

Selected Online Resources for Teaching with Eighteen Vats of Water

- Calligraphy in East Asia: Art, Communication, and Symbology [Education about Asia] Discusses the development of Chinese calligraphy and its classroom applications. By Cheryl Crowley and Yu Li.
- Chinese Calligraphy [Asia for Educators] . Includes background information, discussion questions, models of strokes, and classroom exercises.
- Words as Art, Art with Words: Introduction to Chinese Calligraphy [Asian Art Museum] • Provides information on scripts, how a brush is held and Xu Bing's Square Work Calligraphy.
- Decoding Chinese Calligraphy [Asian Art Museum] • Master Chinese Cai Xingyi demonstrates the five scripts in this video.
- Chinese Calligraphy [Metropolitan Museum of Art] • Offers a nice visual gallery of famous works and commentary about them.
- Chinese Calligraphy & Ink Painting [The Kennedy Center] . In this lesson plan for grades 3-5, students not only practice Chinese calligraphy, but learn to describe it in the vocabulary of art.
- The Arts of China Teaching Toolkit [Brooklyn Museum] • Unit 3, Global Exchange, Lesson 4 Connecting Cultures. This lesson plan on ways the visual arts and writing can connect cultural histories and traditions. It features the Square Word Calligraphy of Chinese artist Xi Bing.

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