

# World Needs Challenge

## Recommended Lesson Plans

Elementary/Ages 5-11

In addition to the featured curriculum and learning resources you can find [here](#), we also want to share relevant lesson plans by grade and age range to help enhance your team's learning throughout the World Needs Challenge. Explore the lessons below that range in duration and topical focus.



Name and Source	Description	Duration, Grade/Age
<p><b>Art and Community Activism</b> From Learning for Justice</p>	<p>In these 12 mini lessons, students will look at, think about, and make art together while examining how art relates to community, leadership and activism. The mini lessons can be used individually or together and are not dependent on sequence.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 45 min</li> <li>• Grades K-5</li> <li>• Ages 5-10</li> </ul>
<p><b>Art Activism: Keith Haring</b> From Art History Kids</p>	<p>In this article, the life of an iconic artist is highlighted for students. The resource provides lessons on how art can be used to make an impact and how teachers can inspire their students to do the same.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 30 Min</li> <li>• Grades K-5</li> <li>• Age 5-10</li> </ul>
<p><b>Defining Changemakers</b> From The Albright-Knox Art Gallery</p>	<p>This lesson plan is helpful pre-reading for educators before setting off on the course of building a lesson plan that deals with art activism. The article provides a reflection from one educator who has built this type of curriculum himself.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 45 Min</li> <li>• Grades K-5</li> <li>• Age 5-10</li> </ul>
<p><b>Art Imagination and the Quest for Racial Justice</b> From Facing History and Ourselves</p>	<p>In this lesson plan by Facing History and Ourselves, students are shown how activists use art. Using the Black Lives Matter movement, this lesson plan shows students how murals and other artistic forms can create social justice.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 45 Min</li> <li>• Grades K-5</li> <li>• Age 5-10</li> </ul>

\*Please note that some lessons may come from free sources that require establishing a website login to access materials