

Liwanda Africa!

Grade 3

ARTS EDUCATION BIG IDEAS

Dance, drama, music, and visual arts are each unique languages for creating and communicating.

The **arts** connect our experiences to the experiences of others.

Learning Standards

| Curricular Competencies | Content |
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| <p><i>Students will be able to use creative processes to:</i></p> <p>Exploring and creating</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explore identity, place, culture, and belonging through arts experiences• Explore relationships among cultures, communities, and the arts <p>Reasoning and reflecting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Observe, listen, describe, inquire, and predict how artists (dancers, actors, musicians, and visual artists) use processes, materials, movements, technologies, tools, and techniques• Reflect on creative processes and make connections to personal experiences• Connect knowledge and skills from other areas of learning in planning, creating, and interpreting works for art | <p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• elements in the arts, including but not limited to:<ul style="list-style-type: none">– dance: body, space, dynamics, time, relationships, form– music: beat/pulse, duration, rhythm, tempo, pitch, timbre, dynamics, form, texture• processes, materials, technologies, tools, and techniques to support arts activities• symbolism as ways of creating and representing meaning• traditional and contemporary Aboriginal arts and arts-making processes• a variety of local works of art and artistic traditions from diverse cultures, communities, times, and places |

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<https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/curriculum/arts-education>

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SOCIAL STUDIES BIG IDEAS

People from diverse cultures and societies share some common experiences and aspects of life.

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| <p><i>Students are expected to be able to do the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explain why people's beliefs, values, worldviews, experiences, and roles give them different perspectives on people, places, issues, or events (perspective) | <p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• aspects of life shared by and common to peoples and cultures |

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ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS BIG IDEAS

Stories and other **texts** help us learn about ourselves, our families, and our communities.

Stories can be understood from different perspectives.

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| <p><i>Using oral, written, visual, and digital texts, students are expected individually and collaboratively to be able to:</i></p> <p>Comprehend and connect (reading, listening, viewing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Engage actively as listeners, viewers, and readers, as appropriate, to develop understanding of self, identity, and community• Show awareness of how story in First Peoples cultures connects people to family and community• Develop awareness of how story in First Peoples cultures connects people to land <p>Create and communicate (writing, speaking, representing)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explore and appreciate aspects of First Peoples oral traditions | <p><i>Students are expected to know the following:</i></p> <p>Story/text</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• elements of story• literary elements and devices <p>Strategies and processes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• oral language strategies |

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