

Maplefields Academy Knowledge Organiser

Art & Design Landscape Project

Key Vocabulary:

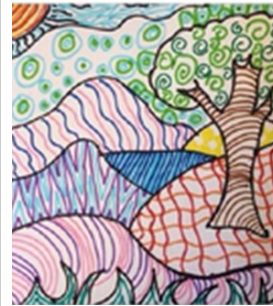
- ◆ Composition
- ◆ Foreground / Background
- ◆ Viewpoint
- ◆ Rule of thirds
- ◆ Horizon Line
- ◆ Perspective
- ◆ Vanishing point

Van Gogh has drawn this landscape using simple mark-making techniques.

Rocky Ground at Montmajour 1889



Create your own Landscape drawing using mark-making techniques



Formal Elements

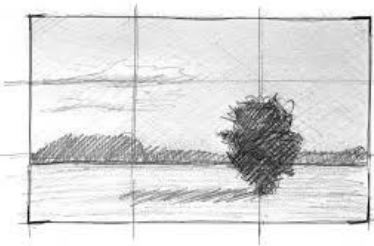
Line - Wavy, Long

Colour - Primary, Secondary, Tertiary

Texture - Curves, Circles, Spirals

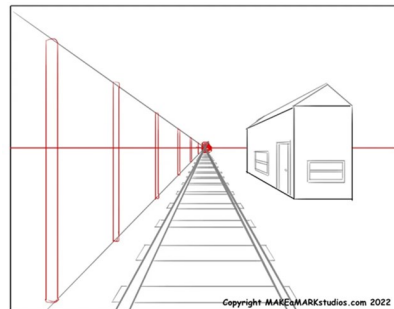
Composition / Rule of thirds

Notice how the tree is used to divide up the drawing into 3rds - This creates a good composition



One-point perspective

A vanishing point is where the lines of perspective meet on the horizon line.



Drawing from different view-points

Draw a birds eye view or map of your landscape



Monochromatic Landscape

Paint a monochromatic landscape Background



Mix paints working from light to dark.

Add a silhouette of trees or buildings to finish your artwork.

