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## Year 1 - Autumn

# n Art Knowledge Organiser

Topic:

Links to other year groups: Year 5 study of Peter Blake & pop artists; Year 9 study of consumerism, exploring art and society, food and pop art, studying Andy Warhol in more detail

#### Key Vocabulary:

**artist** - a person who creates paintings or drawings as a profession or hobby **medium** - the material used by an artist

**BE: FORGIVING** 

**BE: KIND** 

medium - the material used by an artist

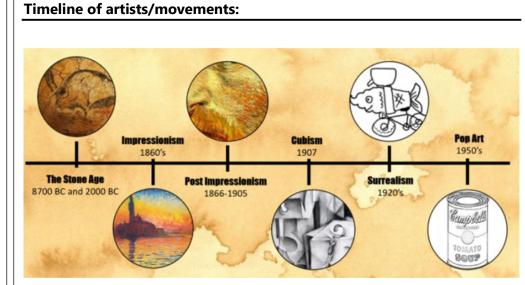
**Pop art** - a style of art based on modern popular culture and media, very different to traditional art styles

**contrast** - to compare and emphasise differences

**critique** - a detailed analysis and assessment of something

pattern - a repeated decorative design

**background -** the part of a picture, scene, or design that forms a setting for the main figures or objects



Pop Art

#### Important works of art:



### Key Skills:

- I can talk about portraits by Pop Artist, Andy Warhol.
- I can explain that Andy Warhol used bright & contrasting colours.
- I can explain that Andy Warhol used repeated images.
- I can create my own pop art piece of work.
- I can use bright papers to add bright colours to a repeated image.
- I can select colours that are contrasting and stand out.
- I know how to use watercolours and the effects they have.

#### Key facts/info:

**Andy Warhol:** 6 Aug 1928 - 22 Feb 1987 He was an American artist, film director and producer who was a leading figure in the visual art movement known as pop art who used repeated patterns in his work.

Alexander Calder July 22, 1898 – November 11, 1976) Abstract artist



#### Key Artists/Movements:

Andy Warhol – Pop art Alexander Calder Sketching Still life

Assessment piece - create a mixed media spiral picture, paying homage to Calder and Warhol with repeated contrasting coloured panels

Lesson 1	Learn about Andy Warhol and his pop art style. Note how Warhol uses repeated patterns and contrasting colours in his work.
Lesson 2	Learn about Alexander Calder's spiral based pop art. Compare and contrast with Warhol. Which do you prefer and why?
Lesson 3	Learn how to draw a spiral using your pencil and create lots of different spirals of different shapes and sizes in your sketchbooks
Lesson 4	Continue to develop spiral drawings using colour (chalk, pastel, dry media)
Lesson 5	Assessment piece - create a mixed media spiral picture, paying homage to Calder and Warhol with repeated contrasting coloured panels

Ongoing: drawing skills sessions