

The Knowledge

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Formal elements - Architecture



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Year 5
Art

Key Vocabulary

- **Abstract Art:** Art which does not represent images of our everyday world. It has colour, lines and shapes (form), but they are not intended to represent objects or living things.
- **Amphitheatre:** An oval or circular building with rising tiers of seats arranged about an open space.
- **Ancient:** Very old.
- **Architects:** Designers of buildings.
- **Composition:** The placement or arrangement of the different elements, or 'things' within a work of art.
- **Cryptic:** Something that has a secret or hidden meaning.
- **Legacy:** Something that exists as a result of things that happened in the past.
- **Mono print:** A form of printmaking where the design or drawing can only be made once.
- **Ornate:** Excessively decorated.
- **Plaque:** A sign that is usually fixed to a wall in memory of a person or event.

Key Facts

First hand drawings are drawn from life, not from pictures.



Second hand drawings are drawn from a photograph or a picture, rather than the real object or place.



An architectural style refers to the features that make a building historically identifiable, such as the shape, materials used and methods of construction.

Key Artist

Artists' work looked at:



Hundertwasser

A modern artist and architect who was born in Austria.

Test Yourself

- What is a first hand drawing?
- What is a second hand drawing?
- What is a mono print and how did we create a mono print?
- What is an architect?
- What does ancient mean?

What I would like to know...