

Guided Tour Theme: Storytelling

Grade 5-8

Artists have long employed their craft as a means of storytelling, conveying complex emotions, ideas, and experiences through visual mediums. Dig into the stories depicted within the artwork at Cameron Art Museum. This thematic visit includes brainstorming, and visual decoding of the artwork on view to build out a story being communicated to the audience. Students will employ their critical thinking skills to build off observations and construct a visual narrative. Generative dialogues will be organically orchestrated to develop visual literacy and vocabulary skills.

Social Studies Standards

Grade 5: Behavioral Science

Explain how traditions, social structure, and artistic expression have contributed to the unique identity of the United States.

Grade 6: Behavioral Science

Explain how artistic expressions reflect the values of civilizations in Africa, Asia, Europe, and the Americas.

Grade 7: History

Summarize the influence women, indigenous, racial, ethnic, political, and religious groups have had on historical events and current global issues.

Grade 8: History

Explain how recovery, resistance, and resilience to inequities, injustices, discrimination, prejudice, and bias have shaped the history of North Carolina and the nation.

Visual Arts Standards

Grade 5-8: Visual Literacy

Use the language of visual arts to communicate effectively.

Grade 5-8: Critical Response

Use critical analysis to generate responses to a variety of prompts.

Grade 5-8: Contextual Relevancy

Understand the interdisciplinary connections and life applications of the visual arts.

To book a guided tour, please email education@cameronartmuseum.org or call 910-726-9490