



deBAWP: The Inspiration Series

Be inspired this fall as the de Young Museum and UC Berkeley's Bay Area Writing Project present their innovative and popular professional development series for K-8 teachers. This seven-session series, held at the de Young and the Legion of Honor, is taught by BAWP teacher consultants in partnership with the museum's education department.

Dates: September 27, October 18, November 15, 2008
January 17, February 21, March 21, April 18, 2009

Time: 9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Credit: 1 unit of academic credit available; 21 increment hours towards district prof. development

Cost: \$75, limited scholarships available, contact Emily Doman at edoman@famsf.org or 415-750-3522 for more information.

Series features:

- Priority booking for museum visits with your class
- Hands-on art and writing activities
- Time to explore the de Young's collections
- Talks by museum staff and curators
- Introduction to the museum's free interdisciplinary curriculum Get Smart with Art
- Introduction to Visual Thinking Strategies (VTS) and to developing critical thinking through arts and writing
- Opportunities to work with grade-level colleagues
- To register, call or email Emily Doman at 415-750-3522/edoman@famsf.org or download registration form at www.bayareawritingproject.org.
- Space is limited. Please register soon.

Written to support the California State Content Standards in language arts, social studies and the visual arts, Get Smart with Art @ the de Young is an interdisciplinary curriculum package that uses art objects as primary documents, sparking investigations into the diverse cultures represented by the Museums' collections. In order to promote implementation, all historical texts are written at the intended grade level, thereby reducing the amount of teacher preparation required. In essence, Get Smart with Art @ the de Young is a readymade curriculum that simply requires the addition of inquisitive students. Using art objects as the foundation for each lesson, the guides develop visual literacy, historical knowledge, artistic expression, and expository writing skills.



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REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Number of Years Teaching: _____ Current Grade Level(s): _____

Do you have Visual Thinking Strategies (VTS) at your school? Yes No

Are you familiar with "Making Learning Visible"? Yes No

Subject(s) you teach: _____

School Name: _____

School City: _____

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