

Steal their Style...

Task: To create a piece of artwork based on one of the genres of art.

Accompanying Text:

Charlotte Salomon Painting 1 (Prelude):

'1917

A short year later and the war is at an end, and still unexpectedly for Franziska Albert suddenly returns, just before the birth of their first child, to whom she gives the name Charlotte in memory of her younger sister.

Birth announcements are sent to all their friends and acquaintances.

No melody.'

Franziska (Charlotte Salomon's mother)

Albert (Charlotte's father)

Charlotte Salomon Painting 2 (Prelude):

'But, the horrors, a new one appears! Compared to Elfriede Wolf, the one who left was pure gold.

GOVERNESS

"Now you do that – right now
you do that – finally."

Charlotte is extremely unhappy. In school, too, she gets slapped all the time.

Albert is sad as well, but he can do nothing about her suffering.

Still: Wir winden dir...'

Charlotte Salomon Painting 3 (Main Section):

'But then I realised that this was not so easy. I realised that no heaven, no sun, no star could help me if I did not contribute through my own will.

And then I realised that actually I still had no idea who I was.

I was a corpse. And life was supposed to love me now.

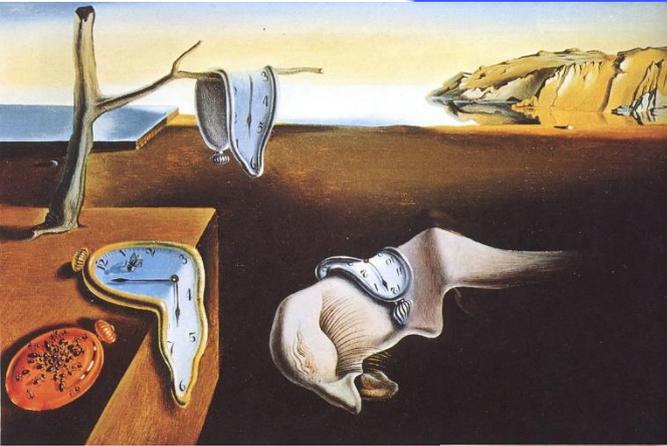
I waited and came to the realisation: it does not matter whether life loves us, but that we love life.'

Steal their Style...
(Surrealist Art)

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Salvador
Dali

SURREALISM



Rene
Magritte



Definition: surrealism was a cultural movement developed in Europe in the aftermath of WW1. The movement is best known for the contrast of distant realities, engaging the unconscious mind through imagery.

Joan
Miro



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(Pop Art)

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Warhol

Andy



Pop
Art

Definition: Pop art is a movement that emerged in the UK and the US in the mid to late 1950s. It includes images from popular culture such as – advertising, mass produced objects and comic books. Objects created in the pop art style are often removed from their usual context/background. Bold, bright, vibrant colours are frequently used in this style.



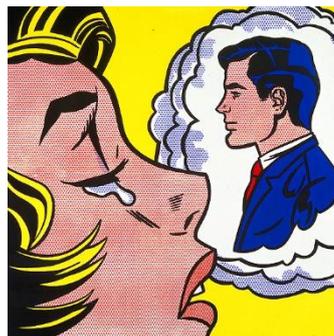
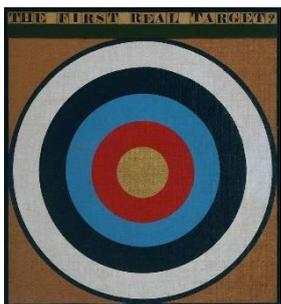
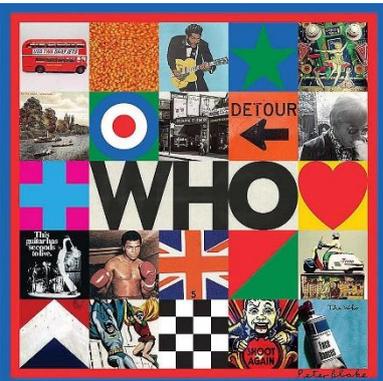
Peter



Roy Lichtenstein



Blake



David

Hockney



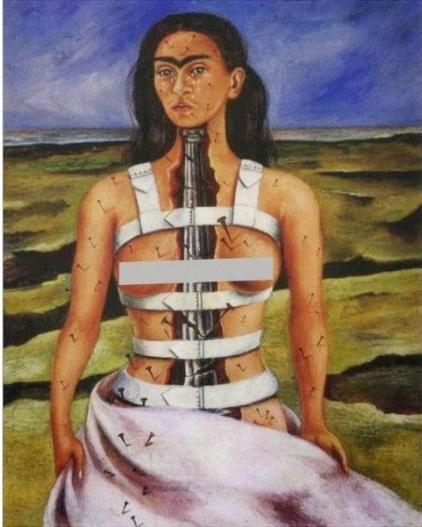
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(Narrative Art)

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Narrative Art

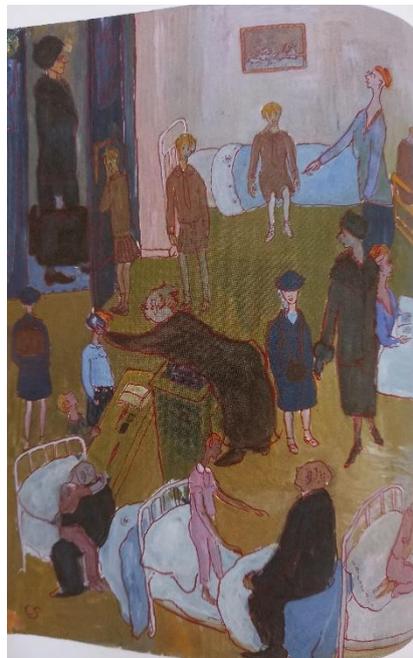
Definition: Narrative art tells a story. Much of Western art until the 20th century has been narrative – stories from religion, myth, legends, history, and literature.

Frida Kahlo: 1907 - 1954



(Paintings from left to right) 'The Broken Column (1944,)' exploring the lasting effects from a traffic accident she was involved in at 18 years old, she needed a back brace as she broke her spinal column, collarbone, pelvis, and ribs. She also had 11 fractures in her right leg, right foot was dislocated and crushed, and her shoulder was out of joint. 'The Two Fridas (1939,)' exploring her identity as an individual following her separation from Diego Rivera (Husband.) and 'Henry Ford Hospital (1932)' exploring her heartache at losing a child, experience of miscarriage.

Charlotte Salomon: 1917 - 1943



Lived during WW2, her work follows her life starting with her parents' life leading up to her birth, documenting family secrets kept from her surrounding her mother's mental health, the death of her mother at 9 years old, her experience finding art and life as a Jewish person during the Nazi reign. Her work is titled 'Life? Or Theatre?' it consists of 3 sections – Prelude, Main Section and Epilogue. Most paintings have a small snippet of text connected to them, like a diary documenting her life. Set out like a play/script, parts of the structure also include melodies. (First 2 paintings are from the Prelude and last painting is from the Main Section.)