



Eden Park Primary School Knowledge Organiser



Prior knowledge: short study in Y1 of basic landscapes and observational drawing will assist with their learning in the enquiry.

The Powerful Knowledge we will take away from this Learning Enquiry (what will be learning).

We will be discovering what makes an artist and where their inspiration comes from. During the Learning Enquiry, we will discover the works and techniques of famous artists. The knowledge and skills gained from our journey will enable us to analyse, make choices and explain the reasoning to our choices in creating our own art.

Home Learning Task.

Draw a portrait of a person you live with.

Our Key Vocabulary.

Word	Meaning
Portrait	A painting, drawing, photograph, or engraving of a person, especially one depicting only the face or head and shoulders.
Self Portrait	A drawing or painting that the artist makes of themselves.
Medium	In art, medium refers to the materials used in creating a piece of artwork such as paint, marble, clay or pastels.
Shading	To make part of a drawing darker than the rest.
Shadow	A dark shape made by something blocking out light.
Shade	A level of colour. A lighter shade of blue or a darker shade of blue.
Primary colours	Primary colours are red, yellow and blue. All of the other colours can be made from these three.

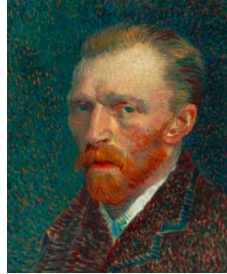
Meet the significant artists and their portraits.

Picasso



Pablo Picasso is considered one of the greatest artists of the 20th century. He is best known as the co-founder of **cubism**. A work of art is cubist when the artist opts to break up objects and re-assemble them in abstract and geometric form.

Van Gogh



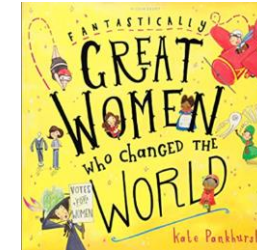
Vincent van Gogh is one of the world's most famous painters. When he was alive, he was not very famous at all. Since his death, he has become one of the most successful painters in history. People across the world have admired his unique style. If you look closely at his paintings, the brushstrokes are broken up. It is as if you can see each time Van Gogh put his brush on the canvas. In total, Van Gogh made around 2,100 artworks.



Frida Kahlo

Frida Kahlo is considered to be one of the most important artists of modern times. She was famous for painting self-portraits (pictures of herself) but she was also famous for painting women as strong people. Frida used lots of bright colours in her self-portraits which reminded her of the vibrant colours of the hot country where she lived. She was very proud of her Mexican heritage.

Literacy texts



How to draw a portrait.

