

Marshall M. Fredericks Sculpture Museum Mini Lesson Plan

Third Grade

Founding of Detroit Pylon in the museum (left) and the Pylons in Detroit, MI (right).



Detroit public sculptor Marshall Fredericks sculpted this pylon, a tall sunken relief sculpture panel. French explorer Antoine Laumet de Lamothe Cadillac and Father Gabriel Richard are the two people on the pylon.

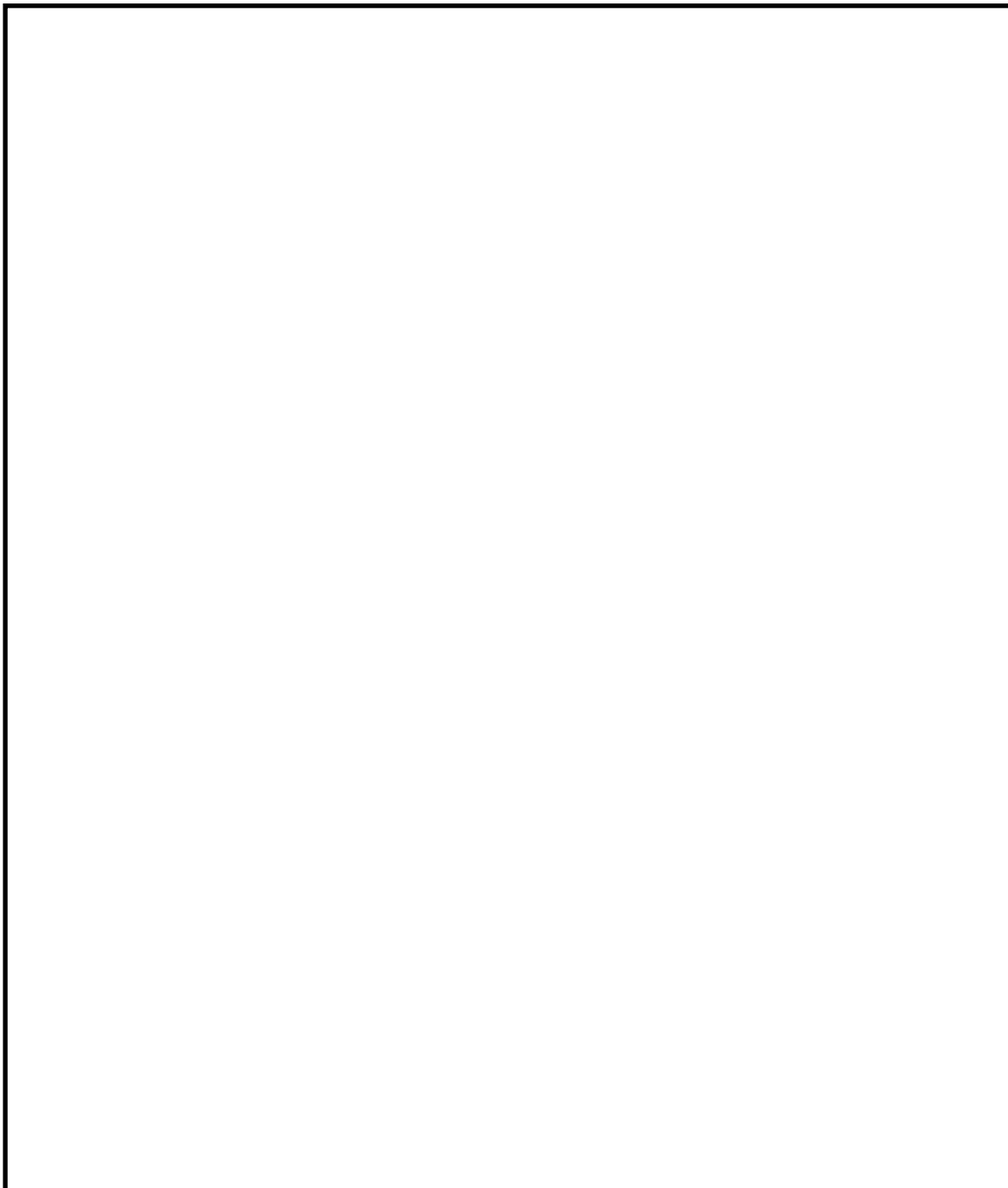
Can you answer these questions about the *Founding of Detroit Pylon*?

Who founded Detroit?

When was Detroit founded?

What other things do you see other than the men and what do they mean?

Draw your own *Founding of Detroit* Pylon.



Curriculum Connections

Social Studies

H3 History of Michigan

3 – H3.0.1

3 – H3.0.8

NCCAS Visual Art-Creating

3. Select methods and tools to make personally meaningful artwork.

10. Identify people who use artmaking and artistic thinking in their jobs and careers.

NCCAS Visual Art-Responding

1. Determine a message communicated by an image.

5. Evaluate an artwork based on given criteria.