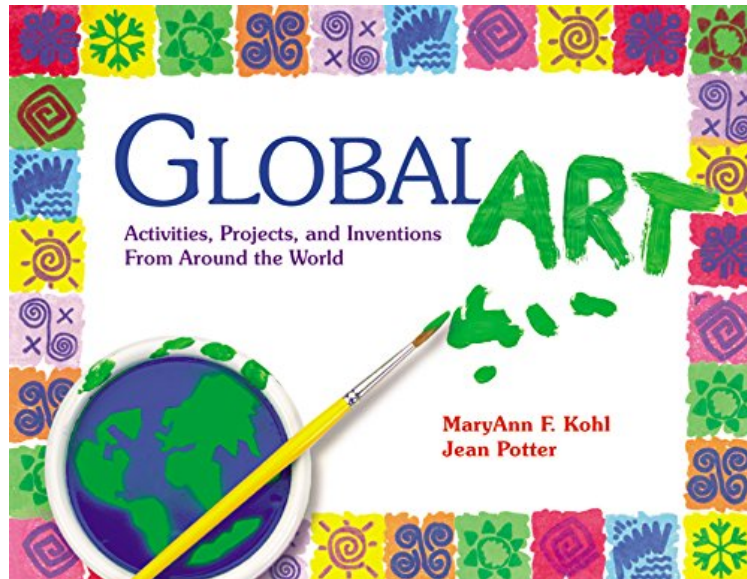


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From School Library JournalGrade 3-6-Arranged in chapters by continent, these crafts will be useful for geography and cultural reports. The authors use a system of symbols to denote which continent is associated with the activity, the level of difficulty, the basic art technique involved, and how easy or difficult the required materials are to procure.

Black-and-white line drawings illustrate the process and/or the finished product for each project. Most of the activities are interesting and directly linked to the cultures they represent. Others, like several for Antarctica, seem more contrived. Building a structure of icing and sugar cubes is sure to be a hit with children, but how illustrative is it of the Antarctic environment? Necessarily, not all countries and cultures are included but many are represented by more than one project. While children can use this book, the descriptions (e.g., "Young children create a miniature woodland scene..."), the pervasive use of symbols or icons, and the terse but accurate directions indicate that this book was designed for adults. Torrie Hodgson, Burlington Public Library, WA Copyright 1998 Reed Business Information, Inc. "Everyday art for children...valuable to young audiences." -- Wisconsin Bookwatch "Introduce children to world cultures through hands-on art activities with Global Art..." -- Book Links "A wonderful compendium of plans for everything from an Ecuadorian dancing hat to Greek bread dough coin thought provoking and amusing." -- West Coast Weekend "Fun, easy-to-do art activities..." -- Book Notes "Learn about crafts from parts of the world! Its global fun." -- Port Arthur News From the Back Cover An ideal way to start children on an exciting, creative adventure towards global understanding! The fun, easy-to-do art activities in Global Art use collage, painting, drawing, printing, construction and sculpture to help children appreciate people and cultures from all over the world. Each activity is explained in step-by-step detail accompanied by geographic and cultural background to help you make the most of the teaching possibilities.