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**SILHOUETTE PAINTING TASK SHEET**

**YOUR TASK:** Your task is to create a painting with a “sunset sky” and a silhouetted foreground. This painting will help you learn the basics of watercolor painting and practice the design skills you have been learning.

**STEPS TO FOLLOW:**

1. Look at a variety of sunset skies. Chose some things to silhouette in the foreground.
2. Create several thumbnail composition sketches until you get a composition you like.
3. Watch a demonstration on how to create watercolor skies.
4. Using the demonstrated techniques, paint an interesting sunset sky.
5. Draw your silhouette composition on some drawing paper. When you get your drawing how you want it (with a good composition) transfer it to your watercolor sky.
6. Fill in your silhouette with ink.
7. Sign and turn in your painting with this score sheet to be graded.

**CRITERIA AND SCORE SHEET**

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| CRITERIA | SELF SCORE | TEACHER’S  SCORE |
| 1. Sky is well done and appears to be a realistic sunset. (10 points possible) |  |  |
| 1. Painting is complex enough to take 2 – 3 days to complete. (10 points possible) |  |  |
| 1. Silhouetted objects are creative and interesting. (10 points possible) |  |  |
| 1. Composition is effective. (10 points possible) |  |  |
| 1. Project shows time and effort & workmanship is acceptable. (10 points possible) |  |  |
| TOTAL POINTS (50 possible) |  |  |