

# Indigenous Arts

## Grade 1

### ARTS EDUCATION BIG IDEAS

People create art to express who they are as individuals and community.

Engagement in the **arts** creates opportunities for **inquiry** through purposeful play.

### Learning Standards

Curricular Competencies	Content
<p><i>Students will be able to use creative processes to:</i></p> <p><b>Exploring and creating</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Explore <b>elements</b>, processes, materials, movements, technologies, tools, and techniques of the arts</li><li>• Create artistic works collaboratively and as an individual, using ideas inspired by imagination, inquiry, experimentation, and <b>purposeful play</b></li><li>• Explore artistic expressions of themselves and community through <b>creative processes</b></li></ul> <p><b>Reasoning and reflecting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Observe and share how <b>artists</b> (dancers, actors, musicians, and visual artists) use processes, materials, movements, technologies, tools, and techniques</li><li>• Reflect on creative processes and make connections to other experiences</li></ul> <p><b>Communicating and documenting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Experience, <b>document</b> and <b>share</b> creative works in a variety of ways</li></ul>	<p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• elements in the arts, including but not limited to:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– visual arts: elements of design: <b>line, shape, texture</b>, colour; <b>principles of design: pattern, repetition</b></li></ul></li><li>• processes, materials, movements, <b>technologies</b>, tools and techniques to support arts activities</li><li>• <b>symbolism</b> as a means of expressing specific meaning</li><li>• traditional and contemporary <b>Aboriginal arts</b> and arts-making processes</li><li>• <b>personal and collective responsibility</b> associated with creating, experiencing, or sharing in a safe learning environment</li></ul>

Source: All information provided above has been extracted from the Province of British Columbia's Curriculum for Grades K to 9  
<https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/curriculum/arts-education>