Year 7 Art Glossary

The Basics

Tonal grid

Is the relative scale of light to dark values in an image

Tone and shade

Lightness and darkness of a colour

Annotation

are written explanations or critical comments added to **art** or design work that record and communicate your thoughts.

Analysis

The purpose of a visual **analysis** is to recognize and understand the visual choices the artist made in creating the artwork.

Artist study

An **Artist study** is the breakdown of the **artistic** elements in an artwork to discover how it portrays meaning

Mark making

the creation of different patterns, lines, textures and shapes

Colour theory

guidance to colour mixing and the visual effects of a specific colour combination

Colour profile

Tone and shade of a colour

Jim Dine

Artist study

An **Artist study** is the breakdown of the **artistic** elements in an artwork to discover how it portrays meaning

Direct observational drawing drawing from life an object in front of you

Colour wash

Applying colour to the background of a sketch book

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Year 8 Art Glossary

Jasper Johns

Artist study An **Artist study** is the breakdown of the artistic elements in an artwork to discover how it portrays meaning **Analysis**

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Layout

The arrangement of a drawing on a page Tonal mark making Patterns and marks that consist of tone and shade Card structure Creation of a 3D outcome from 2D objects

Pop Art

Artist study An **Artist study** is the breakdown of the artistic elements in an artwork to discover how it portrays meaning Font A chosen style of lettering or typeface design

Scale

The size in which an image is viewed and drawn

Outline

The contour of a word Shadow

The bold black area that sits behind a word ?image Line

A mark on a surface that joins 2 points

Portraiture

Size

the **size** relationship between an object and the human body is significant.

Scale

SCale and proportion in art are both concerned with size. Scale refers to the size of an object (a whole) in relationship to another object (another whole).

Proportion

refers to the dimensions of a composition and relationships between height, width and depth

Tonal colour

The application of a colour that shows tonal qualities

Continuous line

A single unbroken line that creates an image

Graffiti

Abstract

Size

the **size** relationship between an object and the human body is significant.

Layout

a. The art or process of arranging printed or graphic matter on a page. b. The overall design of a page

Relief

A relief is a wall-mounted sculpture in which the threedimensional elements are raised from a flat base.

Construction

The assembly of a piece of art work/ a piece that has been put together

Year 7 and 8 Photography Glossary

Composition: The way in which something is put together or arranged

Contact sheets: A series of original photographs that are small scale

First shots: Chosen photographs from original contact sheets

Edits/Filter: Photo editing is the changing of images to enhance the

overall effect

Manipulation: Cutting up of images to replicate an artists work.

Layout: Laying out a sketchbook

Analysis: A description of an artists work

Annotation: The evaluation of your own work