


## Art and design skills

<b>Abstract</b>	Art which does not represent images of our everyday world. It has colour, lines and shapes (form), but is not intended to represent objects or living things.
<b>Herringbone</b> 	A pattern which looks like the the skeleton of a herring fish. It's made up of an arrangement of rectangles or parallelograms in a repetitive pattern.
<b>Milliner</b>	Someone who designs and makes womens' hats.
<b>Mindfulness</b>	Paying full attention to something, slowing down to really notice what you are doing. It is a form of relaxation.
<b>Pattern</b>	A repeated design.
<b>Polyprint tile</b>	A printing block made from polystyrene.
<b>Prototype</b>	A first version of an idea or creation.
<b>Realism</b>	To represent something as it really looks.
<b>Symbolism</b>	Using an object or a word to represent an idea.
<b>Zentangle Patterns</b>	An abstract drawing created using repeated patterns.


## Key facts

Impressionism is a style of painting that focuses on light. Impressionist artists often used thick, broken brush strokes and painted scenes of everyday life.



The Post-impressionism art movement followed after the Impressionists. Like the Impressionist artists, it featured bright colours and thick brushstrokes but they included more emotion and expression in their paintings.


## Artists' work looked at:



**Edward Hopper** An American realist painter and printmaker.  
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**William Morris**  
A British textile designer.  
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**Paul Cezanne**  
A French artist and Post-impressionist painter.  
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**Edgar Degas** A French artist famous for his pastel drawings and oil paintings of ballerinas.

**Eugène Henri Paul Gauguin**  
A French Post-impressionist artist.

**Stephens Jones**  
A leading British milliner based in London.

**Bundle McClaren**  
A British contemporary milliner who makes bespoke and ready-to-wear hats.



**Georges-Pierre Seurat**  
A French Post-impressionist artist.  
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**Claude Monet**  
A French painter, and a founder of French Impressionist painting.



**Vincent Van Gogh**  
A Dutch painter and well-known Post-impressionist artist.  
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**Auguste Renoir** A French artist who lead in the development of the Impressionist style.  
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