# Identity Zine Lesson Plan

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## Anticipatory Activity

Students will participate in an anticipatory activity to familiarize themselves with idea of identity and identity words.

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### **Art History**

 Students will be presented a lesson discussing the definition of identity and how it can be expressed in art. They will be shown examples of various self portraits from artists like Frida Kahlo and Vincent Van Gogh. They will also be given a brief timeline of zines throughout history.

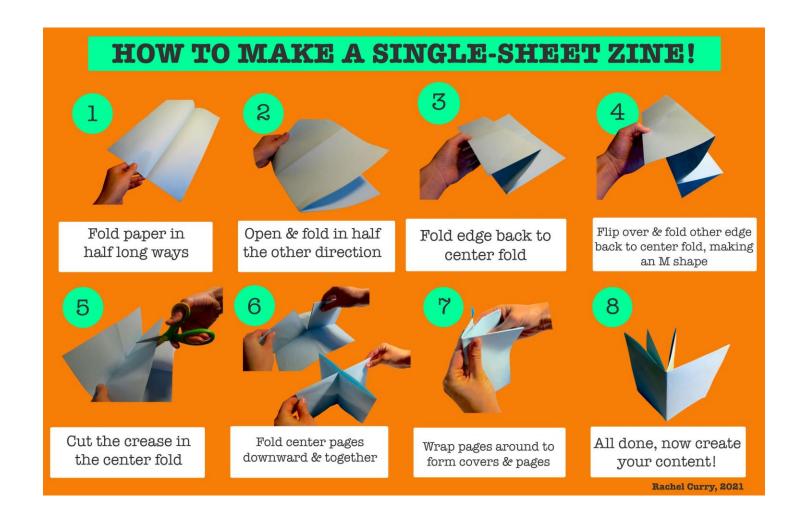




### Worksheet

### How to Make a Zine

Students will be given step by step instructions on how to construct their zine



### Lesson Plan

Title: Exploration of identity through the making of zines

### Objective(s)

- Create original work of art through paper making
- Handle Materials effectively
- · Describe, analyze, and interpret work of art
- Understanding of how to roughly navigate through the complexity of identity

### Rectangular Snip

- Standards
- Brainstorm- consider the different elements in which one person can identify as
- Observe the teacher as they prepare the making of a zine
- Choose from a range of drawing techniques to create the zine

### Vocabulary

<u>Culture</u>: the customs, arts, social institutions, and achievements of a particular nation, people, or other social group.

<u>Identity</u>: the fact of being who or what a person or thing is.

<u>Zine</u>: some sort of publication, usually mass-produced by photocopying (in some cases, scanned, put on the 'net, or copied via fax) on any range of topics, but usually filled with passion a means of telling one's story, sharing thoughts, and'or artwork/comics/doodles.

Materials: Scissors, paper, pens or preferred writing/drawing instruments

### Lesson Plan

 After participating in an anticipatory activity and art history presentation, students will go on to create their own hand made zine using their ideas of identity. Each section of the zine will contain an aspect of their identity, and the whole thing will unfold to reveal a self portrait. They will then participate in a peer-review activity.

### **Grading Sheets**

 The teacher will evaluate student progress and achievement through the use of a rubric. However, the added twist is that students will peer-review each other's work and assign a grade based on the outlined criteria. Students will know who's work they're reviewing, students will need to peer-review 3 or 4 of their classmate's work. Afterwards the teacher will use this information as a baseline and adjust the grade if needed. The reasoning behind this evaluation is to give students a sense of trust and responsibility for the work they provided. When students take on the role of a teacher, it gives them a clearer sense of what they will be graded on and how they can improve the quality of their work for the upcoming assignments and projects in the semester.



### Art Rubric

| StudentAssignment  |                   |               |                  | ıarter                     |
|--|-------------------|---------------|------------------|----------------------------|
|  | Excellent<br>9-10 | Good<br>8-8.9 | Average<br>7-7.9 | Needs Improvement<br>0-6.9 |
| CRAFTSMANSHIP<br>Appearance<br>Concern for excellence            |                   |               |                  |                            |
| CREATIVITY Unique solution Personality incorporated              |                   |               |                  |                            |
| WORK HABIT<br>Use of time<br>Seeks help/ considers advice        |                   |               |                  |                            |
| ATTITUDE/<br>ATTENDANCE<br>Considerate<br>Assumes Responsibility |                   |               |                  |                            |
| ASSIGNMENT FULFILLED Carried assignment to completion            |                   |               |                  |                            |
| Comments:  |                   |               |                  |                            |

### Art Student Self-Evaluation

| Name:       | - |
|-------------|---|
| Class:      | _ |
| Designation |   |

### Point system:

20/10 - Excellent, Outstanding, Best possible

16/8 - Above average, Good, Acceptable

12/6 - Average, Not quite acceptable, Needs more work

8/4 - Below average, Needs much improvement

/2 - Unsatisfactory, Poor, Unacceptable

| Grading On:   | Student Score |    |    |   | Teacher Score |  |
|---|---------------|----|----|---|---------------|--|
| Creativity, use of original ideas, self-expression                                      | 20            | 16 | 12 | 8 | 4             |  |
| Art skills and techniques,<br>use of media, use of<br>design elements and<br>principles | 20            | 16 | 12 | 8 | 4             |  |
| Craftsmanship, control of media, care taken for work                                    | 10            | 8  | 6  | 4 | 2             |  |
| Use of class time and<br>personal time outside of<br>class                              | 20            | 16 | 12 | 8 | 4             |  |
| Effort given to project,<br>prepared for class,<br>responsibility                       | 20            | 16 | 12 | 8 | 4             |  |
| Completion of<br>Self-Evaluation  | 10            | 8  | 6  | 4 | 2             |  |
| TOTAL   |               |    |    |   |               |  |

TOTAL:

# Teacher Samples