# ARTISTS FROM LLEIDA Lesson plans

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UNIT:	Artists from Lleida	
LESSON:	Lesson 1: Leandre Cristòfol's sculpture	

AIMS
To know of an artist from Lleida: Leandre Cristòfol.

#### **CONTRIBUTION TO COMPETENCES**

Communicative: Expressing ideas or thoughts through sculpture.

**Artistic and cultural**: Understanding and interpreting abstract art. Applying the techniques and resources of making a sculpture using reused materials in order to express an idea.

TEACHING OBJECTIVES What it is planned to teach	LEARNING OUTCOMES  What learners will be able to do at the end of the lesson
<ul> <li>To develop knowledge of Cristòfol's life, context and works</li> <li>To develop an understanding of different types of sculpture: figurative and abstract</li> <li>To create their own abstract sculpture with wire</li> <li>To create their own abstract sculpture with recycled materials</li> <li>To compare the artist with another one: Iglésias del Marquet</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Will know: <ul> <li>Some Cristòfol's life facts and relate them to his works</li> <li>The difference between figurative and abstract art</li> </ul> </li> <li>Will be able to: <ul> <li>Explain Cristòfol's life in general terms</li> <li>Recognise some Cristòfol's works of art</li> <li>Differentiate between figurative and abstract sculptures</li> <li>Design a sculpture of wire representing an abstract concept before doing it</li> <li>Create an abstract sculpture with recycled materials</li> <li>Explain their own procedure when creating the sculptures</li> <li>Find similarities and differences in the life and art of Leandre Cristòfol and Josep Iglésias</li> </ul> </li> <li>Will be aware of: <ul> <li>The value of other's work</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

#### CONTENT

- Leandre Cristòfol's sculpture
- Figurative art, abstract art
- Responsibility in the use of tools or materials

## COGNITION

- Classifying sculptures according to different criteria
- Describing sculptures
- Interpreting Cristofol's sculptures
- Generating their own way to express an abstract concept
- Expressing an idea through art
- Comparing information about different artists
- Identifying similarities and differences among two different artists

## **CULTURE**

- Respect ideas and opinions of other people
- Interest in knowing and valuing works of art of different people (artists and classmates)

#### COMMUNICATION

#### Of learning

Vocabulary

Figurative art, abstract art

Cristofol's life: to move; carpenter; to be recalled by the army; to take refuge; award; Materials of sculptures: spindle, wooden egg, piece of wood, knitting needles, needles, piece of cork, umbrella ribs, telephone wire, wood ball, a ball of cork, a piece of wire, egg boxes, plastic rings, polystyrene, umbrella, net, plastic ball, palette

#### Structures

Past simple tense: He was born...; He lived...; He studied...; He moved to...;

There's / There are

Prepositions: on the left, on the right, at the top, at the bottom, in the middle, in the corner, in the background, in the foreground

Present simple tense. Third person singular: The piece of wire bends. It looks like ... Let's...

Present simple tense: Take a ... and a ...; Stick the ... to the ...; Put the ... in the ...

#### For learning

- Explaining somebody's life facts
- Describing a sculpture
- Expressing preferences (Let's)
- Describing the procedure of making a picture

### Through learning

- The use of dictionaries for vocabulary extension
- Language through activities
- Questions that are raised in the sessions

#### **ASSESSMENT CRITERIA**

Can the students ...?

- Recount some and relevant Cristòfol's life facts
- Differentiate between figurative and abstract scupltures?
- Design an abstract sculpture with one specific purpose: express an abstract concept
- Value other sudents' works
- Use recycled materials in order to create an abstract sculpture and give it a meaning

#### **ACTIVITIES**

- Ordering Cristòfol's life facts
- Creating a timeline
- Describing sculptures
- Writing down what the students think a sculpture represents or is
- Design an abstract sculpture on a sheet of paper with charcoal pencils, representing a concept
- Make an abstract sculpture with wire
- Take a photograph of the sculpture and print it
- Describing materials and procedure of making an abstract sculpture

UNIT:	Artists from Lleida	
LESSON:	LESSON: Lesson 2. Josep Iglesias del Marquet and collage.	

AIMS	
To know of an artist form Lleida: Josep Iglésias del Marquet	

#### **CONTRIBUTION TO COMPETENCES**

Communicative: Defining oneself through art.

**Artistic and cultural**: Applying techniques (collage) of different artistic languages (2D works). Applying her/his basic knowledge of the different cultural and artistic forms of expression to appreciate its intrinsic value.

TEACHING OBJECTIVES What it is planned to teach	LEARNING OUTCOMES  What learners will be able to do at the end of the lesson
<ul> <li>To develop knowledge of Iglésias' life, context and works</li> <li>To develop an understanding of Pop Art movement and collage technique</li> <li>To create their own collage expressing oneself (in form of a postcard)</li> <li>To compare the artist with another one: Leandre Cristòfol</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Will know: <ul> <li>Some Iglésias' life facts and relate them to his works</li> <li>Main characteristics of Pop Art</li> <li>Main characteristics of collage technique</li> </ul> </li> <li>Will be able to: <ul> <li>Explain Iglésias' life in general terms</li> <li>Recognise some Iglésias' works of art.</li> <li>Identify characteristics of Pop Art works</li> <li>Use collage technique</li> <li>Design a collage expressing oneself</li> <li>Justify their own work</li> <li>Find similarities and differences in the life and art of Leandre Cristòfol and Josep Iglésias</li> </ul> </li> <li>Will be aware of: <ul> <li>The value of other's opion and works</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

### CONTENT

- Josep Iglésias' life: main facts
- Josep Iglésias collages
- Collage technique
- Pop art

## **COGNITION**

- Analysing main characteristics of different works of art (paintings, collage)
- Comparing different works of arts
- Reasoning why a work of art is classified as Pop Art
- Giving ideas to develop a collage
- Identifying things and objects that can define oneself
- Planning their own work
- Expressing oneself through art
- Comparing information about different artists
- Identifying similarities and differences among two different artists
- Generating ideas in order to create a display and presentation of one artist

## CULTURE

- Interest in knowing about their closest context: artist of their province
- Interest in knowing and valuing works of different people (artist and classmates)

- Respect ideas and art work of other people
- Value the use of reused materials

## COMMUNICATION

## Of learning

Vocabulary

Pop art

Collage technique Landscape, portrait Iglésias' life: Law, to marry

Colours: navy blue, lime green, bottle green, pale brown, fuchsia, burgundy.

Shapes: octagon, square, triangle, circle, parallelogram, cube, oval, trapezoid, sphere,

rectangle, pentagon, cylinder

Other words: fields, cloth, to paste, magazines, advertising, to poste, label

#### Structures

Past simple tenses: He was born: He studied: He moved to:

There is / There are The painters both ... Neither of them ... He (....) but he (...).

Maybe he ...

I'm going to use (...) because...

I have used (...) because ...

## For learning

- Explaining somebody's life facts
- Describing a work of art
- Comparing different lifes and works of art
- Expressing possibility
- Giving reasons

### Through learning

- The use of dictionaries for vocabulary extension
- Language through activities
- Questions that are raised in the sessions

#### ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

Can the students ...?

- Recount some relevant facts about Iglésias' life
- Recognise Pop Art works of art
- Imitate Iglésias' paintings: using geometrical forms and bright colours
- Predicting what materials they are going to need and use in a work
- Design a collage with one specific purpose: defying themselves
- Value other students' work

#### **ACTIVITIES**

- Wall dictation
- Comparing works of art
- Making a painting in Iglésias' style
- Fill in the gaps
- Making a collage in group
- Reporting about their work of art
- Planning and making their postcard (collage)
- Describing materials and procedure of making their work (postcard).
- Ordering and sequencing information about the artist
- Identifying correct information
- Making a display and presentation about one of the artists