The Toowoomba Flexi School



10 Art Semester 1

Due: 20/3/19

Drawing Unit – Expressionism

Task: For this unit you are required to create an A3 sized expressionist artwork by using
either coloured pencil or oil pastels. This form should demonstrate the key features of
Expressionism, distortion and the expressive use of colour. By completing the preliminary

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technical mastery of oil pastels and/or coloured pencils. The finished work will be based on a self-portrait photograph that you have subsequently distorted using Photobooth.

exercises (techniques and the apple drawing task) you should also demonstrate your

Process:

Making

Expressionistic Portrait

- View the PowerPoint on Expressionism to gain a comprehensive understanding of the features, style and subject matter of the Expressionism movement. Consider the contribution Expressionism has made to art history and the impact it has had on society and the visual arts.
- 2. Read and answer the questions on the Expressionism theory handout to gain a general understanding of the Expressionist art movement.
- 3. Take your photo and then distort your portrait using PhotoBooth. Your teacher will print this out for you to use as a reference image for this drawing task.
- 4. Create several sketches and select one of these sketches as the basis for your final design. Explore the use of different colour schemes and distortion effects to create the desired emotive effect you wish to capture in this work. Keep all sketches in your plastic file.
- 5. Create an A3 sized pastel portrait that demonstrates your understanding of Expressionism and coloured pencil/oil pastel techniques. Your finished work should have strong visual impact and expressive content.

FLEXI SCHOOL VISUAL ARTS – YEAR 10 ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

TASK: Expressionistic Portrait

Purpose of assessment: To explore artists' work from the Expressionism Art movement as inspiration for a Pastel portrait and Artist Statement.

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KNOWLEDGE, UNDERSTANDING & Skills	Responding	discerning evaluation of: how representations communicate artistic intentions in artworks made and viewed artworks and displays from different cultures, times and places thorough analysis of connections between visual conventions, practices and viewpoints that represent own and others' ideas thorough description of influences of other artists on own artworks	informed evaluation of: how representations communicate artistic intentions in artworks made and viewed artworks and displays from different cultures, times and places informed analysis of connections between visual conventions, practices and viewpoints that represent own and others' ideas description of influences of other artists on own artworks	bevaluation of: how representations communicate artistic intentions in artworks made and viewed artworks and displays from different cultures, times and places Analysis of connections between visual conventions, practices and viewpoints that represent own and others' ideas identification of influences of other artists on own artworks	bexplanation of: - how representations communicate artistic intentions in artworks made and viewed - artworks and displays from different cultures, times and places description of connections between visual conventions, practices and viewpoints that represent own and others' ideas statements about influences on own artworks	representations communicating artistic intentions in artworks artworks and displays from different cultures, times and places statements about connections between visual conventions, practices and viewpoints statements about own artworks

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