

# Week One

## Recommended Resources

### Articles

1. SmartHistory. (n.d.). [A beginner's guide to the history of Western culture](http://smarthistory.khanacademy.org/for-the-beginner.html). *Themes*. Retrieved from <http://smarthistory.khanacademy.org/for-the-beginner.html>
  - This resource provides a chronological summary of the eras articulated by historians for the purpose of studying the progression of western cultural history.

### Multimedia

1. Khan Academy. (Producer). [Why look at art](http://smarthistory.khanacademy.org/why-look-at-art.html) [Video]. Available from <http://smarthistory.khanacademy.org/why-look-at-art.html>
  - This video contains commentary from leading museum professionals as to the cultural importance of the study of art.
2. Phillips, J. (2013, April 24). [Prezi demonstration](http://prezi.com/mh6btb2vztvj/prezi-demonstration/) [Prezi presentation]. Retrieved from <http://prezi.com/mh6btb2vztvj/prezi-demonstration/>
  - This presentation provides detailed information on using Prezi.

### Websites

2. [Learn & support](http://prezi.com/support/). Prezi. Retrieved from <http://prezi.com/support/>
  - Review the information available on this web page to explore various ways that a presentation can be designed.
3. [Manual/FAQ](https://prezi.zendesk.com/forums). Prezi. Retrieved from <https://prezi.zendesk.com/forums>
  - Review the information available on this web page for detailed information on using Prezi.

### Museum and Image Websites

1. [Art and artists | Tate](http://www.tate.org.uk/art) (<http://www.tate.org.uk/art>)
2. [Art Institute of Chicago](http://www.artic.edu/) (<http://www.artic.edu/>)
3. [Art Renewal Center Artist Index](http://www.artrenewal.org/pages/artistindex.php) (<http://www.artrenewal.org/pages/artistindex.php>)
4. [The Famous Artists](http://www.thefamousartists.com/) (<http://www.thefamousartists.com/>)
5. [The Frick Collection](http://www.frick.org/) (<http://www.frick.org/>)
6. [Google Art Project](http://www.googleartproject.com/) (<http://www.googleartproject.com/>)
7. [Guggenheim](http://www.guggenheim.org/) (<http://www.guggenheim.org/>)
8. [Louvre Museum Official Website](http://www.louvre.fr/en) (<http://www.louvre.fr/en>)
9. [Mark Harden's Artchive](http://artchive.com/index.html) (<http://artchive.com/index.html>)
10. [The Metropolitan Museum of Art](http://www.metmuseum.org) (<http://www.metmuseum.org>)
11. [MoMA | The Museum of Modern Art](http://www.moma.org/) (<http://www.moma.org/>)
12. [National Gallery of Art](http://www.nga.gov/content/ngaweb.html) (<http://www.nga.gov/content/ngaweb.html>)
13. [The San Francisco Museum of Modern Art \(SFMOMA\)](http://www.sfmoma.org/) (<http://www.sfmoma.org/>)

14. [SIRIS – Smithsonian Institute Research Information System](http://siris-artinventories.si.edu/ipac20/ipac.jsp?profile=) (http://siris-artinventories.si.edu/ipac20/ipac.jsp?profile=)
15. [Smithsonian Cooper-Hewitt, National Design Museum in New York](http://www.cooperhewitt.org/) (http://www.cooperhewitt.org/)
16. [The State Hermitage Museum, St. Petersburg, Russia](http://www.hermitagemuseum.org/) (http://www.hermitagemuseum.org/)
17. [Uffizi, Uffizi gallery, Florence](http://www.uffizi.com/) (http://www.uffizi.com/)
18. [Vatican Museums – Official web site](http://mv.vatican.va/3_EN/pages/MV_Home.html) (http://mv.vatican.va/3\_EN/pages/MV\_Home.html)
19. [Victoria & Albert Museum](http://www.vam.ac.uk/) (http://www.vam.ac.uk/)
20. [Web Gallery of Art](http://www.wga.hu/) (http://www.wga.hu/)
21. [WebMuseum: Famous Artworks exhibition](http://www.ibiblio.org/wm/paint/) (http://www.ibiblio.org/wm/paint/)
22. [Whitney Museum of American Art](http://whitney.org/) (http://whitney.org/)
23. [Wikimedia Commons](http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/Main_Page) (http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/Main\_Page)