



### The Portrait Reader

I can make inferences from information

*Students can understand the steps to answer inferential questions based on things they see as well as things they read.*

*You can use the following questions in most art exhibits and also to examine pictures in Your classroom—including pictures your students draw.*

Infer the traits of a character or person

***What can you tell about the kind of person it is from the picture?***

*What in the picture helps you figure that out?*

Infer the motive of a character or person.

***What do you think this person cares about?***

*What do you see in the picture that tells you that about this person?*

Infer the main idea.

***What do you think the main idea is of the picture?***

*What in the picture gives you that idea?*

Write a “word picture” of this person—describe the person.