

## Year 8 Art Glossary Spring Term

### Tier 2 Vocabulary

Key Term	Meaning
Composition	The way elements (like lines, shapes, colours) are arranged in a work of art.
Form	The three-dimensional quality of an object.
Perspective	A technique used to create the illusion of depth on a flat surface.

### Tier 3 Vocabulary

Chiaroscuro	The use of strong contrasts between light and shadow to create dramatic effects.
Mixed Media	Art that combines various materials and techniques (e.g., painting, collage, photography, sculpture).
Multiple Viewpoints	A technique in which an object is shown from multiple perspectives simultaneously.
Collage	A piece of art made by sticking various materials such as photographs and pieces of paper or fabric on to a backing.
Cubism	A style of modern art where objects or people are depicted as a collection of geometric shapes, seen from multiple angles at once.
Analytical Cubism	The subject matter is analysed, broken up, and reassembled in an abstracted form.
Synthetic Cubism	Using bright colours and collage. Often incorporated found objects and materials into their paintings.