Art and Design - Y4 Autumn - Drawing



Jamie Coreth is a famous British portrait artist who painted the first official portrait of the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge.

The Mona Lisa is a halflength portrait painting by Italian artist Leonardo da Vinci.

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Portraits

Key vocabulary to remember and use in your learning

Word	Definition	
scale	Scale is the size of one object in relation to the other objects in a design or artwork.	
stippling	A drawing technique in which areas of light and shadow are created using nothing but dots.	
texture	How something feels or its appearance. In drawing, this is created using tone and shading techniques.	

Key knowledge to know and use

Leonardo Da Vinci is a famous Italian artist who painted portraits Rembrandt is a famous Dutch portrait artist. Jamie Coreth is a modern day British portrait artist

Artists use drawing pencils to sketch. The pencils have a number and a letter on them. H stands for hard – these pencils leave light lines, so they are perfect for adding lots of detail to drawings. B stands for blackness – these pencils leave heavy, dark lines, so are perfect for shading and building up darker layers of tone.

Artists use a range of drawing techniques to build up shades and tones and to create a realistic image. These include hatching, shading and stippling.

In portrait drawing, artists use scale and proportion to consider where each detail in the image goes.