

Zara's Art Studio: Famous Artists

Learning objective: To learn about the work of famous artists and use their styles to create new art.

Look at the styles below. Answer the questions to show what you know. Use the word bank to help you.

Zara the zebra loves art. She knows that artists use different colours and shapes to show how they feel. Some artists paint people, some paint the countryside, and some paint shapes that look like dreams.

Word bank: Portrait · Landscape · Abstract · Pattern · Colour · Brushstroke

1. Zara wants to paint a picture of her friend Leo the lion. What do we call a painting of a person or animal? (2 marks)

2. An artist paints a picture of a green hill and a blue sky. Is this a portrait or a landscape? (2 marks)

3. Why do artists use bright colours in their paintings? (2 marks)

4. Look at the word 'Abstract'. This means the painting does not look like a real object. Can you describe an abstract painting in one short sentence? (2 marks)

Draw: Zara is painting a pattern using bright colours. Draw your own pattern inside the box below using at least three different shapes.



Extension challenge: If you could sell your painting, how much would it cost? Write a price tag for it using Australian dollars and cents (e.g., £2.50).