



Surrealist MEME Project

Connecting our own thoughts and perspectives to Surrealist Style Art Works by creating a MODERN MEME.

The background is a dark, monochromatic collage. On the right, there is a profile of a man's head, possibly Salvador Dalí, looking towards the left. The rest of the image is filled with various surrealistic elements, including melting clocks, distorted faces, and abstract shapes, all in shades of gray and black.

Surrealism was created around the 1920's in Europe in RESPONSE to WWI.

By using dreams and the unconscious, these artists would make a world like the one they knew, but it was skewed making the reality SURREAL.

Spanish Artist Salvador Dali would fall asleep holding a marble in his hand over a metal bowl so when he fell asleep, he would drop the marble, WAKE UP, and paint his dreams.

Since World War ONE turned the world upside down, WHY DO YOU THINK these artists would break from painting REALITY to developing artwork of a more IMAGINARY or DREAMLIKE variety????

Pick one image from this collection you feel connected with to make a MEME.

Use a photo editing app like:

Picsart

Snapchat

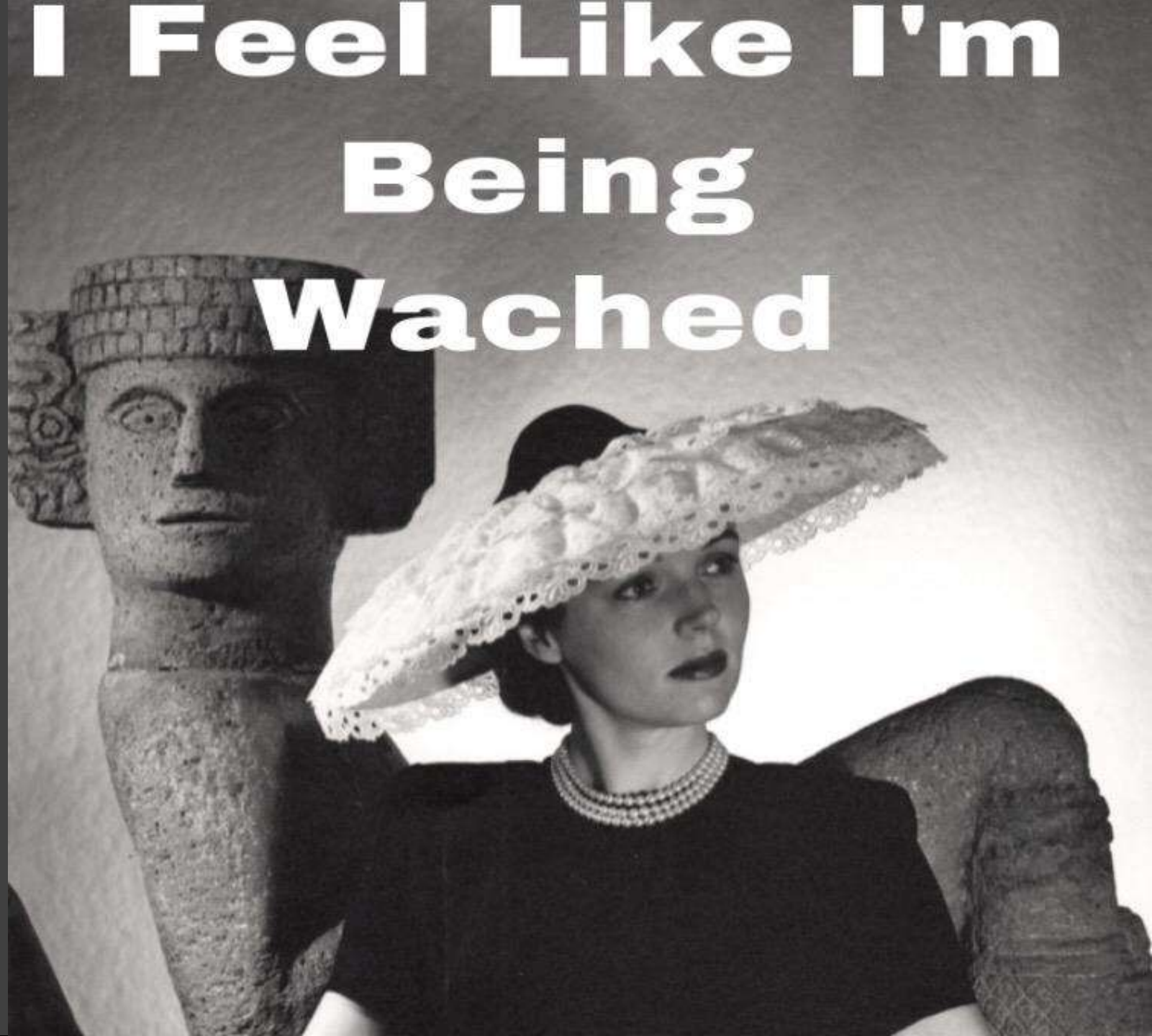
IMAGE OPTIONS feature in Google Docs

OTHERS?? Share out

To ADD your text to the image that stands out to you.

THEN **SHARE** ON THE GOOGLE CLASS STREAM!!

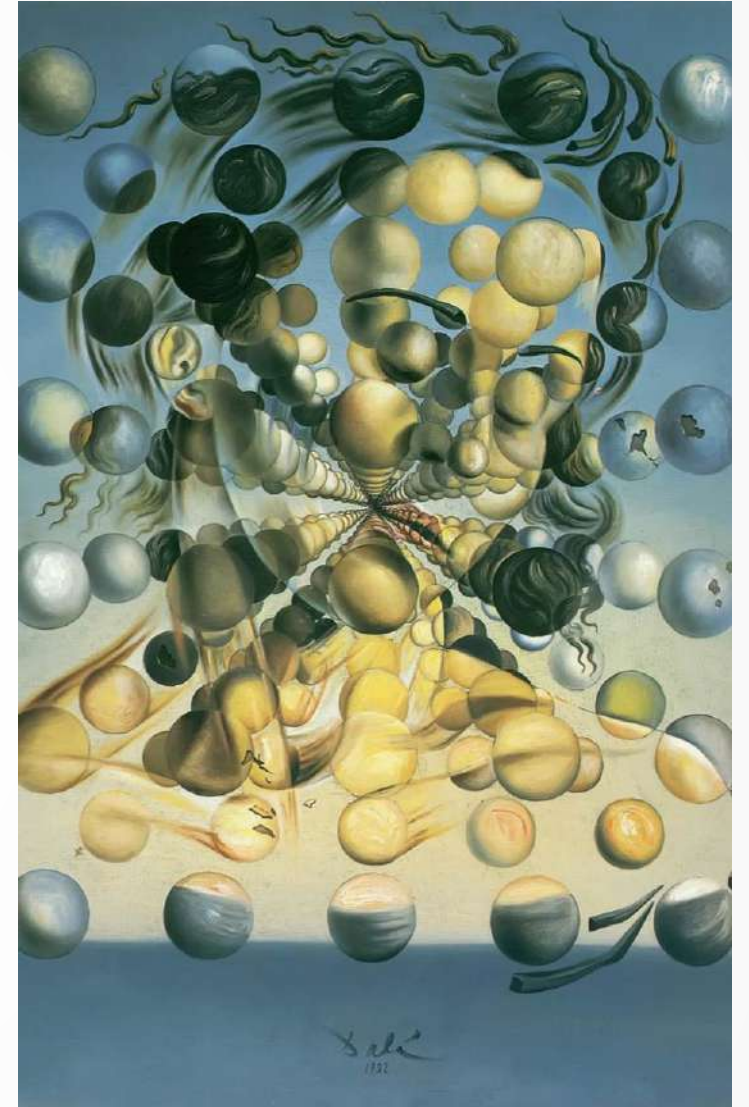
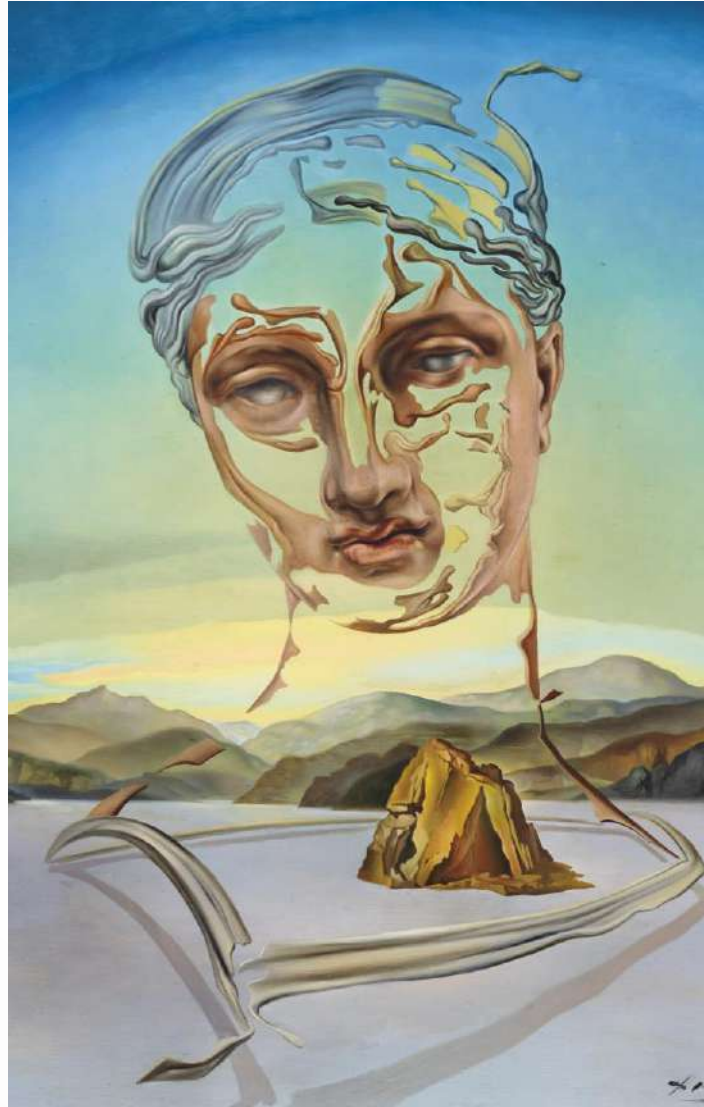
Former JA student's work 2019 ->



Salvador Dali (Official)

Naissance Dune Divinite
(Left)

Galatea of the Spheres
(Right)

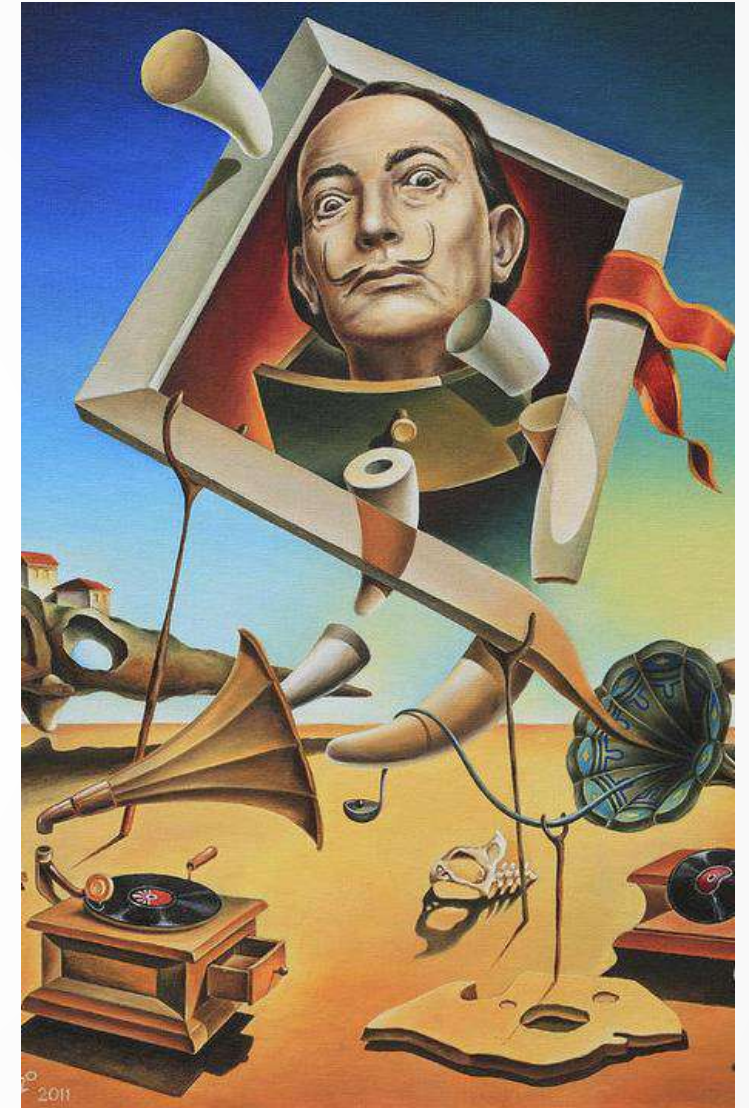
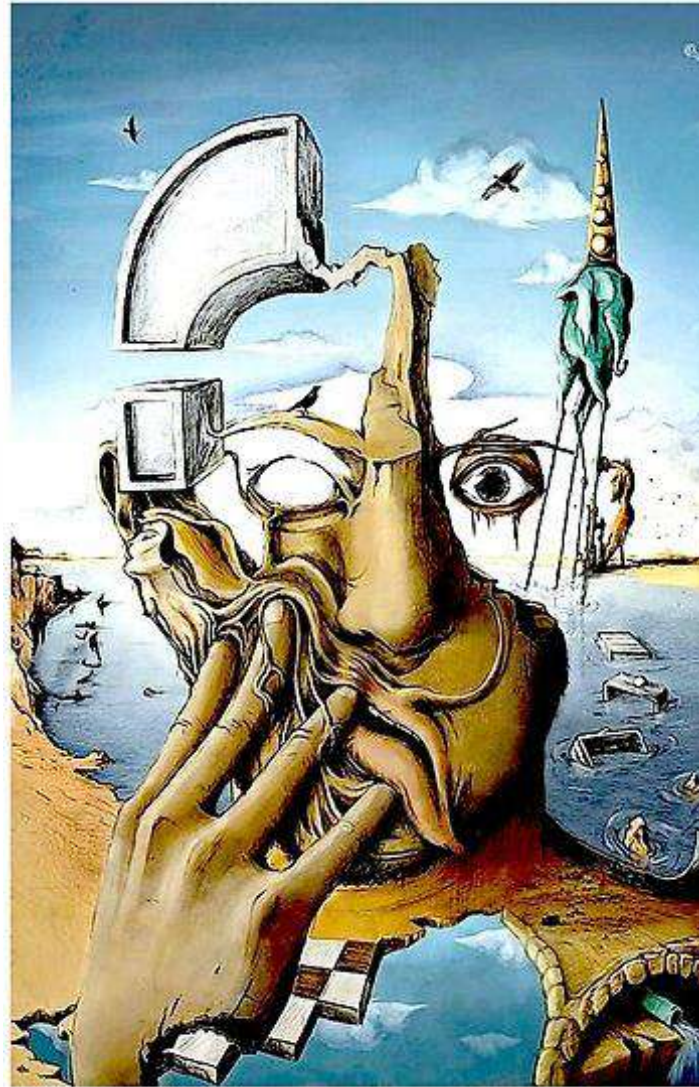


Salvador Dali (FAN ART)*

A Surreal Simulacrum
(left)

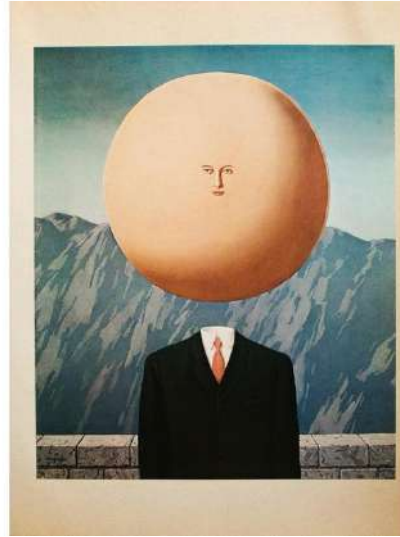
Self Portrait
(right)

- Famous Artists and Musicians often have FANS make art inspired by their lives or works.



Rene Magritte

The Art of Living
(Top Left)



Clairvoyance
(Bottom Left)



The Fifth Season
(Right)

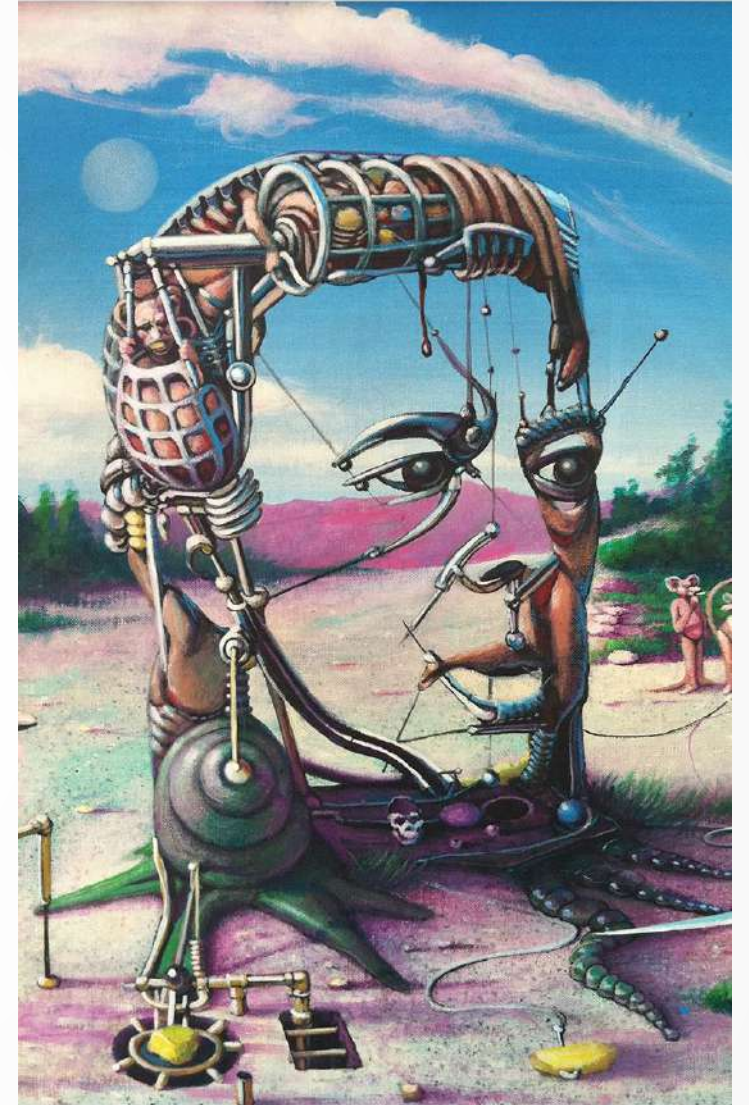


Andre Breton

Nadja
(Left)

Self Portrait
(Right)

- Breton wrote the FIRST Surrealist Manifesto



Hannah Hoch

Fight

- Hoch was a famous DADA collage artist. Dada was a movement that happened alongside Surrealism.



Frida Kahlo

Self Portrait with Thorn Necklace and Hummingbird

(Top Left)



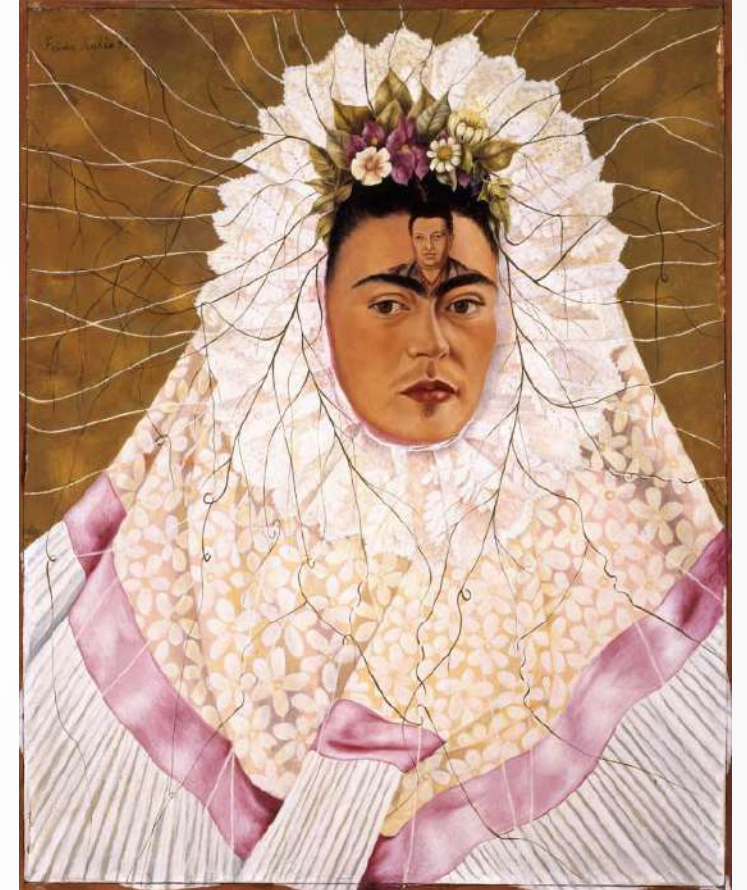
Roots

(Bottom Left)



Diego on My Mind

(Right)



Frida Kahlo

- Frida was a Mexican Artist who said that she wasn't a surrealist artist because she painted her reality.
- She had a lot of hardships that she had to overcome.

The Two Fridas
(Right)



Personally I felt a connection to Hannah Hoch's work FIGHT due to minor irritations with my housemates after having NO BREAK.

WHAT ARE YOU CONNECTED TO?

Make your own MEME and share on the GOOGLE CLASS STREAM. Then KINDLY comment on each other's work.

