

Year 7 Art Homework

Masks

Please complete work on cartridge paper, plain paper or in an art sketchbook if you have one.

Choose 1, 2 or all 3 of the tasks below. Each task should take approximately 1 hour to complete well.

1. Collage

Working independently...

You will need: Magazines and/or coloured card, glue, paper.

- Design a mask for a celebration, choose from Mardi Gras, Dia De Los Muertos, Rio Carnival or Masquerade Ball.
- Draw out your design in pencil, making sure to add detail and pattern.
- Apply colour using collage from magazines or coloured card.
- Annotate with key words.



Example of mask design with collage.

2. Recycle

Working with your family...

You will need: adult supervision, recyclable materials, glue or tape.

- Make a decorative, wearable mask out of recyclable materials.
- Use materials that would otherwise be thrown away to give them a new lease of life!
- Can you add colour with card or paint? How about adding texture and decoration?
- You can work as a team with your family or independently.
- Photograph yourself or family member wearing the mask and email to your Art teacher.



Masks made out of used milk bottles/cartons.



Mask made out of cardboard and paper.

3. Delve into research

Working using technology...

- Collect 5 images of masks from Non-Western cultures from the following websites:
<http://collections.vam.ac.uk/>
https://www.britishmuseum.org/research/collection_online
Do not use google images
- Annotate and describe – Write down what website the mask is from. When was the mask made? Where is it from? What is it called? What is its job?
- Create a digital presentation and email this to your Art teacher OR
- Print out images and stick down onto paper, annotate in pen and bring to class for submission.

When completing homework please consider everything you have learnt so far in Art ensuring that you produce work to the highest of your ability where possible.

If you have any questions about the tasks set or you are submitting your photographs or research digitally please email your class teacher.

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