

Zara's Art Corner: The World of Wassily Kandinsky

Let's get colourful! Explore the shapes and sounds of art with Zara the Zebra.

- Wassily Kandinsky was a famous artist who helped start the style of abstract art.
- Abstract art does not try to show people or places exactly as they look in real life.
- Kandinsky used geometric shapes like circles, triangles, and squares to build his pictures.
- He believed that bright colours could show different moods and feelings.
- Kandinsky often drew lines to create a sense of rhythm and movement across the page.

Did you know? Did you know that Wassily Kandinsky had a special ability called synaesthesia? He said that when he looked at colours, he could actually 'hear' them like music notes! He believed that a yellow circle might sound like a bright trumpet, while a deep blue square might sound like a low cello.

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