

Phase: KS1

Subject: Computing

Focus: Creating Pictures

Term: Spring 1

Prior learning: What I should already know?

- How to log onto Purple Mash using my username and password.
- How to use 2paint to colour a picture.

By the end of the unit I should know...

- To learn the functions of the 2Paint a Picture tool.
- To learn about and recreate the Impressionist style of art (Monet, Degas, Renoir).
- To recreate Pointillist art and look at the work of pointillist artists such as Seurat.
- To learn about the work of Piet Mondrian and recreate the style using the lines template.
- To learn about the work of William Morris and recreate the style using the patterns template.
- To explore surrealism and eCollage.

Vocabulary

Impressionism	The impressionist movement began in the 1860s and became most popular in the 1870s and 1880s. It differed from the common art of the time because it wasn't religious art, showing scenes from religious stories or specific events, but was just intended to capture a scene at a moment. The art gave an 'impression' of the scene
Palette	Within computer graphics, this is the range of colours or shapes available to the user.
Pointillism	Pointillism was a development of impressionism Pointillist paintings are created by using small dots in different colours to build up the whole picture. Colours are placed near each other rather than mixed.
Surrealism	Explored the subconscious areas of the mind. The artwork often made little sense as it was usually trying to depict a dream or random thoughts.
Template	Something that serves as a model for others to copy.

Key Questions

What are the main features of Impressionism?

Impressionism is a style of painting that focuses on the effects of light and atmosphere on colours and forms. Impressionist artists often used broken brush strokes.

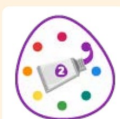
What are the main features of Pointillism?

Pointillism is a painting technique developed by the artist George Seurat. It involves using small, painted dots to create areas of colour that together form a pattern or picture.

What are the main features of Surrealism?

Surrealistic art is characterized by dream-like visuals, the use of symbolism and collage images. Several prominent artists came from this movement, including Renee Magritte, Salvador Dali, and Max Ernst.

Key Resources



2Paint a Picture

Key Images



Choose the style you want to paint in



Open, Save and Share your picture



Choose a background for your picture



Undo and redo



Zoom in and Zoom out



Outline options



Eraser and colour palettes



Fill tool and pen thickness