Appendix 1: Connections to the Common Core State Standards

**CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.11-12.1c:** Propel conversations by posing and responding to questions that probe reasoning and evidence; ensure a hearing for a full range of positions on a topic or issue; clarify, verify, or challenge ideas and conclusions; and promote divergent and creative perspectives.

The classroom discussions around works of art, including moderated discussions organized around the Linda Friedlaender’s method, will meet this standard handily.

**CCSS.ELA-Literacy.SL.11-12.5:** Make strategic use of digital media (e.g., textual, graphical, audio, visual, and interactive elements) in presentations to enhance understanding of findings, reasoning, and evidence and to add interest.

This unit supports and encourages heavily integrated student use of technology.