What is Pop art and why was it so popular?

Spotlight Artists:

Andy Warhol

Roy Lichenstein 1923-1997





You need to let the little things that would ordinarily bore you suddenly thrill you." Ándv Warhól

Roy Lichtenstein- Pop (1965)

How is this image different from real life?

Art Detectives



Andy Warhol-Marilyn (F. & S. II.31) 1967

Skills and Techniques

Use different shading techniques to give depth to a drawing.

Create a background colour wash.

Demonstrate ideas for your final piece of art in your sketchbook.

Be able to compare different artists.

Identify parts of your work that you are proud of and what you would like to improve.

Key Vocabulary



Ben Day dots-a term used to describe small coloured dots,

typically in cyan, (cyan is a colour between green and blue.)

magenta, yellow, and black, that are variously spaced and

combined to create shading and complete images.



Primary colours- are red, yellow and blue. They cannot be made by mixing other colours together. The primary colours sit equal distances apart on the colour wheel. All other colours can be mixed from red, yellow and blue.



Roy Lichtenstein-Roy Lichtenstein was born in New York in 1923. He became famous for his bright and bold paintings of comic strip cartoons as well as his paintings of everyday objects. He was one of a group of artists making art in the 1960s.

Why do you think the artist made this painting?



Andy Warhole- born Andrew Warhola in 1928 in Pennsylvania. His parents were from a part of Europe that is now part of Slovakia. They moved to New York in the 1920s. His first job was illustrating adverts in fashion magazines. Now is he known as one of the most influential artists who ever lived!



Self portrait-is a picture of the artist drawing it. They are also a way of documenting how we see ourselves, and how we want others to perceive us. For some it's all about experimentation and trying new things.



Pop Art-Pop art is a style of art based on simple, bold images of everyday items, such as soup cans, painted in bright colours. They were called pop artists because they made art about 'popular' things like TV, celebrities, fast food, pop music and car-

Character

Can I create expression and feeling in a Pop Art self portrait?

Critical thinking

Why is Pop Art good for advertising?

Creativity

Can you create a piece of Pop Art using one of your favourite food brands?

Communication

Pop Art portraits?

Citizenship

Research other artists that were involved in the Pop Art scene. Who will be your favourite?

Collaboration

Why not take a photo of your whole class' Pop Art portraits!

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Andy Warhol, Campbell's Condensed Tomato Soup (1962)