

Social Studies Unit 1 – Call of the Sea

Expedition: Masterworks		Social Studies Bermuda Five Centuries Chapter 5: Call of the Sea
Date: January 14 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup>		SEL Focus: Stewardship
<p><b>Curriculum Connection:</b>  <b>5.SS.H5a</b> Evaluate the extent global events have affected Bermuda in the past &amp;/or the present.</p> <p>Key topics:          Most Bermudians of the 1700s made their living from the sea and by 1789 Bermuda had 175 ships working in maritime trade.</p> <p>Building of Dockyard 1809- continued hostilities between England &amp; USA.</p> <p><b>Students will be able to describe:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• maritime occupations in the 1700s,</li> <li>• Current maritime occupations available in 2020</li> <li>• goods traded between the Caribbean and the Americas 1700's</li> </ul> <p><b>Objectives:</b>          Students will answer questions about how people made a living, what boats from that time looked like and how St. George's was the primary shipbuilding location.          Students will do an art activity depicting a harbour from the 1700s</p>		
<p>Read aloud: excerpt from Let's Sail Away</p> <p><i>"Whaling was a tough but profitable job. Whales, once captured, were dragged to Smith's Island, Paget Island, and St. David's where the blubber was boiled to extract oil for the island's lamps. Whale bone was made into tools and flesh provided 'sea meat' for slaves. Between 5 and 14 whales would be harpooned per year until 1733 when costly licenses and heavy taxes saw the industry die out."</i></p>		
Activities Outline:	<p>Activities:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Welcome to Masterworks</li> <li>2. Large group: See Think Wonder + Vocabulary</li> <li>3. Small groups: Elaboration Game</li> <li>4. Group art activity – the Harbour Scene</li> </ol>	<p>Timings (approx)/</p> <p>5 minutes          15 minutes          20 minutes          1 hour</p>

<p>Language:</p>	<p>During the See Think Wonder, write up Key Vocabulary on white board: maritime, buccaneer, commerce, privateer, seamanship, shipwright, warlords</p> <p>Roots Maritime – Marine from Mare Latin for sea</p> <p>Synonyms Pirate, bandit, outlaw Business, commerce Sails, rigging Aft, stern, back</p>	
<p>Art activity and evaluation:</p> <p><i>Ensure students review learning and discuss progress and challenges in the day</i></p>	<p>Students will go to the classroom to do a group art activity.</p> <p>Create a picture of something from the sea from Bermuda's 18<sup>th</sup> Century past.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Boats (Sloop and gigs)</li> <li>- Compass</li> <li>- Whales</li> <li>- Shipbuilding</li> <li>- Forts, cannons</li> </ul>	
<p>Paintings</p>	<p>Flatts Inlet, 1793 Watercolour</p> <p>The Ship <i>Experiment</i> Hezekiah Frith 1963 Pen and ink watercolour</p> <p>Ship Building at Shelly Bay 1961 Watercolour</p> <p>St George's Harbour 1821 Oil on Canvas</p>	<p>George Tobin, British (1768-1838)</p> <p>Captain Magnus Musson, British (1917- 1991)</p> <p>Captain Magnus Musson, British (1917- 1991)</p> <p>Thomas O'Brian Mills Driver British (1791-1852)</p>