

Lesson 8: Variety

Surrealism Rooms

Lesson Learning Goal:

The purpose of this lesson is to help you engage in a creative art experience where your imagination is at the steering wheel of your final composition. This lesson will help the you hone in on your creativity and imagination.

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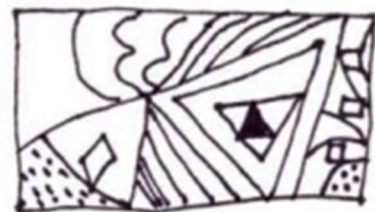
You are going to be creating Surreal Room Art. To start, use the technique of perspective to section off your paper into 5 walls. Make a rectangle in the center of your page and then connect each corner of the



rectangle to the corner of your page. This will give you different proportions. Then select different techniques, styles, images and mediums to create the space in a surrealist way (i.e use pictures from magazines in addition to hand drawn art). Be creative, and add special effects. It should look like a scene from a dream. Finally, add colour and detail to your surreal rooms.

Variety

An assortment of lines, shapes, colors and other elements of art in the art work



Principles of Design

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How different elements combine to create a whole

Items can be grouped together by common factors such as colour, alignment, proximity, and repetition.

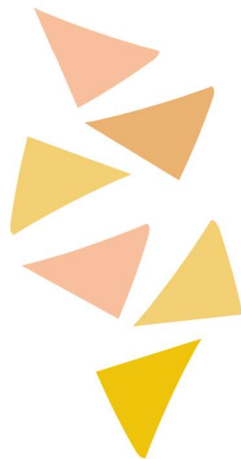
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Elements that contrast with one another for visual appeal

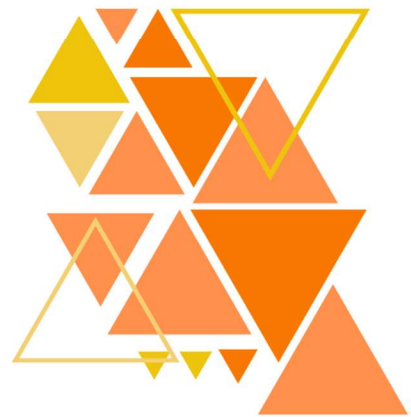
Items can differ from one another in terms of their size, shape, colour, texture, or value.



Unity: same color
Variety: different sizes + proximity



Unity: same size + shape
Variety: different colours



Unity: same shape
Variety: different sizes + proximity

Success Criteria:

- Shows perspective
- Follows the Surrealism style
- Includes a variety of colours and details
- Completely fills the page, no negative space

Rubric

Surrealism Rooms

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Surrealism Elements	Student designed a room with few surreal objects	Student designed a one point perspective room with some surreal objects	Student designed a unique one point perspective room with surreal objects	Student designed a extremely creative one point perspective room with a wide variety of surreal objects
Variety/Detail	Room art lacks details. Needs to fill up more space and include more colour.	Room art is somewhat detailed. Can use more space and colour.	Room art is detailed. Good use of space and colour.	Room art is extremely detailed. Excellent use of space and colour.
Application	More creativity is required for this composition.	The composition has some indication of creativity	This is a creative art composition.	This is an extremely creative art composition.