

Art

Year 1

Strand: Paper Art

What should I already know?

How to stick objects onto paper using glue.
How to cut out using scissors.

Important facts

Collage has been around for a very long time. Cavemen may have used it by adding ribbons or slivers of grass or fur to images such as mammoths drawn on a rock wall.

The term collage was made up by both Georges Braque and Pablo Picasso in the beginning of the 20th century when collage became a distinctive part of modern art.

Henri Matisse was an old man and in poor health. He could no longer draw or paint easily, so he began working on his collages, which he is best remembered for.

Eric Carle's art is created using the collage technique. He hand paints tissue paper, then cuts and layers them to form bright images

Papier mâché or paper mache is a popular crafting technique that uses paper and a paste to create a variety of objects.

Vocabulary

Collage - art in which bits and pieces of paper and fabric have been pasted onto a 2-dimensional surface.

Cut-out - the shape of a person, object etc that has been cut out

Glue - (noun) a sticky substance that you use to stick things together.
(verb) to join things together using glue.

Tissue - a piece of thin paper

Layer - an amount of something that covers the surface.

Background - the part of a picture that is behind the main things or people.

Camouflage - when an animal has a pattern or colour on their body that helps them look like the things around them so that they are hard to see.

Wow moment

Diagram



Skills

To be able to investigate different types of paper.

To explore the paper's texture and features.

To use a variety of techniques to create artwork from paper. For example, collage and paper mache.