

# Found Object Recycled Art

This assignment focuses on transforming an everyday functional object – one that normally has a purpose other than art – in order to create a sculpture. You can also add multiple deconstructed objects together to create an even more interesting composition...

An object's meaning in every day life is usually derived from its context – the way we normally use it or interact with it. By altering an object's context or form you will change its meaning, or **conceptual content**.

You should be able to answer these questions----

-----What will this new meaning symbolize?

-----How can I make an ordinary or disposable object into something more significant?

**"Not everything is art, but everything is art supplies!"**

Resources for finding/buying interesting objects:

Unwanted household items  
you already own (clothes,  
furniture, trash, etc.)

Salvation Army

Trash? Recycled

cans/plastics

Old books

Your old toys/action  
figures

Tools (your own)  
household items

furniture

photographs

maps

clothes

shells

animal skeletons

feathers

**\*Could you create artwork that could shed  
different light on what everyone sees as  
mundane objects? YES!**