

Vocabulary	Meaning
Character	A printed or written letter or symbol
Thickness	A broad or deep part of a specified thing
Stroke	A short printed or written diagonal line
Watercolor	A painting method in which the paints are made of a water-based solution
Visual	Relating to seeing or sight
Effects	A particular impression
Static	Lacking in movement
Landscape	All the visible features of an area of land
Qualities	Distinctive characteristics possessed by something
Tone	The particular quality of brightness or deepness of a shade of colour
Ink	A coloured fluid or paste used for writing, drawing or printing
Outline	A line or set of lines enclosing or indicating the shape of an object in a sketch or diagram
Figure	a person's bodily shape
Materials	Things used in the creation of a work of art

Key knowledge – Art techniques

Baimiao - (Chinese for plain line) is a brush technique for drawing **outlines** of **figures**. This technique does not use any colour, shading or wash and is usually used for figure painting eg: humans and animals.



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Calligraphy - Decorative handwriting or handwritten lettering.. Calligraphy uses a brush and ink to create symbols that act as a language. Calligraphy was the art form prized above all others in Ancient China.



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Colour wash is when a fine layer of **watercolour** is spread with a brush over a large surface.

