Elements of Art
Name Design Project!
1. On the Project paper Lightly & Largely sketch out the Hollow letters of your first name.
2. Then Outline in Shaprie.
3. Divide your space into 7 sections (any way you want). Pencil only.
4. Each section will be for a different element of Art. Label on Back.
5. You should do different types of designs inside & outside your letters so your name stands out.
Drawing & Painting Class: 

Elements of Art Project

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  Using the images from your image folder, create a collage that uses all the elements. Use paper from my desk. Divide paper into 7 sections. Organize your images into the 7 categories. Creatively and neatly cut and glue them into the artwork. On the back, write a paragraph explaining how you used each element. **Due 9/18 (B); 9/19 (A)**

• **Choice 2: Elements of Art Drawing**
  In your sketchbook, make an artwork (Drawing) that utilizes all 7 elements of art. Build your artwork to include context of your choice. On the back, write a paragraph explaining how you used each element. **Due 9/18 (B); 9/19 (A)**

Painting Class: You may substitute drawing for painting on watercolor paper!
The 7 ELEMENTS of Art - Basic building blocks of an artwork:

- Lines
- Shapes
- Forms
- Space
- Texture
- Value
- Color

• On your NOTE Paper, Write everything that’s Underlined in the power point
  Add drawings to your notes.
  Keep it in your art bin.
  It will be for a grade & can be used on Tests!
The 7 ELEMENTS of Art - Basic building blocks of an artwork:

1. LINE

- A moving dot or point. Can vary in width, direction, curvature, & length.
Draw these Lines: (A moving dot)

curved

diagonal

dashed or dotted

horizontal

outline

straight

zigzag

90°

perpendicular

wavy

parallel
How does an artist build art with line?
Follow the steps & Try this!
A more complex example by Vincent Van Gogh
Lines in Art

Geometric

Organic
Controlled Lines
Loose (Organic) Lines
Vincent Van Gogh
Starry Night
Lines around the outside of your letter must be different from on the inside.
Your turn!

• On your name design pick a section to demonstrate different “Line” designs! Label “Line” on the back.

• Around the outside of the letter do organic line designs. On the inside of the letter do Geometric line designs! Start with pencil first, color when time.
2. Shapes

• When a line encloses a space.

• 2 Dimensions = Length & Height.
  
  — Geometric = straight & angular
  
  — Organic = smooth, curvy, free-form
1. When a line encloses a space.  2 Dimensions = Length & Height.
Notice all the different types of lines & Shapes in this picture…
Now you try!
geometric art
Picasso – King of Cubism!
(Geometric art)
Organic art
Now find a new section for SHAPE!
Label SHAPE on the BACK
Draw different shape designs inside your letter from the outside.
Student samples:
3. Forms – 3D Objects

- When space is added to a shape.
- 3 Dimensional objects have Height, Width, Depth.
  (geometric or organic.)
- i.e.: sphere, cube, cylinder, pyramid, cone, etc.
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Draw some Geometric Forms:
Drawing a form – step by step...
You try....
Geometric Sculpture (Forms) in Art
Organic Sculpture (Forms) in Art
Organic Forms
How do you show 3D Forms on a flat Surface?

Write down the 3 ways!
You can show 3D forms with **Lines** to show the dimensions.
With **Shading** to show Value & curves
With **1 Point Perspective** to show Depth
Personalize your Line, Shape, or Form section with your favorite sport!
Football:

Lines, Shapes, Forms, Photos
Tennis:

- Lines
- Shape
- Form
Basketball:

• Line

Shape

Form
Basketball
Water polo & Diving:
Volleyball
Soccer
Base ball
Track
Cheer, Dance, Drill
Now do the Form section... make the background different from inside your letters.
4. Space=
Depth, Distance, or Area around things

In a picture, space is an illusion that creates the feeling of depth.

There are several ways to show space & depth:

1. **Distance with 1 pt perspective**
2. **Area around or within things.**
3. **Positive v. Negative space**
4. **Size change** (Biggest in front to smallest in back)
5. **Overlapping**
Distance with
1 point
Perspective
Mathematical Area around or within objects...

**Area Formula**

- **Rectangle**: $A = b \times h$
- **Triangle**: $A = \frac{b \times h}{2}$
- **Trapezoid**: $A = h \left(\frac{b+t}{2}\right)$
- **Ellipse**: $A = \pi a \times b$
- **Right Triangle**: $a = \frac{1}{2} \times b \times h$
Positive V. Negative
Positive  V.  Negative
Overlapping
Scale (Size) change & details
Georges Seurat
How many ways did he show space?
Creative interpretation!
Now pick choose a way to show space in the next section
5. Texture

- Surface quality or "feel" of an object (ie. rough, smooth, soft)

  1. Actual texture - can be felt
  2. Implied (or simulated) textures – shown through drawing
Surface quality or "feel" of an object

Actual Texture – can be felt
Implied Texture – you can see it; you show the illusion through drawing
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Texture in art
Show texture in the next section.
6. **Value** - Lightness or darkness of an object. Value is needed to show depth.

- **Value scale** – the range of light to dark

![Value Scale](image)
Value Section now...Use your Ebony Pencil Only!!!
7. **Color** – made of light

**Hue** - the name of the color (red, yellow, blue)

**Saturation or Intensity** – strength of the color (brightness or dullness)

**Color value** – lightness or darkness of the color.
Color Saturation: The Dominance of Hue in the color; The brightness or intensity of the color

Color Value: Lightness or darkness of a color
Color Wheel: a circle that organizes the colors. It shows relationships between colors and how to mix them.
Make your own color wheel: a circle the organizes the colors Shows relationships between colors & how to mix them.
• **4. Color Schemes** – combinations of colors that create a **Mood** (Primary, Analogous, warm, cool, complimentary)
• Primary Colors
Warm Colors
Cool Colors

Water Lilies, Claude Monet, 1906
Warm & Cool
Complementary Colors
Last but not least, Choose a SPECIFIC COLOR Scheme for the color section. While all sections can have color, the color section should have specific color schemes.
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Georges Seurat has used all 7 Elements of Art
VAN GOGH has used all 7 elements in “Starry Night”
Grant Wood Uses all 7 elements in "American Gothic"
Edvard Munch; The Scream