

Art & Design Basics Essentials

Art And Design History · Practice Test · 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