YEAR 7 Art Spring Vocabulary

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Key Term	Meaning
Reflection	Mirroring or duplicating something.
Prolific	Producing many works.
Depicted	To represent or show something in a picture, story, movie, etc.

Tier 2 Vocabulary

Tier 3 Vocabulary

Rule of Thirds	A compositional guideline, where the artwork is divided 3 horizontally and 3 vertically.
Hot Spot	Where the lines cross within the rule of thirds.
Focal Point	The main focus.
Proportions	The relationship between the sizes of different elements within a piece.
Ratio	The proportional relationship between the width and height of an artwork or surface.
Symmetrical	One side is the same as the other.
Directional Shading	Shading is applied in a specific direction to create an illusion of three-dimensionality and form
Contour	To closely follow or fit around the curved surface or shape of something.
Renaissance	Started in Italy from about 1400 under the influence of the rediscovery of classical art and culture
Monoprint	A unique/one-off print taken from a design.
Macro	Close up, zooming in on a section of the subject matter.
Abstract	Does not depict reality. Focuses on shapes, colour, forms and gestural marks.
Relief	A 3D affect that projects outwards from the background.