

Name: _____ Period: _____

CAVE ART

PROJECT 1

Lascaux Caves

The Lascaux Caves contain some of the oldest known artwork in the world – dating back to Prehistoric man living in the Stone Age (18,000-10,000 BC). The use of simple **lines** to create **pictographs** and details of animals along with the **emphasis** placed on many of the paintings will help to inspire you create your own cave artwork.



For this project you will be creating your own "cave art" using **ITEMS FROM NATURE!**

Create 5-7 original images depicting:

- information that someone cannot live without for survival
- a story
- proof you were here
- items you cannot live without
- symbols of our society
- something else you think is worth memorializing

Combine your original pictographs to create an aesthetically pleasing piece demonstrating the Principle of Design:

Your grade for this project will reflect the process, as well as the final finished artwork and your self-assessment. (PREPARATION, PROGRESS, ARTWORK, and SELF-ASSESSMENT) All of these combined will give you your final score.

Directions:

1. **SKETCH:** Start with a sketch of what you want to include in your final piece. Take a look at examples on the board and in handouts. Be prepared to show me what you used for inspiration and how you developed your pictographs. It would be best to develop 10 pictographs and choose 7 of your favorites for this assignment.

Brainstorm: