

5th GRADE – CCC – Colonial Williamsburg

Lesson

A look at art from the culture presented through this grade's CCC curriculum. The assigned Art Appreciation project will be used in conjunction with the CCC festival as decoration or prop to further understanding of this culture.

Supplies

- Large white construction paper (12 x 18)
- Large black construction paper (12 x 18)
- A light source (overhead projector will work- you will want to experiment beforehand to make sure the light source works- teachers should be able to assist)
- Tape
- Scissors
- White chalk for tracing

Activity – Student Silhouettes

1. Tape the black piece of construction paper on the wall or blackboard.
2. Have each student sit or stand with their profile next to the paper.
3. Shine the light source at the student's profile and trace it onto the black paper.
4. Have the student cut out the profile and mount it onto the white construction paper with tape .
5. These silhouettes will be used to decorate the MPR for CCC Williamsburg- have students write their names and classroom on back, so they can get the silhouette back after CCC.
*Note- girls may want to pull hair back in a ponytail- have teachers suggest this to girls the day before