

Knowledge Organiser: AUTUMN 2

Year 4 Art & Design: Elements of Art: Space

Vocabulary	Meaning	Key knowledge – Art techniques – using space
illusion	an appearance or impression	Space in art is the space is the area around, above, and within an object. Positive space is occupied by the object. negative space is defined by the edges of the positive space (the object) and the frame.
proportion	how the sizes of different parts of a piece of art or design relate to each other	
perspective	the appearance of viewed objects with regard to their relative position, distance from the viewer etc.	
sketch	a rough drawing of something	
perception	the ability to see, hear, to become aware of something through the senses	Key knowledge – Art techniques – illusion of depth
depth	the distance from the top or surface to the bottom of something	Artists use illusion of depth to create the illusion of three- dimensional space on a two-dimensional surface. You can use overlapping and size differences to give the illusion of near and far. The part that overlaps the other subject appears closer. Smaller objects with less detail are perceived as being farther away. The smaller an object is, the farther away it is perce
three dimensional	having length, breadth, and depth	
technique	the way of doing something	
materials	things needed fo ran ativity	
overlapping	one material goes over another to cover partly	
blur	make or become unclear or les distinct	Key knowledge – Artists
projection	the presentation of an image on a surface	Keith Haring, Pablo Picasso & Wassily Kandinsky are artists who use overlapping and size to create depth in their art work.
composition	composition is the placement or arrangement of visual elements such as figures, trees	
linear	arranged in or extending along a straight or nearly straight line	
horizon	the line at which the earths surface and the sky appear to meet	