

K-12 COLORADO OR NATIONAL STANDARDS

The Way West, Sangre de Cristo Arts Center

(Standards addressed in the summer workshop and/or in the exhibits)

MATH

- Geometric concepts, properties and relationships
- Measurement
- Computational techniques, estimation, mental arithmetic, etc.

SCIENCE

- Characteristics and structure of living things, processes of life
- Relationships among science, technology and human activity

READING/WRITING

- Read and understand a variety of materials
- Apply thinking skills to reading, writing, speaking, listening, thinking

GEOGRAPHY

- Know physical and human characteristics of places
- Understand effects of interactions between human and physical systems
- Apply knowledge of people, places, and environments to past and present

HISTORY

- Understand chronological organization of history and relationships
- Understand that societies are diverse and have changed

VISUAL ARTS

- Knowledge and application of materials, techniques and processes of art
- Knowledge and application of visual arts components

MUSIC

- Listen to, analyze, evaluate and describe music

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SPECIFIC SOCIAL STUDIES 3-4 Benchmarks addressed in workshops and/or exhibits.

ECONOMICS

- Identify goods and services that we use in the Colorado area
- Explain when there are limited resources and unlimited wants or needs
- Identify different economic systems (barter, gold, etc.)
- Describe how voluntary exchange of goods affects all parties in the exchange

GEOGRAPHY

- Identify geographic features
- Identify a region by its geographic characteristics
- Understand different peoples living in Colorado
- Identify the causes of human migration
- Identify the location of major economic activities in Colorado
- Identify factors that affect where people settle
- Describe the role of resources in daily life

HISTORY

- Understand cause-effect relationships
- Make predictions based on past experiences
- Describe the impact of various technological developments on history
- Describe the economic reasons that cause people to migrate
- Describe how people obtain goods and services