

A. Key words and their meaning

Automatism	The technique involving using 'automatic' marks without rational control.
Diptych	A picture consisting of two different panels
Ground	A surface specially prepared for painting, usually made with Gesso.
Pictogram	A picture which represents a word

C. Artists



Henry Moore was an English artist. He is best known for his semi-abstract monumental bronze sculptures which are located around the world as public works of art.



Dame Barbara Hepworth was an English artist and sculptor. Her work exemplifies Modernism and in particular modern sculpture.



Claes Oldenburg is an American sculptor, best known for his public art installations typically featuring large replicas of everyday objects.

B. Art Genres

Barbizon School	A group of landscape painters who worked in France between 1830 - 1870
Expressionism	Art in which the emotions of the artist take precedence over the observed reality
Kinetic Art	Art which has an element of movement. Also used to describe art which gives the illusion of movement.
Synthetism	A style of painting that relies on memory rather than observation.

D. Techniques



Dry Point - The technique of engraving directly onto a metal plate.



Fresco - Painting done by adding pigment onto wet plaster or gypsum.



Under drawing – is an initial sketch or drawing for a painting which is then painted over.

Tasks: Learn/cover/write keywords/meanings, art genres, artist and techniques.