

Art Knowledge Organiser

Year 6 Monochromatic

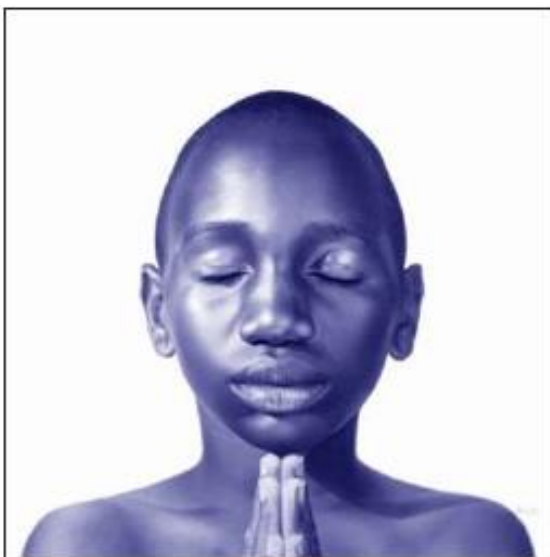
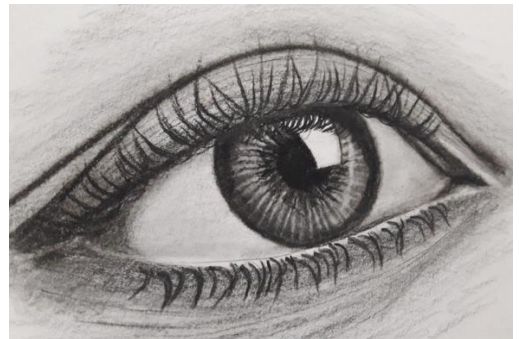
What mistakes can artists make when drawing faces?



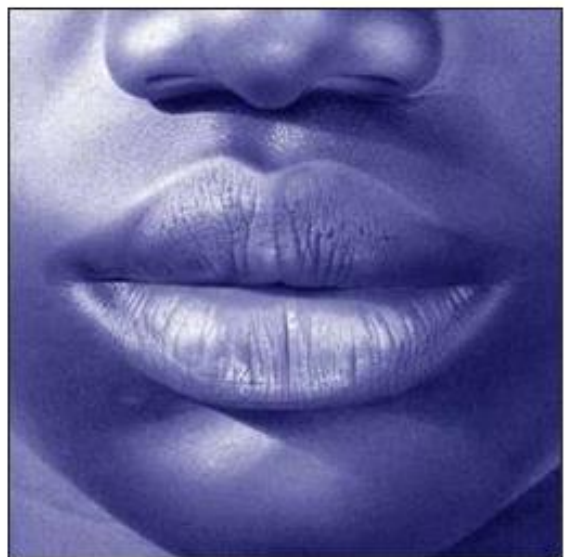
- What are the common mistakes people make when drawing eyes?
- What are the proportions of a face?
- What mistakes might we make when drawing a realistic nose?
- How can we draw a realistic mouth?
- How can I avoid common mistakes when drawing a self-portrait?

Key Vocabulary

Cupid's bow	Tear duct
Iris	bridge
philtrum	proportion



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Can art help save the planet?



- How can art be a form of protest?
- How can art raise money for good causes?
- How can art reduce its environmental impact?
- How can my art save the planet?
- How can I help others evaluate their art?

Key Vocabulary

activist	protest
Carbon footprint	slogan
composition	Sustainable/ sustainability
form	collage



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Year 6 Sculpture

How can food inspire artists?



- Which sculptors have been inspired by food?
- How can we manipulate clay to create food based sculptures?
- How can I develop my mastery of clay sculpture?
- How can I best use colour to enhance my sculpture?
- Who else has been inspired to create food inspired art?

Key Vocabulary

kneading	tint
malleable	tone
moulding	Secondary and tertiary colours
Score and slip	varnish



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Rudolf II of Habsburg as Vertumnus by Guiseppe Arcimboldo, 1590



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Still Life with Bowl of Citrons

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Year 5 Monochromatic

How can we find our own style of drawing?



• How can we describe different styles of drawing?

• How can a doodle be art?

• How can we describe different styles of drawing?

• How can we draw in a geometric style?

• How can I explore my own style of drawing?

Key Vocabulary

abstract

graphite

angular

hyperrealism

distorted

Mixed media

geometric

texture



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Year 5 Chromatic
How realistic does a portrait
have to be?



- What are the seven elements of art?
- What is a portrait?
- Who was Sarah Biffin?
- Who was Noor Bahjat?
- What can portraits tell us?

Key Vocabulary

collage	miniature
composition	sitter
commissioned	Victorians
memorialising	portraiture

Portrait by Noor
Bahjat



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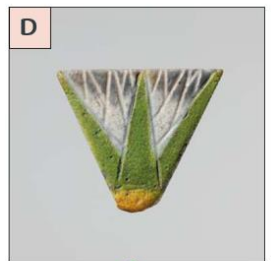
Year 5 Sculpture

How can flowers inspire artists?



- Which sculptors have been inspired by flowers?
- How can we manipulate clay to create flower based sculptures?
- How can I develop my mastery of clay sculpture?
- How can I best use colour to enhance my sculpture?
- How have flowers inspired other artists?

Key Vocabulary	
analogous colours	stoneware
Bone china	shade
earthenware	tint
porcelain	tone

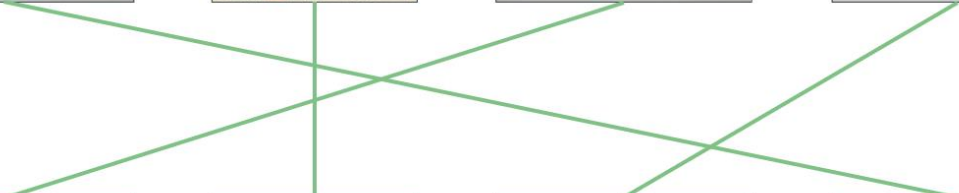


The Vincennes
Manufactory

William
Morris

Ancient
Egyptians

Vanessa
Hogge



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Year 4 Monochromatic

How do artists draw perspective?



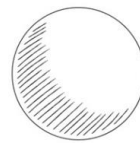
- What is the difference between shape and form in drawing?
- How can we use linear perspective in drawing?
- How can we use atmospheric perspective in drawing?
- How can I be inspired by how Patrick Hughes uses perspective?
- How can we evaluate our artwork?



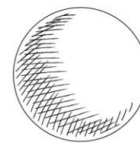
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Key Vocabulary

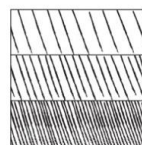
atmospheric perspective	horizon
colour perspective	one point perspective
cross hatching	vanishing point
gradient	evaluate



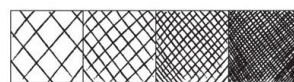
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cross-hatching



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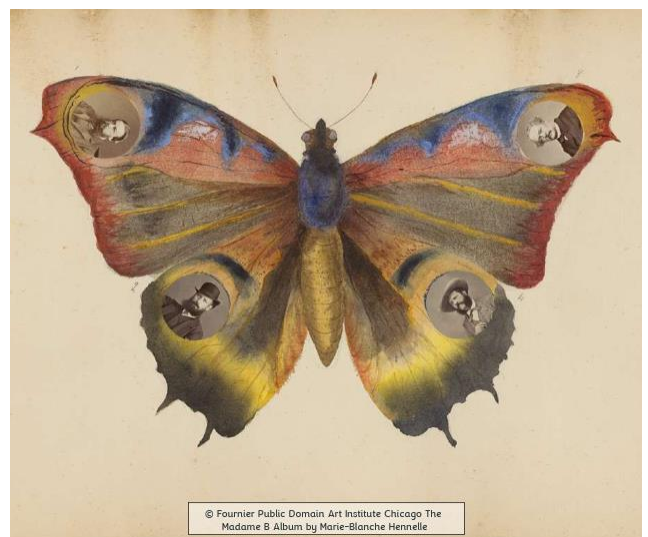
Why do artists keep sketchbooks?



- How do artists use sketchbooks?
- If art isn't to be hung on a wall, what else can it be for?
- What is mixed media?
- How can I use my sketchbook to help my process?
- How can we evaluate our artwork?

Key Vocabulary

architect	medium
curator	drafting
mixed media	texture
photocollage	watercolour paints



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Year 4 Sculpture

What can pottery tell us about the past?



- How has pottery taught us about the Ancient Egyptian time?
- How can we best make a coil pot?
- How can I develop my mastery of clay sculpture?
- How can I best use colour to enhance my sculpture?
- What can we learn from pottery?

Key Vocabulary

Burial sites	Imprint
excavate	Coil pot
Hand building	Pinch pot
relief	Score and slip



Art Knowledge Organiser

Year 3 Monochromatic

How do artists draw faces?



• How can we draw texture?

• How can artists draw eyes?

• How can artists draw noses?

• How can artists draw mouths?

• How can I evaluate my artwork while learning from others?

Key Vocabulary

bridge

pupil

continuous

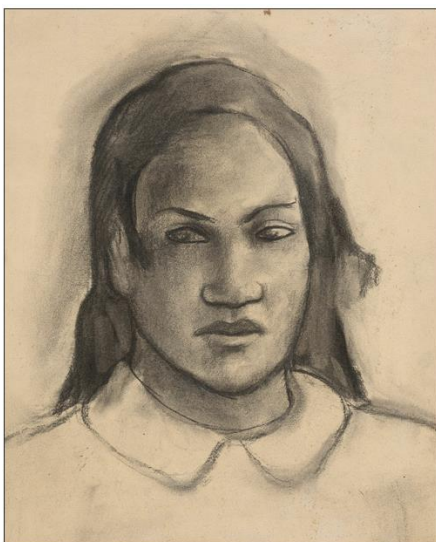
tear duct

iris

still life

light source

texture



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Paul Gauguin, 1891



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Egon Schiele, 1907

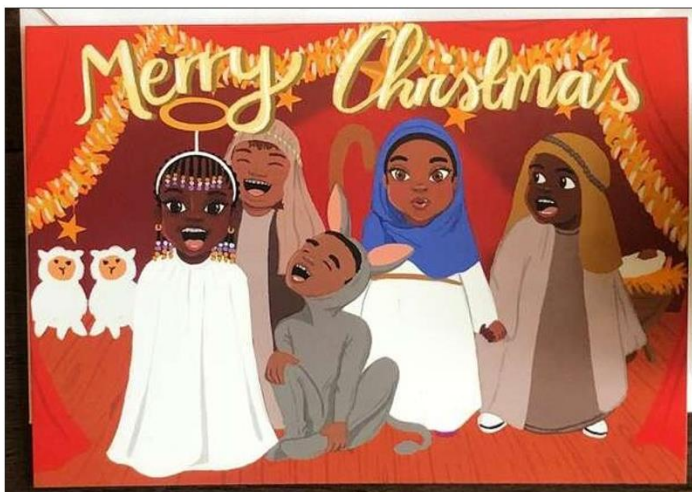
Art Knowledge Organiser Year 3 Chromatic What is illustration?



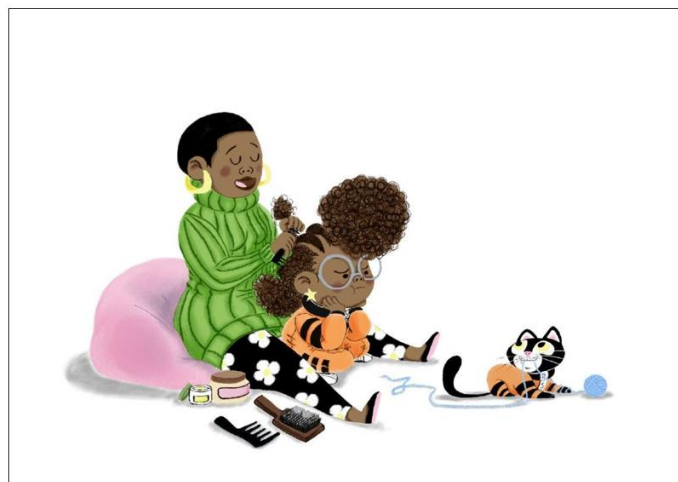
- How are watercolour paints different to acrylic paints?
- What does an illustrator do?
- How can illustrations help people?
- How can we talk about illustrations?

Key Vocabulary

Acrylic paint	illustrator
Watercolour paint	observational
Art galleries	realism
blending	transparent



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Year 3 Sculpture

How can where you live influence you as an artist?



- How have Mexican artists been influenced by where they live?
- How can Mexico inspire us?
- How can I develop my mastery of clay sculpture?
- How can I best use colour to enhance my sculpture?
- How have other artists been influenced by where they live?

Key Vocabulary

archeologist	pinch pot
ceramic	relief
column	sculpture
influence	sphere



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Year 2 Monochromatic

How can pattern be used in art?



- What is a pattern?
- How can we collage a monochromatic pattern?
- How can designers use pattern?
- How can pattern be used to celebrate?
- How can I evaluate my own artwork?

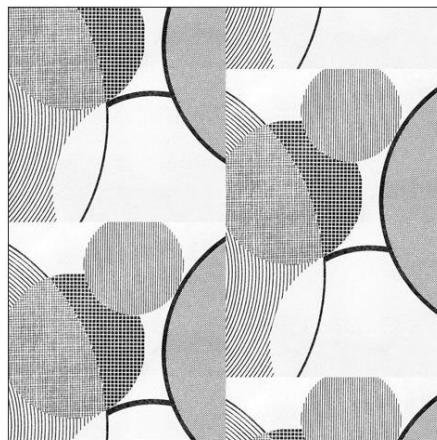
Key Vocabulary

architect	drawing
decorative	monochromatic
geometric shapes	mehndi
Organic shapes	pattern



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organic shapes



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geometric shapes

Art Knowledge Organiser

Year 2 Chromatic

How can artists use colour?



- How can colours work together?
- How else can colours work together?
- Who was Ted Harrison?
- How can Ted Harrison inspire me?
- How can I evaluate my artwork?

Key Vocabulary	
Colour wheel	Complementary colours
landscape	portrait
Primary colours	Secondary colours
vivid	contrast

red + yellow = orange

yellow + blue = green

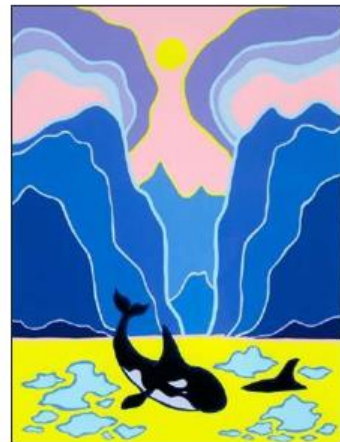
blue + red = violet



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Year 2 Sculpture

How have artists been inspired by castles?



• How have castles inspired Staffordshire Pottery?

• What is clay relief sculpture?

• How can I use colour to enhance my sculpture?

• How have other artists been inspired by castles?

• How can I evaluate my sculpture?

Key Vocabulary

2D	relief
3D	ornament
clay	shape
decoration	varnish



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Art Knowledge Organiser

Year 1 Monochromatic

What is a drawing?



- How can we make marks with a pencil?
- How can we use lines and shapes to draw?
- How does Christa Rijneveld use lines to create art?
- How can we create our own drawing inspired by Christa Rijneveld?
- How can we describe art?

Key Vocabulary	
line	tone
shape	zig zag
doodle	gallery
monochromatic	pencil



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Year 1 Chromatic?

Does abstract art mean anything?

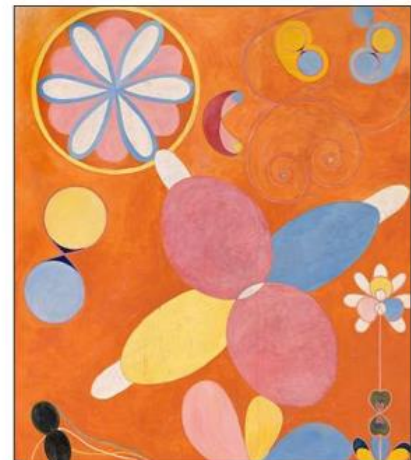


- How can we make colours?
- What is abstract art?
- Who was Hilma af Klint?
- What different meanings can abstract art have?
- How can we talk about abstract art?

Key Vocabulary

abstract	line
colour	shape
curved	primary colours
dot	realism

The paintings of Hilma af Klint



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Year 1 Sculpture

Why do artists sculpt?



- What is sculpture and what is clay?
- How can nature inspire sculptors?
- How can I be inspired by nature and make a leaf sculpture?
- How can I use colour to improve my sculpture?
- How can I evaluate my sculpture?

Key Vocabulary

2D	sculptor
3D	sculpture
clay	slab
nature	texture



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