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Chapter 1 : Clark Art - Rosa Bonheur

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An exhibition at the Clark Institute in Williamstown Massachusetts shows them painting against the odds. Women came to study art in Paris, if they had the means, because there were fewer barriers to studying and painting there than elsewhere in Europe. One such place was the private Academie Julian, which began accepting women in 1861. On a raised platform stands a bemused and fearful boy model, wearing only a loincloth that looks borrowed from a young John the Baptist. The idea of women in Paris painting nudes was, as the French would say, scandaleux. They painted landscapes, women and children. Rosa Bonheur painted animals. She made no secret of her personal life as an open lesbian who proudly wore pants, which required permission from the police. Rosa Bonheur, Plowing in Nivernais, No mere animal lover, she sold those paintings to the owners of large farms and estates who wanted scenes of the livestock and lands that they owned. Bonheur also took a three-year promotional tour around the United States. Alexander Stewart, a department store magnate, bought the massive Horse Fair in 1865. Visitors who walk by it in the galleries every day are not likely to know who painted it. And who among them would guess that massive teams of horses from that era—nothing if not a male subject—were painted by a woman. Bonheur sits at her easel, calm and confident, with the badge of the French Legion of Honor on her lapel. She was the first woman artist to get that award. Bonheur, Klumpke and Bashkirtseff are among almost 40 artists in the exhibition of some 90 works by French women and women who came from Europe and the United States. Berthe Morisot, Woman at Her Toilette, Art Institute of Chicago Women from Nordic countries bring a subdued palette to the mix. The same could be said of Paula Modersohn-Becker, who painted in an earthy expressionist style that was refined in Paris in 1893. She is the first modern woman artist known to have painted nude self-portraits. Rosa Bonheur was successful, but she was as much an exception as a woman painting large animals as she was as a woman selling those paintings. Paula Modersohn-Becker sold three paintings, all in the last year of her life before she died at 31 of complications from childbirth. Marie Bashkirtseff died of pneumonia at 26, leaving voluminous letters and diaries. As we fast-forward more than a century, museums and the market are catching up with these artists. Etienne in Manhattan, who helped the show with some loans. Louise Breslau, The Friends, How long will that last?

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Chapter 2 : Clark Art - Women Artists

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Featuring nearly seventy paintings drawn from prominent collections across the United States and abroad, the exhibition includes works by renowned artists including Berthe Morisot, Mary Cassatt, and Rosa Bonheur as well as their equally remarkable peers such as Anna Ancher, Lilla Cabot Perry, Louise Breslau, Eva Gonzalez, and Marie Bashkirtseff. It is quite moving to see these remarkable paintings and consider the strength and power of the artists who produced them. We trust that our visitors will delight in making new discoveries and will be fascinated by this still relatively untold history. As a result, women pursued art education by attending private academies, where they produced a wide array of work including portraits, landscapes, history paintings, and scenes from everyday life. In order to advance their art, they exhibited independently and formed their own organizations, such as the influential Union des Femmes Peintres et Sculpteurs established in 1876. Following their time in Paris, many artists, including Harriet Backer Norwegian, " , Kitty Kielland Norwegian, " , and Cecilia Beaux American, " , returned to their home countries to work, teach, and establish their own schools, creating the foundations for the training and development of future generations of women artists. The Art of Painting Depictions of artists in the studio, self-portraits, and representations of one artist by another are a familiar topic in the history of art. Women painters in the nineteenth century engaged in portraiture, as was common among their male peers, shaping an image of themselves and their contemporaries not as hobbyist painters but as serious artists. Taboos against women being in public without a chaperone limited their access to certain spaces and narrowed the range of subjects they could represent. As a result, many women artists focused on intimate scenes of daily life for which models were more readily accessible. Fashioning an Image A fashionable toilette "the ritual of bathing, applying cosmetics and perfume, and dressing" was fundamental to nineteenth-century social life for the middle and upper classes, and images of the modern woman exhibiting her fashion sense abounded. Clothing was seen as an embodiment of modernity, and painters "both male and female" seized upon the depiction of contemporary dress as a novel subject. Artists attempted to decipher what fashion, through its complex visual codes, had to say about the wearer and her world. Rendering the details, sheen, or transparency of various fabrics allowed the painter to demonstrate technical mastery. Through a bravura handling of pigment, Beaux imbues her subjects with wit and intelligence. This new attention lavished on children coincided with the burgeoning aspirations of women artists. These painters produced images that poignantly celebrate the wonder of childhood and the profound nature of motherhood. Mary Cassatt specialized in maternal scenes and portraits of children. Her *Children Playing on the Beach* embodies the enchanted first years of life, depicting two toddlers absorbed in their play and seemingly isolated from the world. A Modern Landscape During the late nineteenth century, artists pushed the boundaries of landscape painting, participating in and helping to define artistic movements such as Realism, Impressionism, and Symbolism. Of particular interest in the exhibition is a selection of paintings by a group of remarkable Scandinavian artists. History Painting and Everyday Heroism History painting was traditionally reserved for male artists who had unlimited access to studying the human figure. The paintings in this exhibition highlight the artistic skill and bold creativity of women painters who found heroic subject matter in the world around them. Careful observation, confident brushwork, and sizeable canvases served to elevate subjects "including workers, military recruits, and Sunday churchgoers" into monumental narratives worthy of reflection and admiration by fellow artists, critics, and the public. In eschewing traditional history painting, these artists celebrated a time of change and promise. Rosa Bonheur was a pioneer among her contemporaries. Bonheur painted the massive *Plowing in Nivernais* as a replica of another of her paintings, which was commissioned by the French state and completed in 1848. The power of her depiction of cattle plowing is amplified by the monumental size of the canvas, which measures nearly 4. *Jeunes filles* *Jeunes*

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fillesâ€”young women between childhood and adulthoodâ€”became an important theme in late nineteenth-century painting. Women artists often depicted this transitional moment, painting social relationships and reflective moments that were hallmarks of self-awareness. Women Artists in Paris presents a number of paintings showing young women engaged in everyday tasks, be it sharing a secret as in *La Confidence* c. 1865 by Ellen Thesleff Finnish, â€” depicts a girl finding the power of her voice in a sudden cry as it resounds against the landscape. Public Programs In a lecture on June 10 at 3: The Clark will offer daily gallery talks from July 1â€”August 31, at 3: Visitors can learn more about the incredible female artists who worked in France during the second half of the nineteenth century and about the obstacles they overcame to pursue their careers in the arts. These talks are offered at no additional cost and are limited to twenty people each on a first-come, first-served basis. The exhibition is generously supported by the National Endowment for the Arts and by an indemnity from the Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities. Support for the accompanying publication provided by Furthermore: Opened in , the Clark houses exceptional European and American paintings and sculpture, extensive collections of master prints and drawings, English silver, and early photography. Acting as convener through its Research and Academic Program, the Clark gathers an international community of scholars to participate in a lively program of conferences, colloquia, and workshops on topics of vital importance to the visual arts. Galleries are open Tuesday through Sunday, 10 am to 5 pm. For more information on these programs and more, visit [clarkart](http://clarkart.com).

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Chapter 3 : Third Grade - Visual Arts - Overview - January

A Public Life. Rosa Bonheur was an exception for her times as both a woman and homosexual. She lived her private life very much publicly with little secrecy, which was unprecedented for the time, and had two committed romantic relationships with women during her life.

Identify the difficulties presented to artists who use animals as their subjects. Imagine the sounds that could be generated by the subjects of the painting. Draw a horse using shapes to make the body framework. A slide of The Horse Fair is included. Portraits of Women Artists for Children. Use this excellent biography as a read aloud, if possible. Contains a small reproduction of The Horse Fair. Procedure Display a reproduction of the painting The Horse Fair. Tell the students that the actual painting is 16 feet 6 inches wide and seven feet nine inches tall. If possible measure this area off on one of the classroom walls. Tell the students that it is the largest animal painting ever done. Ask for volunteers to tell what they see in the painting horses, men, buildings, a street, etc. Write responses on the board. What is happening in the painting? Horses are being paraded before potential buyers. Remind the students of the title and ask for a volunteer to explain what happens at a fair. A fair is a gathering for the purpose of buying and selling; nowadays a fair is like a carnival. Do you think that the artist went to a horse fair one time and then painted this picture, or do you think the artist went to the horse fair more often? How long do you think a person would have to study an animal in order to paint it well? What are the problems that could occur when trying to study and paint an animal? Did you expect the artist to be a woman, or did you expect that it would be a man? Tell students that we might not be surprised to have a woman paint this picture today, but when Rosa Bonheur was growing up it was quite unusual. Explain that first of all, women did not usually study art. It was not considered appropriate for women to sketch the human body by looking at a naked person as men did in the art schools. Remind students that women did not have many rights then and had to do what their fathers or husbands told them to do. They could not go out in public unaccompanied and they were not even allowed to wear pants--only skirts. Have students recall that no women are included in the painting; that is because women were not allowed to go to the horse fair. How do you think Rosa Bonheur learned about what goes on at the horse market? How did she learn to paint horses so well? She spent a year and a half sketching the horses she observed there. If you have a copy of the Turner biography, you may wish to share it with the class. How does Bonheur direct our attention to the horses? Ask them to think about the sounds that they would hear if this was true. Have volunteers describe the sounds. Would this be a quiet or a noisy scene? Tell them to imagine that the horse is made up of shapes. Can you see a sphere and a box for the head? Is the horse rearing? Do the legs look like a triangle shape fits there? Do the hind quarters look like several spheres joined together? Distribute drawing paper and tell the students to make a horse composed of shapes. Tell them that after they have used the 3-dimensional shapes to build the framework of the horse, to then join it together with lines, adding a mane and tail. Tell the students not to be concerned if their drawings do not look completely realistic. Display the sketches or allow partners to compare and contrast theirs. Recognize the relationship between the painting and Biblical text. Describe and discuss the scene painted. Determine what to include in a picture that symbolizes peace. Edward Hicks was a Quaker artist who lived from to Procedure Remind the students that when an artist is preparing to do a painting, he or she makes many, sometimes hundreds, of sketches in order to get the subject just right. Remind students that Rosa Bonheur spent a year and a half doing sketches before she got her ideas right for The Horse Fair. Point out that making sketches is similar to brainstorming and writing a rough draft. Tell students that Edward Hicks, the artist who painted The Peaceable Kingdom which they are about to see, did even more than that. He painted almost fifty versions of the same painting. The subject of his painting was so important to him that he had to get it just right. Display the reproduction of The Peaceable Kingdom. Assign partners and tell the students to look carefully at the painting and write down what they see. Allow a few moments for the students to work, then ask the partners to share their responses with the rest of the class. The

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list should include a variety of animals, people: Ask the students if they think there is anything unusual about the way the people and the animals are together in this painting. There are wild animals and children seated together. There are wild and domesticated animals together. Are the animals fighting? Do they look dangerous? Do the children look afraid? How would you describe the way the animals look? If possible, lead with your questions until the response is "peaceful. The wolf shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them. Tell students that it is a line from Isaiah, one of the books of the Bible. Be sure that students understand the quote. Tell them that the word fatling refers to a young animal. Explain to the students that it refers to peace. Write peace on the board. Explain that the idea of peace was very important to Hicks and that was why he painted that idea over and over again. Tell students that the lion and the lamb are often pictured together as being symbolic of peace. Tell the students that the white men are Quakers. Ask students if they remember who the Quakers are. People who came to America for religious freedom. They settled in Pennsylvania. Explain that Edward Hicks was a Quaker, too. He hoped, as did the other Quakers, that their new homes in America would be peaceful. They hoped that it would be so peaceful that even the animals who were enemies would become friends. Point out that Hicks believed that the Quakers and the Native Americans could become friends, too. Have students notice the contrasts Hicks used in his painting. Ask them to consider light vs dark and foreground vs background. Have them identify the way that he draws our attention to the animals and the children. Are the lines in the painting rounded or straight? Tell the students to pretend that they have been hired to paint a picture that symbolizes peace. Ask them to tell which animals they would include. Would they include particular people? Why would those people be included? Remind students that Hicks painted a scene of the wilderness--just the way America looked at this time. Would you put your subjects in the wilderness or somewhere else? If time permits, allow students to sketch their pictures of peace or have them write a paragraph of description. Remind students to consider using the foreground and background as Hicks did. Bibliography Bishop, Robert and Elizabeth Safanda. A Gallery of Amish Quilts: Design Diversity from a Plain People. Quilt Digest Press, Patchwork Math 1 - Addition and Subtraction Reproducibles.

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Her mother was Dorothea Mattilda Tolle. Anna was the eldest of eight children, five of whom lived to maturity. At age three, Anna fell and suffered a fracture of her femur. She fell again at age five and suffered osteomyelitis with purulent knee arthritis. These problems handicapped her, and her mother went to extraordinary lengths to find a remedy by taking Anna and three of her siblings to Berlin for treatment by Dr. The treatment lasted 18 months and included thermal baths at Kreuznach. Unfortunately, it was not successful, and Anna remained hobbled all her life. While they were in Europe, her mother ensured that her children received excellent tutoring. When Anna was fifteen, her parents divorced. Anna and her sister Augusta were sent to school at Cannstatt, near Stuttgart. When she was seventeen, the family moved to Clarens, near Lake Geneva in Switzerland where she spent two years in a boarding school. Anna studied art at home for the next few years, and in October, moved with her family once more to Paris, where she was later enrolled in the Julian Academy " , under the tutelage of Tony Robert-Fleury and Jules Lefebvre. She presented her first work at the Paris Salon in , while still at the Academy, and she won the grand prize for outstanding student of the year. She exhibited regularly at the Salon for several more years. After completing her studies, she returned to the United States for a few years and taught in Boston. However, by , she was back in Paris. As a girl, Anna had been given a "Rosa" doll, styled after the French animal painter Rosa Bonheur "so famous at the time that dolls were made in her image. From early childhood, Anna had been fascinated and inspired by the woman artist. During World War I, with her mother, she established a military convalescent hospital at her home in Thomery. In , at the age of 84, Klumpke published her own autobiography *Memoirs of an Artist*. She died in at the age of 86 years in her native San Francisco. Style[edit] Anna Klumpke was primarily a genre painter, often painting pastoral scenes featuring static figures, usually female. Her painting, *Catinou Knitting*, was exhibited at the Paris Salon in This sentimental image proved highly popular in reproduction and is still sold in hand-painted copies.

Chapter 5 : Rosa Bonheur: Portraits of Women for Children by Robyn Montana Turner

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Chapter 6 : Rosa Bonheur - Wikipedia

Rosa Bonheur, a 19th-century woman who achieved a successful career, served as a role model for future generations of women artists. Born in Bordeaux, Bonheur moved to Paris with her family in She was trained by her father, a minor landscape painter.

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Chapter 8 : Anna Elizabeth Klumpke - Wikipedia

Rosa Bonheur was born in in France, the first child of Raymond Bonheur, a portrait painter and art instructor, and his

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wife Sophie, a music teacher. From an early age, Bonheur demonstrated considerable talent in drawing.

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