

the problem is staying an artist when you grow up



One eye sees, the other feels.

**Paul Klee** 

#### WHAT IS A R T ?

#### "Creativity takes courage." — Henri Matisse



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#### Line





#### Value





Different tools make different kinds of lines.

Shapes come in many types and sizes.

Every color can be bright, dull, dark, or light.

Form is three-dimensional, and takes up space.

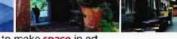




Texture is how a surface of something feels or looks.







We use illusions to make space in art.



Contrast

**Emphasis** 





Balance is the comfortable arrangement of things in art.



Contrast is the difference between elements in an artwork.



Emphasis is the creation of a focal area in a work of art.





Movement is how we get around in a work of art.



Pattern decorates surfaces with planned, repeated units.



Rhythm is the repetition of shapes, lines, and forms.



Unity means that all is in harmony. Variety adds interest.



Pattern

Unity

## INTRODUCING LINE



Learning about the elements of art?

Begin by discovering lines in works of art. Look closely at the types of lines in this drawing.

How many different lines do you see here?

Notice length, direction, width, distance from each other, etc.

### LINES & MOOD

Rhythmic horizontals evoke feelings of restfulness, sleepiness, laziness, joyous calm.

Horizontal lines suggest calm, repose, immobility.

Verticals often communicate a sense of height because they are perpendicular to the earth, extending upwards toward the sky.

Horizontal and vertical lines used in combination communicate stability

Diagonals suggest instability, movement, action.

Vibrating lines suggests nervousness, shyness, timidity.

Curved lines do vary in meaning. Soft, shallow curves suggest comfort, safety, familiarity, relaxation. They recall the curves of the human body, and therefore have a pleasing, sensual quality.

Angular and conflicting lines suggest violence, unrest, hate and



## WHAT DO THE LINES TELL YOU ABOUT THE MOOD OF THIS PAINTING?



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# **LEARN MORE!**



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## LIST ONE THING YOU FOUND INTERESTING FROM THE WEBSITE



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#### SHAPE

A shape is an element of art. Specifically, it is an enclosed space, the boundaries of which are defined by other elements of art (i.e.: lines, colours, values, textures, etc.). Shapes are limited to two dimensions: length and width.

#### Geometric shapes:

- Circles, rectangles, squares, triangles and so on have the clear edges one achieves when using tools to create them.
- Most geometric shapes are made by humans, though crystals are also considered to be geometric despite the



fact that they are made in nature.

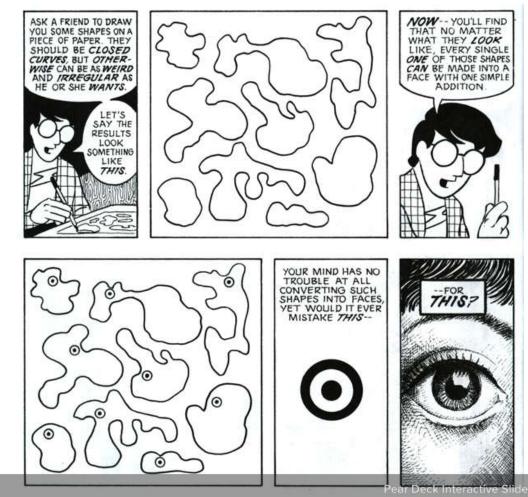


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### SHAPE

#### Organic shapes:

- Organic shapes have a natural look and a flowing and curving appearance.
- Organic shapes and forms are typically irregular or asymmetrical.
- Organic shapes are associated with things from the natural world, like plants and animals.





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FORM

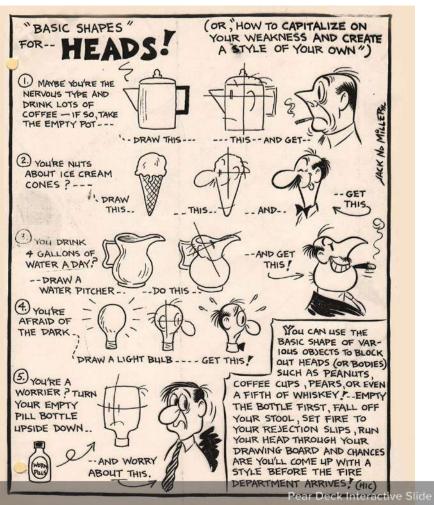
In the visual arts, shape is a flat, enclosed area of an artwork created through line, texture, colour or an area enclosed by other shapes.

A form refers to a 3-D (threedimensional) composition or object within a three-dimensional composition.

### What is the difference between form and shape?



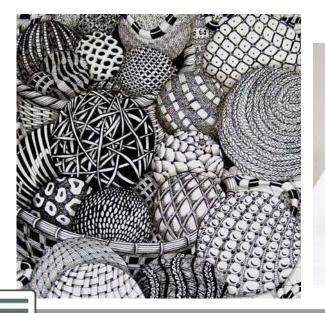
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### TEXTURE

Implied Texture:

When an artist paints or draws a texture but it is artificial.



Refers to how something feels or looks like it would feel if you could touch it. There are two kinds of texture----->

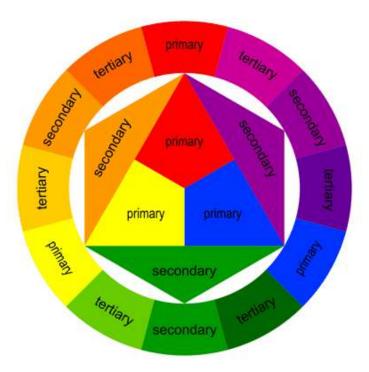
#### Real Texture:

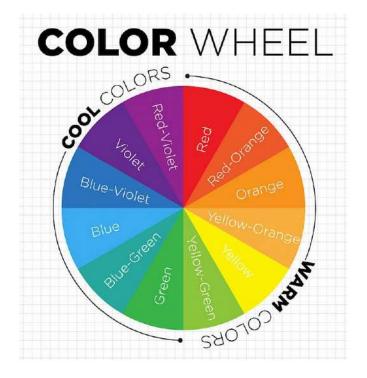
How something actually feels, such as a sculpture

What are some ways artists might use implied texture?

#### COLOR

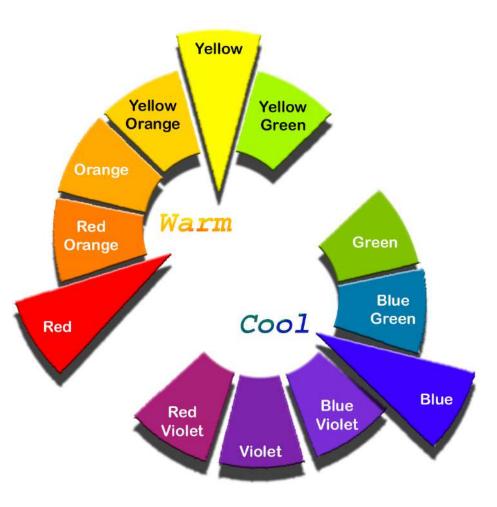
Color is the element of art derived from reflected or absorbed light. Color adds interest and mood to a work of art.





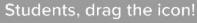
# WARM AND COOL

- Warm colors such as red, yellow, and orange; evoke warmth because they remind us of things like the sun or fire.
- Cool colors such as blue, green, and purple (violet); evoke a cool feeling because they remind us of things like water or grass.



## WHICH PAINTING BELOW USES







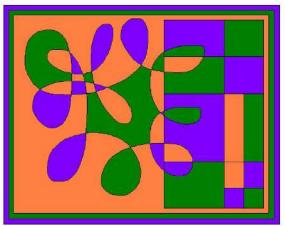
# PRIMARY, SECONDARY & TERTIARY COLOR

Primary colors – are the 3 pigment colors that can not be mixed or formed by any combination of other colors. All other colors are derived from these 3 hues.

Secondary Colors – These are the colors formed by mixing the primary colors.

Tertiary Colors – These are the colors formed by mixing a primary and a secondary color. That's why the hue is a two word name, such as blue-green, red-violet, and yellow-orange.

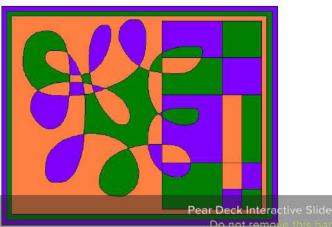




# PRIMARY, SECONDARY & TERTIARY COLOR

# What is a Tertiary Color?







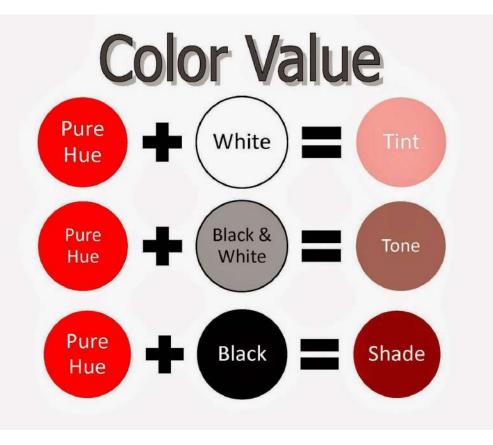
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# TINTS, SHADES & TONES **COLOR**

Tints – Adding white to pure color

Shades – Adding black to pure color

Tones – Adding gray to pure color



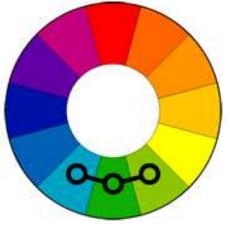
#### TINTS, SHADES & TONES COLOR How are tints, tones and shades made?



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#### **COLOR** SCHEMES



#### Complementary Colors:

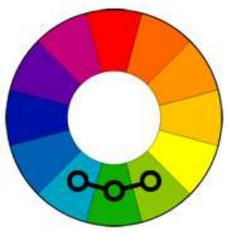
Red and Green, Blue and Orange, Purple and Yellow located directly across from each other on the color wheel. Complementary colors they rarely look good when used together because, when used together, they become extremely vibrant and have heavy contrast, especially if they are of the same value. Complementary colors are useful when you want to make something stand out. However, complementary colors are really bad for text.

#### Analogous Colors:

Red and Orange, Blue and Green, etc. — located right next to each other on the color wheel. They usually match extremely well, but they also create almost no contrast. They're good for very serene, peaceful designs and artwork where you want viewers to feel comfortable.



#### **COLOR** SCHEMES



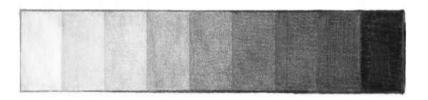
#### When would you, as an artist, want to use Analogous colors in your work?



VALUE

Value refers to the lightness or darkness of an object.

The degree of lightness or darkness. The effect of light and shade in a picture.

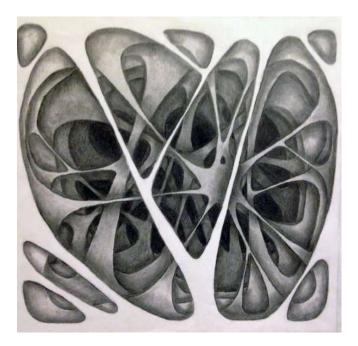




#### VALUE

## Which drawing shows the best use of value?





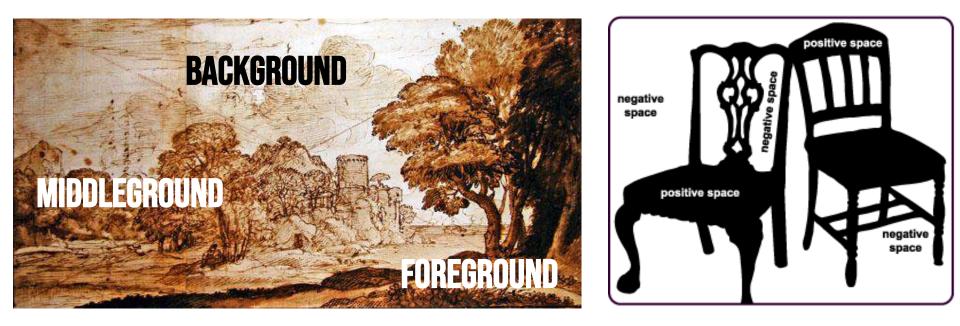






#### **SPACE**

The element of art that refers to the emptiness or area around or within objects. Positive space refers to the part of the artwork that takes up space. Negative space is the area around that object. This element of art also refers to the "parts" of the picture... Foreground, Middleground and Background!



#### **SPACE** WHERE IS THE FOREGROUND IN THE PAINTING?





Balance: Is an art and design principle concerned with the arrangement of one or more elements in a work of art so that they appear symmetrical (even) or asymmetrical (uneven) in design and proportion.

BALANCE

**Symmetrical Balance:** Refers to **balance** that is achieved by arranging elements on either side of the center of a composition in an equally weighted manner. **Symmetrical balance** can be thought of as 50/50 **balance** or like a mirror image. In other words, the image would look the same on either side of the center.



**Asymmetrical Balance:** Is when you have two dissimilar sides of a design and have positioned visual weight unequally, and yet you've still achieved a sense of **balance**.

#### BALANCE

## Is this artwork symmetrical or asymmetrical?

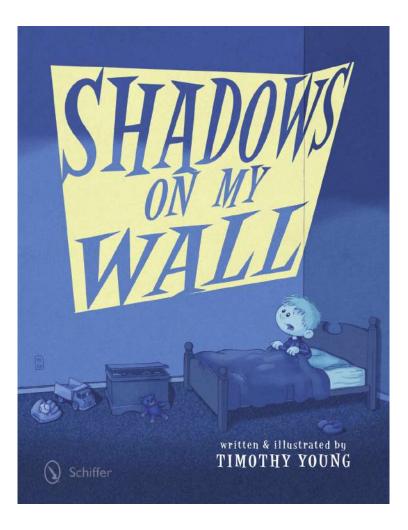


### CONTRAST

**Contrast** is a principle of design. When defining it, art experts refer to the arrangement of opposite elements (light vs. dark colors, rough vs. smooth textures, large vs. small shapes, etc.) in a piece so as to create visual interest, excitement and drama.

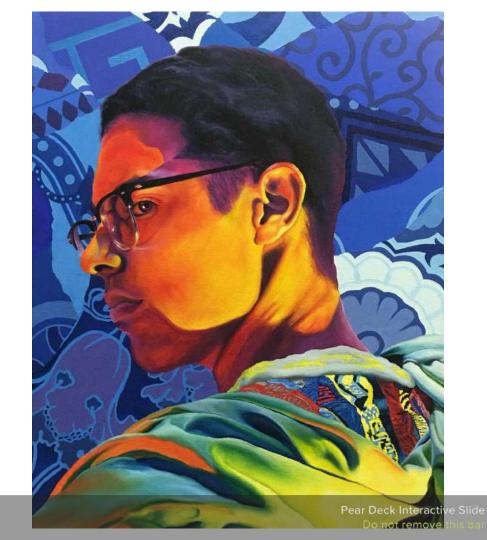
The colors white and black provide the greatest degree of contrast. Complementary colors also highly contrast with one another.

An artist can employ contrast as a tool, to direct the viewer's attention to a particular point of interest within the piece.



#### CONTRAST

How did the artist use contrast in this painting?





#### **EMPHASIS**

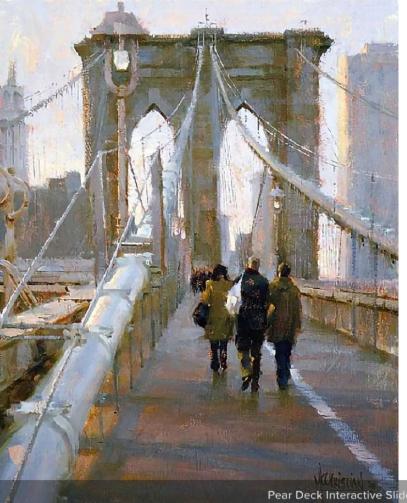
Emphasis is the principle of art that helps the audience put the story of a painting together in their own minds. Any object or area of emphasis is called a focal point. The focal point is meant to be the part of an artwork to which the viewer's eyes are first attracted.





### **EMPHASIS**

#### Where is the emphasis or focal point in this artwork?





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#### Pattern is a combination of shapes or elements repeated in a recurring and regular arrangement.







#### PATTERN

## What is pattern?

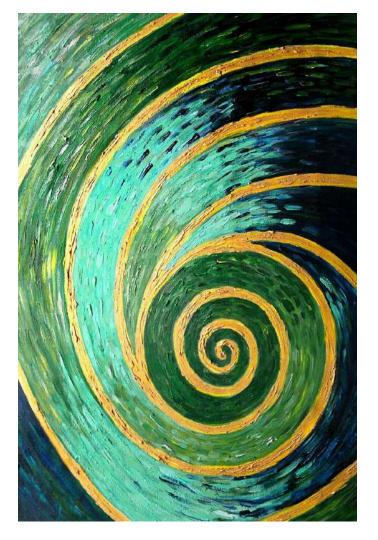


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#### RHYTHM

Rhythm: a movement in which some elements recurs regularly. Like a dance it will have a flow of objects that will seem to be like the beat of music.





# **RHYTHM** How does this artist incorporate rhythm into the work?





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### MOVEMENT

Movement: Is the path the viewer's eye takes through the artwork, often to a focal area. It can be directed along lines, edges, shapes and color. Movement is closely tied to rhythm.



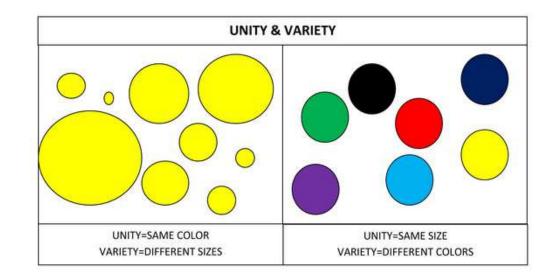


#### What is the difference between Rhythm and Movement?

#### UNITY

Unity is what pull design elements together and show relationships.

A good balance between unity and variety must be established to avoid a chaotic or a lifeless design.



#### Unity can be achieved by:

proximity



continuity

#### alignment

### UNITY What did the artist do to effectively use both unity & variety in this work?





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## List the Seven Elements of Art



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## List the Seven Principles of Design



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