

Art

Great Artists Through Time



An informative PowerPoint.

L.O: To learn about great artists through time.

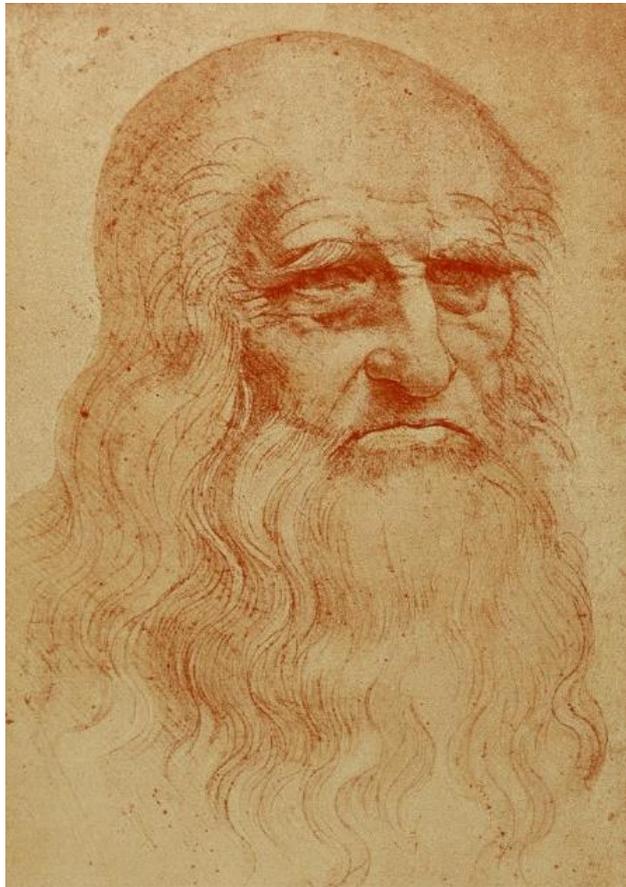
Starter Activity

Name as many artists as
you can in 1 minute.

GO!

Leonardo da Vinci

(1452-1519)



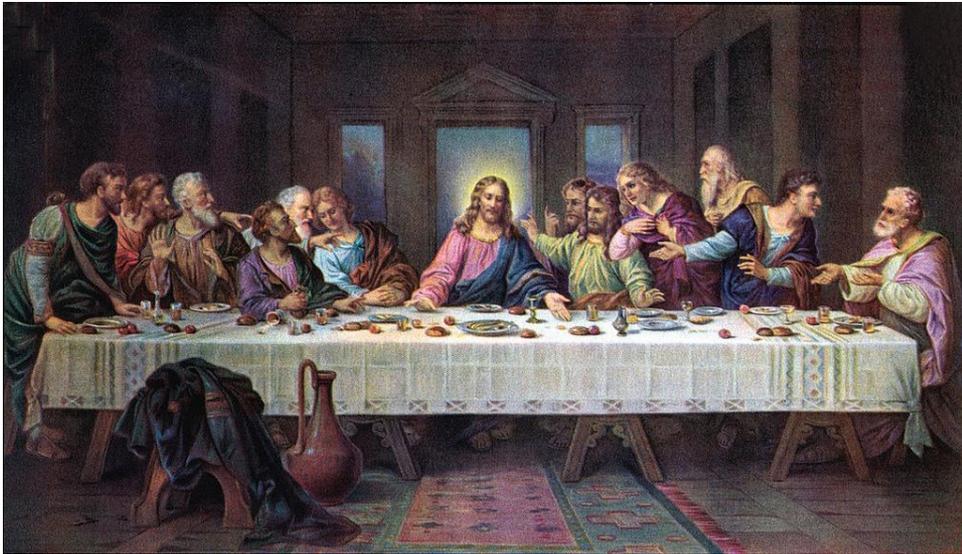
Leonardo da Vinci

Leonardo was Italian and lived during the Renaissance, a time that led to important developments in science and art.

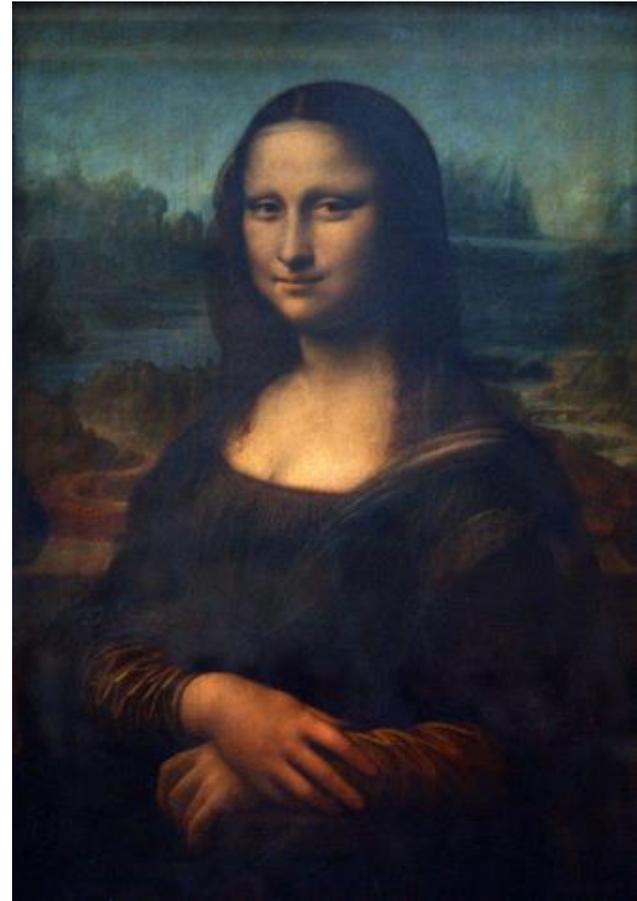
Leonardo da Vinci was a very talented man. He was a great scientist, engineer, writer, musician and mathematician.

His most famous works include The Last Supper and the Mona Lisa.

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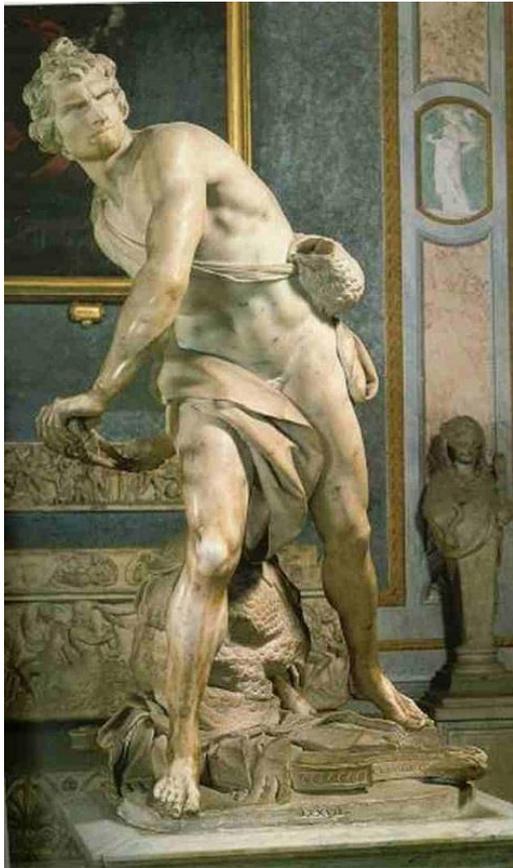


The Last Supper



The Mona Lisa

Gian Lorenzo Bernini (1598 - 1680)



David

Gian Lorenzo Bernini was Italian. He was a painter, architect, play writer and sculptor.

He is famously known for his beautifully detailed marble sculptures.



**Fontana dei
Quattro Fiumi**



**Gian
Lorenzo
Bernini**



Apollo and Daphne

Francisco de Goya

(1746-1828)

Goya was a Spanish artist who studied art from an early age. He learned by imitation, copying art by the great masters. He later travelled to Rome to develop his skills.

In 1779, he was appointed the royal artist for the Spanish court, showing he had a great eye for detail, and gaining a reputation as a portrait artist.

In this painting of the Duke and Duchess of Osuna and their children, Goya's attention to the details of material and facial features is evident.



Joseph Turner (1775-1851)

Joseph Mallord William Turner was an English artist. Growing up, he worked as an assistant to various architects.

His early work consisted mainly of drawings and watercolours, but he later worked with oils.

Turner was successful from an early age allowing him to travel to seek inspiration for his next piece. He was hugely inspired by historical monuments and by light and scenery. On several occasions he returned to Venice, which was the inspiration for some of his finest work.



Rain, Steam and Speed

Claude Monet

(1840-1926)

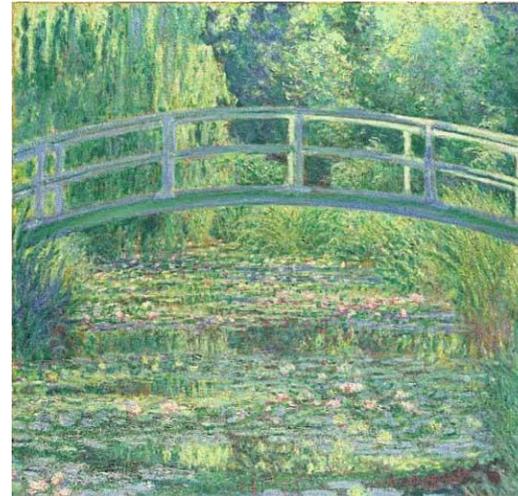
Claude Monet was born in Paris. It was clear from a young age that he was a talented artist. To make money, he would draw caricatures of people.

Later, he met a landscape painter who introduced Claude to painting outside. He would spend hours painting directly from nature, he particularly liked to draw water scenes and was inspired by the affect of light.

Monet became known as an "Impressionist" because his work had an unfinished look.



Poppy Fields Near Argenteuil



The Water Lily Pond

Pierre Auguste Renoir (1841-1919)



Le Déjeuner des Canotiers

Renoir was French and well known for his distinctive style. He was an Impressionist which means his work was a likeness but not completely realistic.

His most famous pieces include *Le déjeuner des Canotiers* and *Bal du moulin de la Galette*.

Henri Matisse

Jeanette I – V



The Goldfish



Girl Reading, Vase of Flowers



**The Nightmare of the
White Elephant, Jazz**

Pablo Picasso

(1881-1973)

Pablo Ruiz Picasso was a Spanish sculptor, draughtsman and painter. He showed artistic talent from a very young age and experimented with different techniques and ideas throughout his life.

Picasso went through different artistic phases such as 'The Blue Period' where he was feeling very sad at this time in his life followed by 'The Rose Period' in which most of his paintings have roses or pink flowers in them. He then went through a period of experimenting with African art and then moved onto Cubism which many believe Picasso made popular. Cubism is art made up of shapes making it look like someone has cut them up and glued them together.

In his lifetime, Picasso produced over 50,000 pieces of artwork.

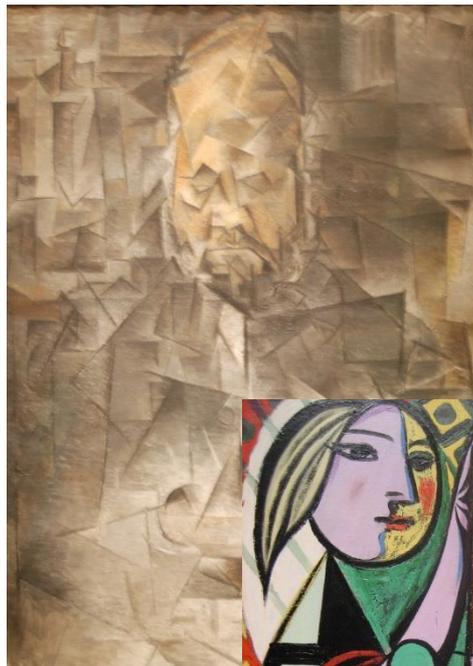


The Red Armchair

Pablo Picasso



**The Blue Period –
The Old Blind Guitarist**



**Cubism –
Ambroise Vollard, 1910**



**Girl Before a
Mirror**

Dora Maar au Chat



Wassily Kandinsky

(1866-1944)

Kandinsky was a Russian painter who had a very distinctive abstract style.

Find out more about how he created his art by watching the clip.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/clips/zgd2hyc>



Yellow, Red and Blue



Auf Weiss II

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Georgia O'Keeffe

(1887-1986)

Georgia O'Keeffe was an American female artist and is well known for her paintings of flowers.

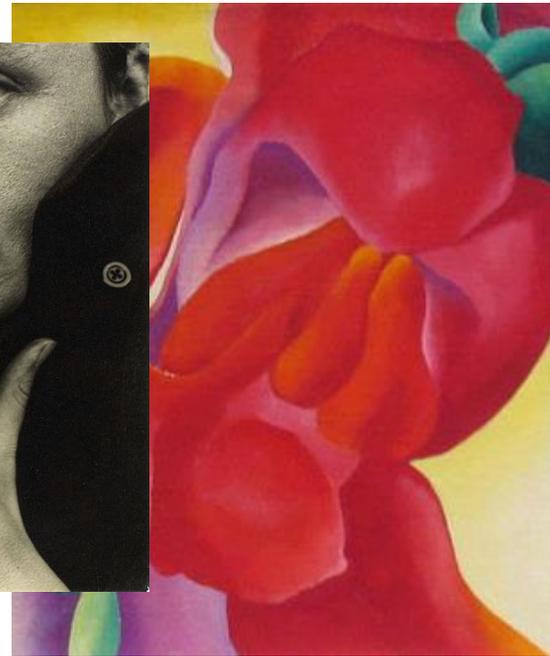
She liked to paint flowers close up to showcase their beauty. The paintings would fill the canvas.



Black Iris



**Georgia
O'Keeffe**



Red Canna

Georges Seurat

(1859-1891)

Georges was a French painter. He is possibly most famous for his work, “Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte”, which is a huge mural-sized painting. The piece took him two years to finish and he used a technique which made use of contrasting dots of colours giving a bright and shimmering effect.



Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte

Vincent Willem van Gogh (1853-1890)

Van Gogh was born in Holland. He painted many famous pieces such as 'Sunflowers' and 'The Starry Night'.

Learn more about Van Gogh by watching the video below:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/learningzone/clips/vincent-van-gogh/9079.html>



Sunflowers



The Starry Night

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Joan Miró

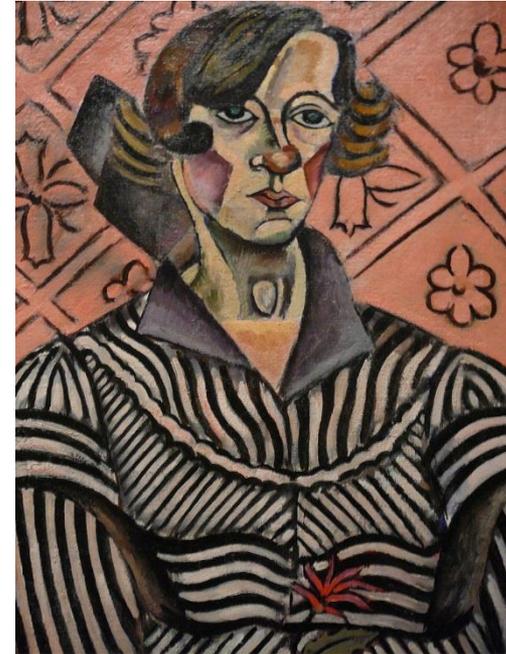
(1893-1983)

Joan was a Spanish artist who was born in Barcelona. He really enjoyed art lessons from a young age but he found most other subjects difficult.

In 1920 he met Picasso, who he greatly admired. Can you see any similarities in their work?



The Tilled Field



Portrait of Juanita Obrador

M.C. Escher

(1898-1972)



Waterfall

Maurits Cornelis Escher was born in the Netherlands. He was often poorly as a child which meant that his grades suffered however he was very talented at art.

Maurits became famous for his art involving tessellation and symmetry. Tessellation is a repeated pattern with no gaps.



Horseman

Andy Warhol (1928 -1987)

Andy Warhol made Pop Art. The Coke Bottles and famous people such as Marilyn Monroe were portrayed through his art work. He lived in New York and was surrounded by celebrities which inspired his work. Other pieces involved Mickey Mouse and the famous boxer, Muhammad Ali.



Marylin



Soup Cans

Plenary

How many artists can you name in 1 minute now?

GO!

The End

