Key Facts

Leonardo was a polymath. This means he knew a lot about a wide range of things.

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He is considered to be one of the 'pillars of the Renaissance'. Leonardo was left-handed. 'da Vinci' means 'of Vinci, his home town, rather than being a formal last name.

He also sketched designs for many incredible inventions.

Anatomical Work

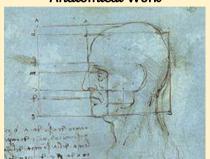


Investigating the arm

Leonardo da Vinci (1452-1519)



Anatomical Work



The proportions of the head

Leonardo's most Famous Art



The Last Supper (c1495-1498)



Mona Lisa (c1503-1506)

Anatomical Work



Comparing dog and human legs

Key Vocabulary

Line Drawing light lines is a
very important skill in
sketching and art, as light
lines can be easily
altered, if necessary.

Tone The lightness or darkness of a colour, such as the different greys between black and white.

Texture is the marks made on the surface which show the way textures look.

be regular, irregular or

Pattern is a repeat of line, shape or colours. It can

unintentional.

Year 2 Knowledge Organiser

Pencil Drawing

- Use a variety of tools, including pencils, rubbers, crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal, ballpoints, chalk and other dry media.
- Draw for a sustained period of time from real objects.
- Experiment with different effects and textures.
- Show increasing independence & creativity.

Types of Pencil

In school, we usually use an HB pencil. H stands for *hard*, and B stands for *black*.

Pencils that a H, 2H, 3H etc are harder and good for drawing thin and very accurate lines, such as when drawing diagrams in science or shapes in maths.

B, 2B, 3B pencils are softer and blacker. They are used for sketching and leave marks easily, that can be rubbed out more easily, too.

Examples of Existing Art



Wild and Wandering (2018)
Paul Cadden



Zebra and Eggs Adonna Khare



Portrait of Resilience #5 (2021) Arinze Stanley Egbengwu