# ENJOY MODERNISM Lesson plans

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LESSON PLAN	MODERNISM		
UNIT 1	BUILDINGS		
	Uses and characteristics of buildings I		
	Uses and characteristics of buildings II		
Sessions	3. Characteristics of the Modernist Style I		
	4. Characteristics of the Modernist Style II		
	5. History		

#### **AIMS**

- To recognise the uses for Modernist buildings.
- To recognise materials used by Modernist architects.
- To have a general knowledge about the characteristics of this Style.
- To recognise the main characteristics of Modernism in buildings.
- To understand where the architects found their inspiration.
- To have a general knowledge of the importance of this style in Catalonia.

# **Contribution to competences**

**Communicative**: Can interpret and understand the situations she/he will encounter in everyday context and beyond.

**Artistic and Cultural**: Can understand, perceive and value, critically, different cultural and artistic forms of expression.

## **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

#### . Will know:

- How to recognize some features of Modernist buildings.
- How to distinguish materials used on Modernist buildings.
- How to recognize essential elements of Modernist decorations.
- The effect of Modernism in Terrassa, Catalonia and Europe.

#### . Be able to:

- Apply vocabulary related to Modernist buildings.
- Understand how some buildings with tilted columns stand.
- Identify nature in decoration.
- Compare two animals in mythology.
- Place some countries in Europe where Modernism was called Art Nouveau

# . Will be aware of:

- The importance of curves in design
- The value of Modernism architecture
- How to cooperate in a group

COGNITION	CONTENT	CULTURE			
. Remembering vocabulary	. Uses of buildings.	. Interest in knowing and			
. Matching images and	. Characteristics of	valuing Modernist			
buildings' uses.	buildings in the Modernist	architecture			
. Understanding information	Style: materials, shapes	. Respect and value ideas			
. Classifying images and	and decoration.	and opinions of other			
materials	. Timeline about	people or classmates			
. Giving reasons	Modernism (Art Nouveau)				
. Hypothesizing about	period.				
buildings	. Locating Modernist				
. Identifying leaves and	movements on a map of				
European countries and cities.	Europe.				
	COMMUNICATION				
LANGUAGE OF	LANGUAGE FOR	LANGUAGE			
LEARNING	LEARNING	THROUGH			
		LEARNING			
Vocabulary:	. Expressing opinions and	. The use of the			
Kinds of building: office –	comparisons between	dictionary for vocabulary			
factory – building of flats –	buildings.	extension			
religious – school - park	. questioning and	. Questions that are			
Parts of a house: wall – roof –	answering	raised in the sessions			
chimney –window – door –	. Expressing their own				
balcony – arc – column.	opinion				
Materials: glass – wood –iron	. Expressing possibilities				
- tiles - brick - stone -					
concrete					
Adjectives:					
Bright – curved – high					
big – bigger – the biggest					
more/ less – colored					
Kinds of lines: horizontal –					
vertical – diagonal – parallel –					
zigzag - wavy – looped – curly					
<ul><li>scalloped - convergent</li></ul>					
Structures:					
I like I prefer I think					
How many are there?					
There is/are					
Has it got?					
Why? Because					
ASSESSMENT CRITERIA					
Students should be able to:					
Identify materials used in Modernist buildings.					

Identify materials used in Modernist buildings.

Describe some features about Modernist buildings.

Identify different designs for decorating buildings

LESSON	MODERNISM	
PLAN		
UNIT 2	ARCHITECTES	
	Lluís Muncunill	
Sessions	2. Antoni Gaudí	
	3. Visiting a building	

# **AIMS**

- To know about the main representative Modernist architects of this style in Terrassa, in Barcelona and in Norwich.
- To be able to describe Modernist buildings.

# **Contribution to competences**

**Communicative**: Relating observations, explanations, emotions and giving accounts of experiences after visiting one modernist building.

**Artistic and Cultural**: Understanding and valuing Muncunill and Gaudí modernist work and recognizing some of their known buildings.

# **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

# . Will know:

- How to recognize some features of Muncunill and Gaudi's live.
- How to distinguish the work of these two architects.
- Names of different buildings by Muncunill and Gaudí.

#### . Be able to:

- Identify Modernist buildings by Muncunill and Gaudí
- Make a lay out of a modernist building
- Place historical events on a timeline
- Place The most known Modernist buildings from Muncunill and Gaudí
- Report a visit to a Modernist building.

## . Will be aware of:

- The value of Modernism architecture
- How to cooperate in a group

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COGNITION	CONTENT	CULTURE
. Remembering	. Features about houses at	. Interest in knowing and
vocabulary	the beginning of XX	valuing Modernist
. Understanding	century.	architecture
information	. Facts about Muncunill and	. Respect and value ideas
. Matching words and	Gaudi's life.	and opinions of other people
definitions	. Visit to a Modernist	or classmates
. Sequencing facts on a	building	
timeline		
. Predicting outcomes		
(before the visit)		
	COMMUNICATION	
LANGUAGE OF	LANGUAGE FOR	LANGUAGE THROUGH
LEARNING	LEARNING	LEARNING
Vocabulary:	. Expressing opinions and	. The use of the dictionary
Style –decoration –the	comparisons between lay	for vocabulary extension
layout –creative – store -	outs of houses.	. Questions that are raised in
functional –façade –vault	. Expressing their own	the sessions
– pattern – resort to	feelings	
Prepositions:	. Expressing possibilities	
on the right – on the left	. Talking about the past	
. at the top $-$ at the bottom	. Describing a building	
. long – short –wide –		
narrow		
. in - on - next to -		
opposite		
Adverbs:		
. after – before		
Structures:		
Structures: I think; Maybe; It could be Why? Because		

# ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

Students should be able to:

Identify modernist buildings by Muncunill and Gaudí

Fill in a worksheet with information about Muncunill and Gaudí

LESSON	MODERNISM	
PLAN		
UNIT 3	ART	
Sessions	1. "Trencadís" a special mosaic	
	2. Stained-glass	
	3. Jewellery	
	4. Make a poster	

# **AIMS**

- To know about techniques used by architects to decorate buildings and practise similar techniques.
- To know how to prepare a poster to present an exhibition.

# **Contribution to competences**

**Artistic and Cultural**: Understanding and valuing modernism as a form of expression. **Methodological**: Applying skills that include strategic thinking and cooperation and self-evaluation skills

# **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

# . Will know:

- Features of decoration Modernist buildings.
- Materials needed for each particular decoration technique.

#### . Be able to:

- Observe and comment on features of decoration, giving examples.
- Do similar techniques.
- Create a poster

## . Will be aware of:

- The value of Modernist architecture
- How to work individually and cooperate in a group

COGNITION	CONTENT	CULTURE			
. Remembering	. Technique to make	. Interest in knowing and			
vocabulary	"trencadís", a kind of	valuing Modernist			
	mosaic.	architecture			
. Comparing different		. Respect and value ideas,			
designers' work.	. Technique to make	opinions and work of other			
_	stained-glass.	people or classmates			
. Generating their own	-				
ideas to create their own	. Technique to make wire				
designs	jewellery.				
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	. Design a poster				
	COMMUNICATION				
LANGUAGE OF	LANGUAGE FOR	LANGUAGE THROUGH			
LEARNING	LEARNING	LEARNING			
Vocabulary:	. Expressing opinions and	. The use of the dictionary			
Colours – shapes –	comparisons between lay	for vocabulary extension			
buildings – materials –	outs of houses.	. Questions that are raised in			
glass – wire - frieze	. Expressing their own	the sessions			
prepositions	feelings				
. on the right – on the left	. Expressing possibilities				
. at the top – at the bottom	. Talking about the past				
Adjectives:	. Asking and answering				
The easiest/ most difficult	questions.				
Happy / sad					
Structures:					

# ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

Students should be able to:

Do the prepared worksheets

Make their own creations in a modernist style

Collaborate in groups

Self assess their art work and use of language.