

Art & Design Basics Essentials

Art And Design History · Answer Key · 15 Questions

1. In which year was the Bauhaus school of design founded in Germany?

- A) 1919**
- B) 1925
- C) 1933
- D) 1945

2. How many primary colours are there in the traditional RYB (Red, Yellow, Blue) colour model?

- A) 2
- B) 3**
- C) 4
- D) 6

3. Who painted the famous mural 'The Last Supper' in the late 15th century?

- A) Claude Monet
- B) Leonardo da Vinci**
- C) Vincent van Gogh
- D) Pablo Picasso

4. How many dimensions does a flat drawing on a piece of paper have?

- A) One
- B) Two**
- C) Three
- D) Four

5. Which famous artist cut off a portion of his own left ear in 1888?

- A) Salvador Dalí
- B) Henri Matisse
- C) Vincent van Gogh**
- D) Edvard Munch

6. What is the standard number of sides on a basic triangle?

- A) 2
- B) 3**
- C) 4
- D) 5

7. In which century did the Italian Renaissance art movement begin?

- A) 12th Century
- B) 14th Century**
- C) 16th Century
- D) 18th Century

8. How many points are there in a standard star shape as commonly drawn in basic design?

- A) 3
- B) 4
- C) 5**
- D) 6

9. Which artist is famously known for creating the 'Campbell's Soup Cans' series in 1962?

- A) Andy Warhol**
- B) Jackson Pollock
- C) Roy Lichtenstein
- D) Jasper Johns

10. How many sides does a hexagon have?

- A) 5
- B) 6**
- C) 7
- D) 8

11. The term 'Photography' comes from Greek words meaning 'writing with...' what?

- A) Ink
- B) Light**
- C) Shadow
- D) Paint

12. Who sculpted the famous marble statue 'David' between 1501 and 1504?

- A) Donatello
- B) Michelangelo**
- C) Raphael
- D) Bernini

13. What is the name of the art element that refers to the lightness or darkness of a colour?

A) Value

B) Texture

C) Form

D) Balance

14. In colour theory, mixing two primary colours creates what type of colour?

A) Tertiary

B) Secondary

C) Neutral

D) Monochromatic

15. Which century saw the rise of the Impressionist art movement in France?

A) 17th Century

B) 18th Century

C) 19th Century

D) 20th Century