



Drawing and Mark Making

Year 2 – Art and Design

Can I use shading to show light and dark?

Key Vocabulary

background	The part of an image which is further away from the viewer.
foreground	The part of an image closest to the viewer.
illustration	An image which represents a concept or writing such as pictures in books.
sketch	A gentle outline of work which allows you to easily correct any mistakes.

Key Skills

- Observational drawings of natural objects.
- Recap on mark making with a range of pencils up to 6B.

Links to other Learning

EYFS - Draw from observation, memory and imagination.

Lower KS2 - Begin to show facial expression and body language in their drawings.

Upper KS2 - Draw simple objects including texture.
Shade to show mood and feeling.

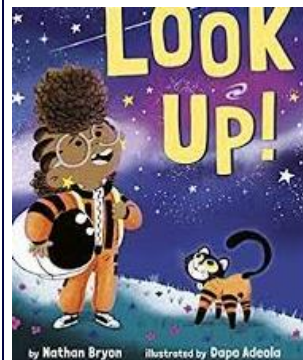
Key Facts

- Sketching pencils are graded with letters and numbers. They tell you how hard or soft the graphite is.
- Pencils with H have harder graphite, and the higher the number the harder the graphite is.
- Artists can express a lot through their work, such as how they feel and what they find important.



Influencing Artist

Dapo Adeola - a British-Nigerian illustrator. He co-created and illustrated the book *Look Up!*, which won the Waterstones Children's Book of 2022. The book explored space. Adeola is best known for creating graphics that challenge race and gender stereotypes.



Examples of Dapo Adeola's artwork



Key questions

- Can I use sketching pencils?
- Can I show patterns and texture in my drawings?
- What types of lines can I use in my drawings?
- Can I explain which aspects of Dapo Adeola's art I like and why?
- How can Dapo Adeola's work inspire my own?
- Can I talk about the choices I have made?

Links to other Subjects

- History and English - The wonderful world of authors.

What I should already know

- I know how to make marks using materials such as chalk, pencils, crayons and others.
- How to correctly hold a pencil.
- How to draw different types of lines to add further detail to my drawings.