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Master of Educational Technology

Intermediate Lesson Planning Template

Grade(s): 4-6 Duration: 60-120 Lesson Topic/Title: Personal Identity - My Story (I Am)

Subjects: mins Art/ADST/Career Education

Big Ideas:

- Engaging in creative expression and experiences expands people's sense of identity and community.
- We experience many changes in our lives that influence how we see ourselves and others

Curricular Competencies:

- Intentionally select, apply, combine, and arrange artistic elements, processes, materials, technologies, tools, and environments in art-making
- Explore relationships between identity, place, culture, society, and belonging through the arts
- Interpret and communicate ideas using symbols and elements to express meaning through the arts
- Appreciate the importance of respect, inclusivity, and other positive behaviours in diverse, collaborative learning environments

Content Objectives

General Objectives:

- Reflect on personal identity and what it means to you
- Celebrate identities authentically
- Challenge stereotypes
- Create a more inclusive and respectful community

Specific Objectives:

- Students will engage with processes, materials, technologies, tools, strategies, and techniques to support creative works
- Students will be able to work collaboratively and inclusively
- Students will be able to share their work using a delivery mode of their choice

Create a story that reflects who you are	•	Students will understand the personal and collective responsibility associated
		with creating, experiencing, or presenting in a safe learning environment
	•	Students will reflect on and examine their own thinking about identity

21st CENTURY COMPETENCIES: BC Core

Competencies

- Communication
 - Communicating Students will exchange information, experiences and ideas to explore the world around them and to understand and
 effectively use communication forms, strategies, and technologies.
 - o Collaborating Students will work with others and recognize and value others' perspectives
- Thinking
 - o Creative Thinking Students will generate ideas and concepts about identity and develop a creative piece to reflect their understanding
 - Critical and Reflective Thinking Students will examine their own thinking about their identities and be curious about how their identity influences the world around them
- Personal and Social Awareness
 - Positive Personal Cultural Identity Students will understand and appreciate factors that contribute to a healthy sense of oneself.

LEARNING GOAL(S)

- I can reflect on my own identity
- I can appreciate that there are many parts of me that make up my identity
- I can appreciate the diversity of identities within my classroom and broader community
- I can demonstrate respect and empathy towards individuals with different identities from my own
- I can engage in open and constructive discussions about identity, valuing different perspectives and experiences
- I can actively contribute to creating an inclusive and equitable environment that values and respects all identities
- I can reflect on the ongoing development of my personal identity and celebrate my identity authentically

PRIOR KNOWLEDGE Prior to this lesson, students will be able to...

- Students will be able to understand the importance of storytelling
- Students will be able to work collaboratively in an inclusive environment

Equity, Diversity, Inclusion, Decolonization, Anti-Racism (EDIDA) Frameworks-

Considerations:

- Students will choose materials of their choice to depict a story about themselves however they choose
- Students will have fair and equitable access to resources and tools
- Students will be encouraged to collaborate with peers
- Students will be encouraged to challenge themselves and take risks
- Students will be encouraged to think critically, creatively, and reflectively
- The contextual space will be safe and inclusive

- Students will have the option for flexible seating and group work
- Students will receive personalized, immediate feedback and guidance
- Students will be encouraged to share their stories
- Students will consider the diverse perspectives of classmates
- Students will be encouraged to exercise a growth mindset with digital applications

DIFFERENTIATED INSTRUCTION What will I do to assist and/or differentiate instruction for individual learners? (Materials, Delivery, Outcome)

- Choice of materials to use
- Students can choose to share their story with a partner, in small groups, or not at all
- Choice of no-tech/low-tech/high-tech material options available
- Provide scaffolding or extra support for students in need
- Students can bring in materials of their own
- Options to work with a partner when gathering and creating materials
- Extension activities provided
- Students are not required to provide connections/questions to every art piece

Accommodations: (PLEASE REFER TO THE INCLUSION GUIDE)

- Consider the physical space; lighting, seating
- Provide translation devices
- Provide students with breaks when needed
- Provide students with extra class time to complete the presentation
- Provide students with extra support if needed
- Provide students with opportunities to reflect on learning
- Encourage a growth mindset

MATERIALS:

- 11x17 paper
- See/Think/Wonder sheet
- Loose parts of your choice
- Writing material
- iPad
- Optional Applications: iMovie, StopMotionFilms, BookCreator, PowerPoint
- Extension Application: MakeyMakey

INTRODUCTION/MINDS-ON

- Review the importance of oral storytelling
- Write down one word that represents you. Think about what stories might go with your word
- Share your word with a partner

CRITICAL GUIDING QUESTIONS:

- How might storytelling influence your life and how you see the world?
- How might you tell your own story?

ACTION-LEARNING EXPERIENCES:

A) EXPERIENCE 1 (Provocation/Challenge)

- Students will watch the video: Wellbeing for Children https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=om3INBWfoxY
- Discuss with a partner or small group the following questions:
 - O What do you see in this video?
 - o What is the video missing?
 - O How would you tell your own story?
 - o How is identity-related to wellbeing?
 - O Where do values come from?
 - What do you think are important aspects of your identity?

• EXPERIENCE 2 (Provocation/Challenge)

- Students will create a piece related to their identity with loose parts of their choice
 - Gather your materials to complete your identity piece (11x7 paper, See/Think/Wonder sheet, loose parts)
 - o Think about different symbols, images, words, etc that represent you
 - You could incorporate the word that you chose to represent yourself at the beginning of the lesson
 - o Connect your identity to a place
- Gallery Walk: Students will walk around the classroom and observe the loose parts and identity pieces of classmates
 - Students will write down any connections, questions, or comments they have for the artist using a See/Think/Wonder sheet
- Think-Pair-Share: Share in partners or small groups about what your piece means to you. Invitation to share as a class to follow.
- Take a photo of your piece and add it to your portfolio
- Return all materials

C) EXPERIENCE 3 (Provocation/Challenge)

CRITICAL GUIDING QUESTIONS:

- Who am I?
- Where am I from?
- What's important to me?
- What is identity?
- What are the key aspects of my identity that shape me as a person?
- How do my experiences of privilege or marginalization shape my identity?
- How does my identity influence my choices in life?
- How does my identity shape how I see the world?

- Students will create a story to represent their identity journeys and to help develop a positive personal identity
 - o This could reflect a timeline
 - This could focus on a milestone in your identity journey
 - This could focus on an important aspect of your personal identity
- Students can choose to make a poster presentation but are encouraged to make a digital presentation
 - Suggested Applications:
 - 1) StopMotion Films
 - 2) iMovie
 - 3) BookCreator
 - 4) PowerPoint
- Students should be encouraged to think about the loose parts activity and the different identity stories that were shared with classmates
- Students should be encouraged to reflect on comments left by classmates on the See/Think/ Wonder sheet

CONSOLIDATION/CONCLUSION:

- Give time to reflect on students' own work. Encourage reflection on the connections, questions, or comments classmates observed about your identity piece from the See/Think/Wonder sheet.
- Have a class discussion and encourage group sharing about partner discussions and/or any reflections or comments about identity pieces.
- Fill out exit slip: Self-assessment checklist of participation and 2 stars and a wish
- Invitation to present a digital presentation to the class

CRITICAL GUIDING QUESTIONS:

- How do different aspects of your identity, such as your culture, hobbies, or beliefs, contribute to who you are as an individual?
- How can we create an inclusive environment where everyone feels valued and respected for their unique identities?
- What does your identity piece mean to you?
- What materials did you choose to use? Why?
- What did you learn about your partner's identity piece?
- How were other identity pieces different from yours? How were they similar?
- What did you find interesting about your classmate's connections, questions, or

comments towards your identity piece?

ASSESSMENT (STRATEGIES, TOOLS) - DIAGNOSTIC, FORMATIVE, SUMMATIVE

Diagnostic

Self-assessment checklist of participation

Formative

- Teacher observation/feedback on student engagement
- Think-pair-share
- Questions to guide understanding

Summative

- Ongoing contribution to unit portfolio
- 2 stars and a wish

EVALUATION OF THE LESSON

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REFLECTION:

- 1. Were my students successful in meeting the learning goals? How do I know?
- 2. Did my instructional decisions meet the needs of all students? If not, what are my next steps?
- **3.** What worked well? Why?
- 4. What will I do differently
 - a. When teaching this lesson again?

- **b.** For the subsequent lesson?
- 5. What are the next steps for my professional learning?