

Guided Lesson Notes

Name: _____ Date: _____

Great Works of the Renaissance

Directions: Complete this study guide as you move through the lesson. By taking notes, you are more likely to remember what you are learning. The completed study guide can be used for practice activities and to prepare for quizzes and exams. Be sure to save each study guide so you can access it when you need it.

Essential Vocabulary

As you encounter these World History terms in the lesson, enter the meaning and an example (or two) for each. You can even draw a picture. If there are other unfamiliar words you find, enter them in the blank spaces provided.

<i>fresco</i>	<i>perspective</i>
<i>triptych</i>	<i>woodcut</i>
<i>humanist</i>	<i>Giotto</i>

<i>patron</i>	<i>commission</i>
<i>Medici</i>	<i>secular</i>
<i>icon</i>	<i>iconography</i>

Still the Best

1. How did Renaissance painting differ from medieval art in its depiction of human figures?

1. What technique did Leonardo da Vinci use in *The Last Supper* to create the illusion of depth?

2. Why is Michelangelo's *Pieta* considered one of his most famous works?

3. What makes Hieronymus Bosch's *The Garden of Earthly Delights* different from typical Renaissance paintings?

4. What artistic method did Albrecht Durer use to create detailed images like *Melancholia*?

Renaissance or Non-Renaissance

<i>K – What you Know</i>	<i>W – Want to Know</i>	<i>L – What you Learn</i>

Great Florentine Art

☐ True ☐ False	1. Florence was a major center of art and new ideas during the Renaissance.
☐ True ☐ False	2. The Uffizi Museum in Florence is known for its Renaissance music collection.
☐ True ☐ False	3. Visitors to Florence today can still see Renaissance art and architecture throughout the city.

Art and the Artist

3 Facts

2 Questions
1 Comment

A Shift in Perspective

1. How did the philosophy of humanism influence Renaissance artists?

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2. What artistic innovation is Giotto known for introducing Renaissance art?

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3. Complete the chart below by taking notes from the text.

Early Renaissance Awakening	
From God's Perspective	

Giotto Changes Focus	
Seeing is Believing	

Thematically Speaking

What themes emerged in Renaissance art? Write a 5–7 sentence paragraph in response to the prompt.

The Pope's Commission

1. During the Renaissance, a _____ provided artists with food, shelter, and recognition.
2. A _____ is a request for a specific piece of artwork, such as a portrait or mural.

3. Renaissance artists did not have access to galleries, websites, or federal _____ to support their work.
4. Pope _____ II became a major patron of the artists like Michelangelo.
5. Michelangelo feared he would _____ when asked to complete one of the pope's challenging commissions.

Patrons of the Arts

Use the note taking template to pull out important information from the text.

Role of Patrons			
What did patrons give artists?			
What did patrons get in return?			
Key Patrons			
The Medici Family (Florence)	Type of work they did:	Why they supported arts:	Types of art they commissioned:

Pope Julius II (Rome)	City he lived in:	
	Why the Church commissioned art:	
Overall Impact of Patronage		
Why did the arts thrive?		
Name two artists who benefited from patronage:		
What purpose did art serve during this time?		

Secular Art

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A Famous Rivalry

Main Idea/ Big Concept Summarize the central idea in 1–2 sentences.	
Key Facts/ Supporting Details Use bullet points to list important facts, dates, terms, or examples.	
Vocabulary/ Terms to Know Define important terms or concepts mentioned.	