Abstract Collaborative Painting

 $3rd \ Grade \rightarrow 8th \ Grade$

Materi	ials & Resources:	Artists will engage in:	
of butc 3' x 4' well.) Black a Variou Mediun	sheet of white paper (could tear off a roll her/bulletin board paper, approximately in size. Brown kraft paper will suffice as acrylic paint s colors of acrylic paint. See below. m-large size paintbrushes (2-3 per artist) cups to hold individual paint colors To further the learning, you could choose to focus on a color scheme for each group, and plan the paint colors around that. (ie. primary (R, Y, B), secondary (G, O, V), tints/shades (a color +	independent activitie [X_cooperative learning] peer tutoring [X_whole group instruc [interdisciplinary] learning [self-assessment [X_activation of prior] knowledge [uestioning strategie] [varied learning styles]	g _X_hands-on centers tionsimulations technology lecture X_visuals X_a project
Object	white or black), etc.)		Example Image
Objectives/Learning GoalsExample ImageTSWBAT (The Student Will Be Able To)Example Image			Example image
•	TSWBAT work with a group to create a c	collaborative group	
	painting.	Sicup	
	TSWBAT identify a color scheme and de	fine its color makeun	
Antioi	patory Set/Instructional Input	mie its color makeup.	
Antici	Depending on the number of artists, divid	e artists into groups Mini	imum 2 maximum 4
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		they will also work for th	e good of the group.
<u>Guided & Independent Practice:</u> 1. Using a paintbrush and black acrylic paint, artists should paint the <u>outline</u> of 3 shapes of their			
1.	choice onto the large paper. The shapes ca	-	-
2.	Each artist should paint the <u>outline</u> of a shape that hasn't been painted yet. (<i>Talk about the</i>		
	difference between geometric and organic shapes. Usually at this step, artists will paint an		
	organic shape which is great.)		
3. Tell artists to connect all the shapes together by painting a line. Every shape shoul		ery shape should be	
	connected to one another with a line.		
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5	they are doing is breaking up the space into more shapes. Decide on a color scheme/paint colors. Limit the color scheme/paint colors to around 3 colors		
5. Decide on a color scheme/paint colors. Limit the color scheme/paint colors to around 3 otherwise paintings tend to get "muddy".			it colors to around 5 colors
6.	Tell students to fill in the shapes with paint. However, no same colors of paint can touch! This		
	is a fun, tricky rule that makes students work together and "plan" their painting, thinking about		
	composition etc.		
7.	Once all shapes are filled with paint, let the painting dry and look at the "abstracted		
1	stained-glass" effect the painting has.		

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