puppetry/definitions/historical/index](http://www.sagecraft.com/puppetry/definitions/historical/index)

New Orleans puppeteer Karen Konnerth  
[www.calliopepuppets.net](http://www.calliopepuppets.net)

Earliest Records of Shadow Play in Europe  

Indonesian shadow puppet history and pictures  

Chinese shadow puppets  
[www.ex.ac.uk/bill.douglas/Schools/shadows/shadows6.htm](http://www.ex.ac.uk/bill.douglas/Schools/shadows/shadows6.htm)

Puppetry traditions from around the world with websites from fifteen countries  

Shadow puppet pictures from Egypt, China, Thailand and Indonesia  
[http://www.ledermuseum.de/inhalt_e/vo_3_e.html](http://www.ledermuseum.de/inhalt_e/vo_3_e.html)

Pictures and descriptions of shadow puppets from various countries  
Directions on how to write a short script for a specific scene for the puppets.
www.inspired2write.com/wordweav/exers/puppet.html

The article “Earth View, Art View” by Lydia Dambekalns (Originally printed in *The Science Teacher*, January 2005, p. 43-47) focuses on using the medium of batik to record observations of specific satellite images of the earth. This is a members only page.

**A Studio in the Woods**
Take a field trip to this education center along the Mississippi River.
www.astudiointhewoods.org

Morning Earth: Artists/Naturalists Past and Present
http://www.morning-earth.org/Artist_Naturalists.html

How to Do A Field Sketch
http://www.wildchimpanzees.org/educators/pdf/field_sketch.pdf

**Artists**

About the Artist: David Bates
http://www.art.unt.edu/ntieva/artcurr/alsp/bates.htm

Wonderful site, provides video documentary as well as access to Rodrigue’s galleries
http://www.io.com/~gibbonsb/rodrigue.html

Rodrigue site providing video clip of artist at work, information about children and art as well as images of past and current work
http://www.georgerodrigue.com/index2.htm

An online exhibit as well as related background information about the artist
http://www.sec.state.la.us/ARCHIVES/rodrigue/rodrigue-index.htm

Excellent site featuring Acadian artist, including George Rodrigue
http://www.acadian-cajun.com/acadart.htm

USA Today article focusing on George Rodrigue
http://www.usatoday.com/gallery/bluedog/frame.htm

Lists of Louisiana Artists
http://listingslouisiana.com/Arts_and_Crafts/Artists/complete.asp
http://louisiana-artists.com/
Art History

The image of the dog in art, painting, photography, literature, theater, history, television & on the Web
http://personal.uncc.edu/jvanoate/k9/artdogs.htm

Index of Pop artists
http://wwar.com/masters/movements/pop_art.html

Biography of pop artist Andy Warhol
http://www.warholfoundation.org/biograph.htm

Online art encyclopedia
http://www.artcyclopedia.com/history/expressionism.html

Abstract expressionist
http://www.chrisnider.com/component/option.com-wrapper/Itemid,59

Edvard Munch Biography and Paintings
http://www.ibiblio.org/wm/paint/auth/munch/

Munch Museum
http://www.gallen-kallela.fi/artnoir/Mmuseo.html

Official Picasso website
http://www.picasso.fr/anglais/

Cool Picasso site for kids
http://www.surfnetkids.com/picasso.htm

Picasso Biography
http://www.picasso.com/

Jackson Pollock Biography
http://www.ibiblio.org/wm/paint/auth/pollock/

A database of art history websites
http://www.besthistorysites.net/index.php/art-history
Elements of art and related information
http://www.sanford-artadventures.com/study/g_art_elements.html

Folk Crafts: A Hand-Me-Down Tradition
http://www.louisianafolklife.org/LT/Articles_Essays/creole_art_folkcrafts_hand.html

This is an excellent search engine focusing on art genres, such as Pop and Abstract Expressionism,
links to books and other sites.
http://www.artchive.com/archive/pop_art.html

Art Museums

Art Education, Collaboration and the Internet
This is a how-to Web site on integrating the Internet and new technologies into the art curriculum.
http://www.artjunction.org/articles/collab2.html

The Art Institute of Chicago
http://www.artic.edu/artaccess/AA_Modern/pages/MOD_glossary1.shtml

Visit museums or art galleries in your area to find images of the natural and built landscape of
the Barataria-Terrebonne Estuary. Suggested sites include: Louisiana Marine Fisheries Museum,
Lafitte. 580 Jean Lafitte Blvd., Lafitte 70036.
http://www.fisheriesmuseum.com/ This museum has a collection of historic photographs,
artifacts, paintings, and boats illustrating the rich cultural heritage of the fishing industry in the
Barataria area. Bayou Terrebonne Waterlife Museum 7910 West Park Avenue, Houma,

The Ogden Museum of Southern Art. 925 Camp St. New Orleans, LA. 70130 (504) 539-9600.
Web site: http://www.ogdenmuseum.org

(504) 484-2631. http://www.noma.org Go to Louisiana Art section in the Permanent Collection
portion of the web site.

Southdown Plantation and Museum. P.O. Box 2095, Houma LA 70361 (985) 851-0154. Web
site: http://www.southdownmuseum.org The Plantation has a collection of photographs and
artifacts depicting life in Terrebonne Parish and an exhibit focusing on the sugar industry. The
museum has an art gallery with changing exhibits of local artists.

Grand Isle holds an annual art exhibit in May at the Grand Isle Community Center. Contact Sue
Galliano at suegalliano@mobiltel.com
Southdown Plantation and Museum
Many cultural activities take place at Southdown Plantation in Houma, including art exhibits. http://www.southdownmuseum.org/

The Kennedy Center Arts Edge
http://artsedge.kennedy-center.org/content/2245/

Hirshhorn Museum & Sculpture Garden: Animals in Art
http://hirshhorn.si.edu/education/animals/animals.html

The National Museum of Wildlife Art presents a teacher’s guide *Mountains & More: Learning about Landforms Through Landscape Painting*
http://www.wildlifeart.org/Education/Landforms/Landforms.cfm

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This site provides an excellent lesson plan for teaching watercolor techniques. http://www.sanford-artedventures.com/teach/wtrclrtechniques_procedure.html

Watercolor Tutorials provide a step-by-step guide to painting watercolors. http://www.watercolor-online.com/Articles/Articles.phtml


How Watercolor Paints are Made http://www.handprint.com/HP/WCL/pigmt1.html

Hugo Gellert's Seward Park Murals: Lessons on how to paint a mural http://newdeal.feri.org/gellert/lesson.htm

Art and Social Studies lessons for middle school students based on the “Detroit Industry” mural by Diego Rivera http://www.dia.org/education/rivera/index.html


Guggenheim Museum featuring paintings of Jackson Pollock
Paintings and related links for Jackson Pollock
http://www.beatmuseum.org/pollock/jacksonpollock.html

Photography

See beautiful photographs and descriptions of birds of Louisiana at the Louisiana Ornithological Society Web site
http://www.losbird.org/labirds/labirds.htm

Louisiana Folklife Photo Gallery
http://www.louisianafolklife.org/FOLKLIFEimagebase/photogallery.asp

Photography Database
http://photographydatabase.org/

The Getty Research Institute offers an archive and database for photography throughout art history
https://www.getty.edu/research/tools/photo/

Listening

Louisiana Voices: Material Culture: The Stuff of Life
http://www.louisianavoices.org/Unit7/edu_unit7.html

Fun site with a chorus of animated, singing frogs.

Georgetown University
This site is a good resource for animal sounds.
http://www.georgetown.edu/faculty/ballc/animals/animals.html

Music

Nature Songs
Another good resource for animal sounds.
http://www.naturesongs.com/otheranimals.html
While this is a commercial site, it has good explanations of rhythm and ways to get your students to participate.

A commercial site with good background information on rhythm.
http://www.lpmusic.com/Play_Like_A_Pro/Rhythm_To_Kids/fun_easy_rhythm.html

Lessons on rhythm for the classroom.
www.musickit.com/resources/beat.html

Native American Chants and Dances: Red Road Crossing CD
http://www.amazon.com

Earthsong: Native American Chants and Dances CD
http://www.emusic.com
One of the best web sites for Cajun and Zydeco music is found at Louisiana State University Eunice.
www.lsue.edu/acadgate/music/musicmain.htm

Rice University School of Music
This site has good background information for teachers who want to learn more about music theory.
http://www.ruf.rice.edu/~musi/preparatory/music_theory.html

Rock & Roll Hall of Fame and Music contains lesson plans such as “American Dream” that stimulate critical and creative thinking and promote interdisciplinary learning. (Preview lessons, keeping in mind standards of the school and community.)
http://www.rockhall.com/programs/plans.asp

Web Dictionaries for music definitions:
http://www.webster-dictionary.org/definition/melody
http://dict.die.net/melody/
http://www.hyperdictionary.com/dictionary/melody

LSU Eunice: Contemporary Cajun, Creole and Zydeco Musicians
This university site has very valuable information about Cajun, Zydeco and Creole music and musicians both past and present.
www.lsue.edu/acadgate/music/musicmain.htm

MENC: The National Association for Music Education—Online Teacher’s Guides and Lessons
http://www.menc.org.guides/guideindex.html
Writing

Society of Environmental Journalists
http://www.sej.org/index.htm

Knight Center for Environmental Journalism
http://ej.msu.edu/index2.php

School of Communication, Northern Arizona University
http://www.nau.edu/~soc-p/ecrc/

An interactive language arts and journalism project for middle schools developed by ThinkTVNetwork, Dayton, Ohio. An OET/SchoolNet Project
http://www.writesite.org/

Baldwin, Lyn. Keeping Track—notes on keeping an illustrated journal
http://www.umt.edu/mnps/keepingtrack.htm