ART BUILDS THE BRAIN & MAKES \$ JOBS in VISUAL ART by Gina Rizzo_®



ENTERTAINMENT COMPANIES LIKE WALT DISNEY & OTHERS ARE ARTS BUSINESSES They make movies, toys, T.V. shows, clothing, games, web sites, amusement parks and more. They are multimillion dollar companies that have hundreds of thousands of employees.

A FEW ARTS EMPOLOYERS ARE:

Graphic Design, Movies, Television, Music Videos, Magazines, Web Sites, Video Games, Clothing Design, Furniture Design and Architecture

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Art Job Employment Stats



- Art Directors \$160,060,
- Fine Artists \$86,650
- Industrial Designers \$97,770
- Animators \$100,390
- Set Designers \$82,810
- Directors \$86,790
- Camera Operators \$40,390
- Photographers \$36,090
- Film Editors \$112,960.
- Clothing Designers \$66,011

- \$10 billion annual art sales in the U.S.
- Creative industries export \$30 billion annually
 - 3 million people work for over 600,000 artscentered businesses in the U.S.
- 200,000 people work in the film industry
- 1.25 million Americans work in the visual arts.
- l in 111 jobs is in art

Digital Design

Uses computers to create art



VIDEO GAME DESIGN: •Designs: Characters, skins/surfaces, & background environments WEB DESIGN: •Make functional & easy to use websites •To Make \$ Sell: the site, advertising & products GRAPHIC DESIGN: •Uses lettering & images •Create: logos (Nike swoosh etc.), Signs, Packaging & Advertising

Commercial arts are one of the largest and most influential industries in the world. 2010 they made <u>\$1.3 trillion</u> world wide.

- Each year people spend \$55 billion on video games.
- The computer animation industry generates \$33 billion annually.
- □ 94,000 computer artists & animators working in the U.S.

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Sculpture, Product Design, Industrial Design, Vehicle Design & Toy Design



SCULPTURE: Uses different materials to create 3D objects: fine art, figurines, toys, vases, dishes, movie: make-up, sets & characters PRODUCT DESIGNERS: create new products INDUSTRIAL DESIGN: improve products VEHICLE DESIGN: Creates the look of the interiors and exteriors of moving vessels like cars & motorcycles TOY DESIGNERS: create ideas for toys

What's the difference between a \$25 MP3 player and a \$250 iPod? <u>DESIGN</u>

Jobs that won't get outsourced or automated, place importance on creativity and innovation.

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Photography

Uses a camera to generate photographic images



Journalist
Fashion
Portrait
Wedding
Movie
Advertising
School

Jobs for photographers have increased 38% in the past 4 years.

Participating in the arts releases a hormone that relaxes us. Learning happens when we are relaxed and happy.

Painting, Illustration, Cartoon & Animation

A picture created with a persons personal style



PAINTING: Uses paint
Fine Art: Murals, Postage
Stamps, Stationary
Advertising
Movie Sets
Decoration for skate boards, toys, clothing etc.
ILLUSTRATION: Drawing
CARTOON: Stylized drawing
ANIMATION: Moving drawing

Scientists discovered we create art to practice for real life experiences we may not have every day like falling in love or running from danger

Movies, T.V., Commercials & Video

Moving images



Director - In charge of overall story telling
Director of Photography - In charge of filming
Cinematographer - does filming
Editor - cuts the images into a story

Special Effects – visual illusions
Production Designer - In charge of the look
Set Designer, Set Decorator, Set Dresser,
Prop Master

Sculptors – make props & costumes
Costume Designer, Seamstress, Costume
Dresser
Hair Stylist, Make-Up Artist

Most of the <u>people who make</u> T.V., cartoons, & movies <u>are artists</u> with college educations in art.

Students need to learn to be flexible, adaptable, creative & self confident.

Architecture, Environmental Design, Interior Design, Interior Decoration & Furniture Design



ARCHITECTURE: design the outside of buildings **ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN: design** playgrounds & outdoor areas **INTERIOR DESIGN:** design the structure & shape of the inside of buildings: stairs, walk ways, escalators, elevators, entrance & exit **INTERIOR DECORATION:** design the inner surface of rooms: colors, window treatments, lighting... FURNITURE DESIGN: create the appearance & function of furniture

The arts stimulate both those who do them and those who see them.

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Apparel, Textiles, & Accessories

Create what we wear



APPAREL DESIGNER: creates ideas for clothes & shoes other jobs are: •Pattern Designer •Pattern Cutter •Fabric Designer •Sample Seamstresses TEXTILE DESIGNER: creates the patterns on fabric (textiles). ACCESSORIES DESIGNER: may design flatware, jewelry: watches, earrings, bracelets, necklaces...

Our first human experiences are through our senses. In the womb, we touch, move, hear and see. Art is universal and speaks to us in our first language.

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Art History, Art Restoration & Art Education

Preserve Art



•ART HISTORIAN: study art, work for galleries, universities & museums
•ART CRITIC: review & critique art (share opinions/personal ideas), write about art, work for news papers, magazines & blogs
•ART RESTORERS: fix art, work for museums, auction houses or independently
•ART EDUCATORS: teach about art, work for schools

Arts-centric business has grown 12% more than 4x the rise in the total number of U.S. employees since 2007
 Jobs in design have increased 43% in the past ten years.
 Jobs for photographers have increased 38% in the past 4 years.

Innovation is a blend of intelligence and imagination, that has catapulted and sustained America as a dominant economic force in the world. These are the skills that art teaches us.

Review

- 1. List 4 visual arts jobs.
- 2. Define 3 visual arts jobs.
- 3. List 3 visual artists and the type of artwork they do.
- 4. What do cars, clothes and furniture have to do with art?
- 5. What do cartoons, movies, and videos have to do with art?

Assignments

• Assignment 1 (c. 3-5 hours):

- Create a book or poster
- Cut a picture out of a magazine that represents <u>each</u> art job in the art job notes.
- Label the picture with the name of the art job the picture represents.
- Assignment 2 (5-10 hours):
 - Create a book or poster
 - Draw an example of an original product for each art job (For Example: for furniture designer invent a table)
 - Label the picture with the name of the type of artist who makes that product

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