**CONTROVERSIAL ART: Answer questions in full sentences.**

1. **Go to the following website and look at the controversial artworks:**

**http://abduzeedo.com/reader-article-controversial-art-pieces-shocked-world**

**2. Choose three pieces of art- they can be the ones you find most controversial, ugly, beautiful, etc.**

**3. What is the name of the artist and the piece of art you are looking at?**

**4. Describe the work of art- Draw it if you can:**

**5. Where is it exhibited? Was there controversy when it was shown?**

**6. Do you think the work of art should be censored? Why/Why not?**

Below is an artwork called ‘Fountain’*by* [Marcel Duchamp](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Marcel_Duchamp). The scandalous work was a porcelain [urinal](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Urinal_(restroom)), which was signed "R.Mutt" and titled *Fountain*. Submitted for the exhibition of the Society of Independent Artists in 1917, *Fountain* was rejected by the committee, even though the rules stated that all works would be accepted from artists who paid the fee. *Fountain* was displayed and photographed at Alfred Stieglitz’s studio, and the photo published in *The Blind Man*, but the original has been lost. The work is regarded by some art historians and theorists of the avant-garde, such as Peter Bürger, as a major landmark in 20th century art. Replicas commissioned by Duchamp in the 1960s are now on display in a number of different museums

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