



# CLASS: 6TH GRADE ART

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MONDAY

- Learning Target:

Identify the 4 parts of art criticism.

How do artists describe artwork?

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There are 4 parts to formal art criticism. The first 3 parts help give you a basis for creating your opinion in the last part.

Please click on the link below to watch a brief overview of the 4 parts of criticism

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1b3CvtRMGtg>

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# Are your summaries similar to these?

- \*Description..... facts
- \*Analysis..... explain elements
- \*Interpretation..... tell story
- \*Judgement/Evaluation....give opinion

Now, see if you can think of 1 question to represent each step.

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Now, Think of 1 question you could ask to represent each step.

\*Description

What do you see in the work?

Now, Think of 1 question you could ask to represent each step.

\*Analysis

How did the artist use the elements?

Now, Think of 1 question you could ask to represent each step.

\*Interpretation

What story is the artist trying to tell?

Now, Think of 1 question you could ask to represent each step.

\*Judgement/Evaluation

Why is the artwork successful or not?

Today we'll take an in depth look at description.

We'll start by hunting for facts in a given work.

You will need to create an alphabet grid with 1 letter in each box.

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A	B	C	D	E
F	G	H	I	J
K	L	M	N	O
P	Q	R	S	T
U	V	W	X	Y
Z				



You can make a grid with 26 boxes or more. I used more because often, you will find more than 1 item for some letters. This example gives me 4 extra spaces to use.

A	B	C	D	E
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Write 1 object you spot in the given work for each letter. Example: if there are oranges in the artwork you would write oranges in the "O" box.

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The more specific you are the more boxes you can fill. Hat will only go in 1 box (H), but if you say Blue hat (B) or Striped hat (S) you could fill 2 boxes.

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Use your detective skills on "The Night Cafe" by Van Gogh and fill in your alphabox.



# HOW TO SHOW US YOUR CREATIONS...

*BE BOLD, BE SAFE, and TAKE  
CARE OF YOU!*

*All the best,  
Ms. Fields*

We'd love to see your  
work!!!

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