

Year Six: Drawing

Knowledge Organiser



The Big Idea

Pablo Picasso revolutionised the art world and to many is THE artist of the 20th century. He is famous for his pioneering role in Cubism with Georges Braque and for his melancholy Blue Period pieces. We can create mood and emotion in drawings through choices of tone, form and value.

Vocabulary

form
emotion
tone
texture
value

Research the Artist



Pablo Picasso
Cubism Artist

- Pablo Picasso was born in Malaga, Spain on 25th October 1881.
- His father started to train Pablo in drawing techniques and oil painting from the age of seven.
- Picasso was a painter, sculptor, print-maker and poet.
- During his career he completed more than 1800 paintings, sculptures, 2500 ceramic works, and 10,000 drawings.
- Several of Picasso's works have been sold for more than \$100 million.

Tone, texture and value



Tone is the relative scale of light to dark values in an image. It is vital to creating depth and solidity in a drawing or painting.

Texture is the way something feels to the touch or looks as if it may feel if it were touched.

Value simply means how light or dark something is.

Pencil Gradients



A B grade pencil means the core has more graphite, and will make a bolder, darker line, and also be a little smudgier than a light pencil.

An H grade pencil means the core has more clay, and will make a lighter, finer line, and will be less smudgy than a dark pencil.