# MINNEAPOLIS INSTITUTE OF ARTS

November Art Adventure Brown Bag

**Pronunciations** 

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Moths,			Agrippina
Caterpillars			(agra-PEEN-
and Foliage			uh or agra- PINE-uh)
			intaglio
			(in-TAL-yo)
			burin
			([b]YER-in)

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Vessel		Nazca (NAHZ-ka)	
A "Bear" Chance			genre (JHAN-ruh)
Horse	T'ang Dynasty (tahng)		Ming chi (ming chee)
			San t'sai (tsahn tsigh)

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Lion Statuette		Taifa (tah-e-fah)	Umayyad (oo-MY-ahd)
			Visigoths (VIZ-i-goths)
			Emirs (eh-MEER)
			Qur'an (kor-AHN)
			Zakhrafa (zahk-rah-fah)

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Leopard		Benin (beh-neen)	aquamanile (ak-wuh-muh- NYE-lee or ak- wuh-muh- NEE-lay)
On the Thames, a Heron	Tissot (tee-SO)	Thames (tems)	Japonisme (JAP-o-nism or JAP-o- neez-meh)
			Nantes (nant)

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Caron Teacups	Caron (keh-rone)	Sevres (sev)	Aesop (ee-sop)
			petuntse (pee-TOON- tsay)

# American Art Sampler

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
The Connecticut Room			pilasters (pi-LASS-ters)
			motif (moh-TEEF)
Portrait of George Washington			jabot (zha-BOH)

# American Art Sampler

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Scenes of Plains Indian Life	Cadzi Cody (kad-zee ko- dee)		travois (truh-VOY or truh-VWAH)
			coups (koo)
Mill Pond	Fournier (forn-yay)		

#### American Art Sampler

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Vessel	Maria Martinez (mar-TEEN-ez)	San II defonso (sahn eel duhfonso)	Pueblo (PWEB-loh)
		Jemez Mountain (HAY-mez)	adobe (uh-DOH-bee)
		Sangre de Cristo (song-gray)	Avanyu (ah-von-yu)
Billboard			Raphael (RAH-fay-uhl)

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Venus Figure	La Mouthe, France (lah moot)		Paleolithic Age (pa-le-o-lith-ic)
Pedernal		Pedernal (ped-ER-nal)	
		Abiquiu, NM (AB-e-que)	

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Jade Mountain	Ch'ien Lung emporer (chee-en long)	Sinkiang province (sink-yang)	Ch'ing Dynasty (chee-ng)
	Wang His-Chih (wong she-jurr)	K'uai Chi Mountain (gwi jee)	nephrite (NEPH-rite)
	Chi (jee)	Chekiang province (chek-yang)	Taoist (DOW-ist)
		Yung Ho region (long ho)	

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Jade Mountain (cont.)		Ch'ien Lung region (chee-en long)	
Malagan Frieze	Masalai (mahz-ah-lie)	Papua, New Guinea (PAP-yoo-uh)	Frieze (freez)
			Moieties groups (MOY-ah-tee)

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Ganymede and the Eagle	Bertel Thorvalsen (Bear-tel TOOR-val- sen)		
Baboon and Young			assemblage (AH-sem- blazh)
Through Birds, Through Fire	Yves Tanguy (eave tahn-GEE)		

#### Cultural Reflections in Art

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Portrait of Charlotte	Jean Clouet (jhahn klew- AY)		Chaperon (shapp-er-OWN)
Haniwa Horse (HAH-nee-wah)			Kofun period (koe-foon)
Writing Desk			Rococo (ruh-CO-co or ro-co-CO)
Nkisi Nkondi ([n]KEE-see [n]KAHN-dee)		Kongo (KON-go)	Minkondi (min-KAHN- dee)

#### Cultural Reflections in Art

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Ear Spools	Moche	Chimu	
	(mo-chay)	(chee-mu)	
Winged Genius	Ashurnasirpal	Nimrud,	
	<mark>  </mark>	Assyria	
	(ashur-nasir-	(nim-rod)	
	pal)		
The Wash	Marie Therese	Natchitoches,	
	Metoyer	LA	
	(muh-TWIRE)	(NAK-uh-tesh)	
	Francois		
	Mignon		
	(minjon)		

#### Dressed for the Occasion

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Portrait of a Burgomaster			justaucorps (ZHUST-o- core)
			epaulet (EP-uh-let)
Hmong Skirt (mung)			Paj ntaub (pahn-dow)
Woodland Cape	Anishinabe (ah-nish-inah- bay)		

#### Dressed for the Occasion

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Countess Bucquoi	Bucquoi (boo-KWAH)		Robe anglaise (robe ahn-GLAZE)
			fichu (FEE-shoo)
			Turque (terk)
Transformation Mask	Kwakwaka wakw (kwak-wak-y- wak)		Sisuitl (see-shoo)
	Kwakiutl (kwa-koo-dl)		

#### How People Lived

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Hydria			aegis (e-jis)
Group of Court Musicians		Xinjiang (shin-jyang)	Sui (sway)
Portraits of Moritz and Anna Buchner	Buchner (buke-ner)		
	Cranach (CRAW-knoc)		

#### How People Lived

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Portrait of Catherine Coustard	Largilliere (lar-zhil-YAIR)		Robe de chambre fontange (fawn-TAHNZH)
	Marquise de Castelnau (mar-key cas- tel-knaw)		jacquette (ja-ket)
Sande Society Mask			Sande (sahn-day)
			Sowei (so-way)
			Ngewo ([n]gwoe)

# Family Friends and Foes

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Intrigue	Tan Hee Tseu (Tahn Hee Tsu)	Ostend (Awe-stend)	
Shiva's Family (SHEE-va)	Ganesha (Gah-NAY-shah)	Mount Kailasa (Ky-lah-shah)	niche (neesh or nitch)
	Vishnu (VISH-new)		
Morisot, Artist's Daughter	Berthe Morisot (bear[t] mo-ree-ZO)		en plein air (ah plen aihr)
Peace Concluded	Millais (mi-LAY)		

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Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Nayarit House		Nayarit	
Group		(Ny-AH-reet)	
		Jalisco	
		(ha-LEES-ko)	
		Colima	
		(Ko-LEE-mah)	
Goya, Dr. Arrieta	Arrieta		
	(ahr-ee-EH-tah)		
Memorial	Ijaw	Kalibari	duein fobara
Screen	( <u>Ee</u> -jaw)	(Ka-leh-BAHR- e)	(doo-EN fo- BAH-rah)

#### Let's Celebrate Life

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Pacific			tzedakah ([t]seh-dah-
			KAH)
			pushke
			(push-kah)
Blessing of the	Signac	Groix	
Tuna Fleet at St. Groix	(see-NYAK)	(Gwah)	
	Seurat		
	(suh-RAH)		
Dress			Kangi
			(kaen-gee)

#### Let's Celebrate Life

Names	Places	Terms
		latmul
		(yaht-mool)
Benard		
(BAY-nar)		
Nataraja		mudra
(nah-tah-rah-		(moo-dra)
sha)		
Apasmara		Chola
(ah-pas-mare-		(choh-luh)
	Benard (BAY-nar) Nataraja (nah-tah-rah-sha) Apasmara	Benard (BAY-nar) Nataraja (nah-tah-rah-sha) Apasmara (ah-pas-mare-

#### Let's Celebrate Life

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Plank Mask			Nwantantay ([n]wahn- than-tay)
			Kenaf bidayuhe (bah-dah- whay)
			Do (doe)

#### People and Their Environments

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Rock Garden	JiCheng (jee-chung)		Tai-hu (tie-hoo)
			Jia-shan (jaw-shan)
			Feng (fung)
			Yuan Ye (yu-en yeh)

#### People and Their Environments

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Tahitian Landscape	Gauguin (go-GAN)	Mateiea (ma-tah-e-ah)	
Kpele Kpele Mask		Cote d'Ivorie (koht dee- voir)	Baule (bah-oo-leh)
			Kpele (kah-peh-lay)
			Goli glin (goh-lee glin)
			Kpan pre (kah-pahn pray)

#### People and Their Environments

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
New York at Night	Eugene Atget (at-zhey)		
Grand Canal from Palazzo Flangini		Flangini (flahn-gee- nee)	vedute (veh-doo-tay)
			Capricci (cah-PREE- chee-oh)
			ideate (ee-day-ah- tay)
Untitled			Arapaho (a-RAP-a-ho)

#### Sources of Strength

Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Merced River in Yosemite	Bierstadt (BEER-shtaht)		
Migrant Mother	Lange (lang)		
Stool	Chokwe (chauk-way)		
Saint Severin (san say-vran)	Robert Delaunay (roh-BEAR deh-low-NAY)		
Sunburst	Chihuly (chi-HOO-lee)		

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Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Tiger Pillow			feng shui
			(fung shway)
			Tz'u-chou
			(tsu-jo)
Guardian			Misshako
Figures			Kongo
			(mee-sha-ku kohn-go)
			Naeren Kongo
			(ni-ren)
			Ni-o
			(nee-oh)

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Art Object	Names	Places	Terms
Guardian Figures			Hinoki (hee-no-kee)
(cont.)			(nee ne nee)
			yosegi
			(yo-see-gee)
			Kamakura period
			(kahm-ah-ku- rah)
			Nambokucho period
			(nahm-bow- ku-cho)

#### PRONUNCIATION OF JAPANESE WORDS

The pronunciation of Japanese transcription is very simple. There are no silent letters. Each vowel should be sounded separately.

The consonants should be pronounced as in English, with "g" always hard, as in "get."

In the English transliteration of words, the vowels should be pronounced as such:

a e i o u ah eh ee oh oo

#### PRONUNCIATION OF CHINESE WORDS

Hanyu Pinyin (The universal modern standard) Wade-Giles

#### Consonants (Pinyin):

c = ts (as in "hats")

q = ch (as in "cheat") Qing dynasty = Ch'ing dynasty

r = something between American r and French j) jui scepter

x = sh (as in "sheet")

z = ds (as in "fads")

zh = j (as in "Joe"; not like French j!)

#### Consonants (Wade Giles)

k = g (s in great) kuan-yin = guan-yin

b = p (as in pie) bi disc = bi (bee) disc

t = d Taoism = Daoism

t' = t (as in tong)

Ts = z (as in zen)

#### Other Resources

- www.howjsay.com
- www.forvo.com
- www.dictionary.com