

Art Time!

Your task: To recreate a famous painting

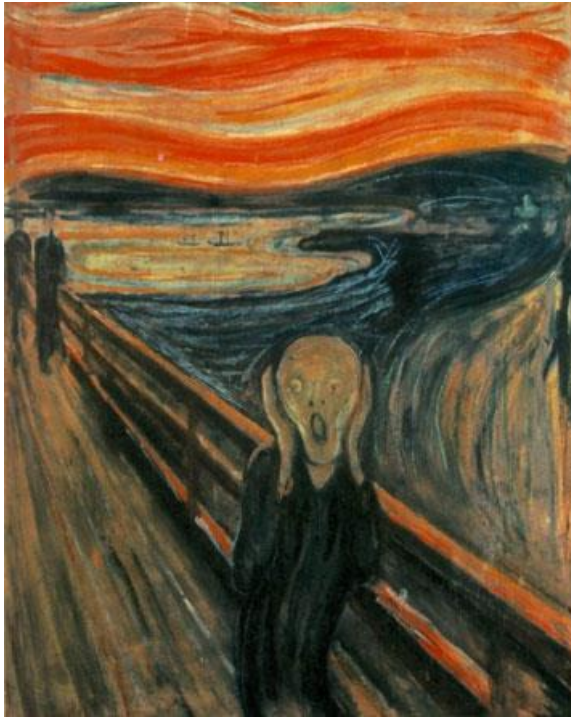
What you will need:

- Books or access to internet to research art works
- Fancy dress options and props (hats, materials, jewellery etc)
- A device for taking pictures
- Permission from your adult at home for moving things around
- A sense of humour.

At the start of lockdown, the J.Paul Getty Museum in Los Angeles, USA challenged followers on their social media platforms to post pictures of themselves recreating their favourite works of art from the safety of their homes. Since then, a number of other museums have also shared this challenge. Here are some of the brilliant examples:







What to do:

- 1) Research works of art and choose one that you like. Some websites that may be helpful are:
 - <https://www.tate.org.uk/art> - website of the Tate Modern
 - <https://www.npg.org.uk/collections> - website of the National Portrait Gallery
 - <https://www.nga.gov/collection/highlights.html> - website of the National Gallery of Art in Washington DC
- 2) Spend a minute just looking at the painting. What colours do you see? What details might you need to replicate?
- 3) Gather the items from around your home and start to build your portrait.
- 4) You may need to enlist the help of a relative or two to take part or to take the pictures for you.
- 5) When you are happy with the result, share it alongside the original on Class Dojo! We can't wait to see your recreations!