### Special: Art

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**Grade:** 4

**Resources:** Found objects, Pencil, Colored Pencils (optional)

**Lesson:** *See the pages to follow.*
Create Your Own Still Life

Still Life: Still Life Art has been created for many years. A still life is made by painting or drawing objects that don’t move. The artist picks objects such as vases, flowers, or fruit to place in front of them to draw- *draw from life*. Remember that an artist that goes outside to draw is *not* drawing a still life but instead a landscape. Also, drawing a person is not a still life, it is a portrait. What makes a still life interesting is what objects you pick, how the objects interact together, or where the objects are placed.

Famous Still Life Artists and Examples:

**Paul Cezanne**: One of the most famous still life artists who is well known for his still life art of apples.

**Wayne Thiebaud**: Known for his still life art of desserts.

**Vincent van Gogh**: Was known for not only his sunflower still life art but his landscapes and unique brush strokes in his paintings.
Below are images of still life art coming from modern artists:

Pick 3 objects (can be anything that interests you), place the objects your desired composition, and draw! You may add color to it if you choose!
Questions:

1. What objects did you pick to use?

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2. Why did you pick the objects that you chose?

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3. Did your objects go together like a theme as we saw with Paul Cezanne or Wayne Theibaud’s still life art?

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4. What did you place your objects on before you drew them?

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