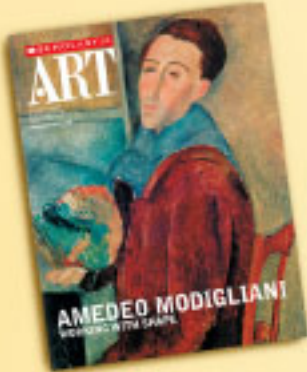




## CLASSROOM MAGAZINES

# Scholastic ART® Reinforces Visual and Literacy Skills



**S**cholastic ART offers an easy-to-use, complete art curriculum. It is a unique classroom magazine combining art history, aesthetics lessons, and practical application. Each issue is built on a firm foundation of skills that reinforces the classroom curriculum. Students learn about different aspects of art ranging from painting to sculpture to composition and form.

The following essential skills are addressed in *Scholastic ART*:

### ART

- **Read about and gain a deeper understanding of the following topics in art:**
  - Artists' works and lives
  - Art media
  - Symbolism in art
  - Artistic techniques
  - Composition
  - Visual literacy
  - Artistic concepts
  - Principles and elements of design
  - Current teenage artists
- **Analyze art, including:**
  - Specific works of art
  - Different themes and elements in art
  - Comparing and contrasting different artists and works of art
- **Learn about Art History, including:**
  - Important events and artists in history
  - Different movements and schools of art
  - Examination of artists' work through the lens of history
  - Changes and progress of artists' careers
  - Art's impact on history and vice versa
- **Create original works of art:**
  - Inspired by the work of known artists
  - Learn and apply basic techniques
  - Practice individual art skills

### LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT

- **Practice reading nonfiction articles aloud.**
- **Practice conversation skills through discussions of:**
  - Articles
  - Art pieces
  - Artists' lives and works
  - Art history
  - Concepts in art
- **Learn and use new content vocabulary related to art:**
  - Apply new vocabulary skills through art projects

### READING COMPREHENSION

- **Read through the lens of art.**
- **Build reading stamina.**
- **Practice the following reading comprehension strategies:**
  - Interpret text
  - Evaluate text
  - Pose and answer questions
  - Synthesize ideas
  - Make inferences
- **Develop strong critical thinking skills.**
- **Use the text to develop and support opinions.**
- **Answer questions based on the text.**
- **Apply understanding of a variety of nonfiction features in reading.**
- **Practice visual skills related to interpreting works of art.**

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**Scholastic ART for Grades 7–12:**

**SOCIAL STUDIES**

- Understand the following important social studies concepts and topics in relation to art:
  - Culture and diversity
  - Time, continuity, and change
  - People, places, and environment
  - Power, authority, and governance
  - American History
  - World History
  - Individuals and events in history
  - People and current events in our world
- Answer questions based on maps
- Analyze relevant social studies issues through discussions and writing.

**WRITING**

- Experience writing as an enjoyable and useful activity.
- Respond to writing prompts.
- Answer a variety of written questions related to art.

**TEST PREPARATION**

- Practice answering questions similar to those on standardized tests.
- Build test-taking stamina through practice tests.
- Answer different types of questions in preparation for standardized tests, including:
  - Multiple choice
  - Fill-in-the-blank
  - Open-ended



Students learn about important artists through a deep description and analysis of their work.

Articles about teenage artists inform and inspire students' own artwork and art abilities.

Themes, symbolism, and elements of design are explained through specific examples of different works.

Step-by-step activities provide opportunities to apply information learned and create original works of art.

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