

Renaissance Art Essentials

Art History · Practice Test · 15 Questions

1. Who painted the famous mural 'The Last Supper'?

- A) Leonardo da Vinci
- B) Michelangelo
- C) Raphael
- D) Donatello

2. Which artist is credited with painting the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel?

- A) Sandro Botticelli
- B) Michelangelo
- C) Titian
- D) Caravaggio

3. In which city did the Renaissance primarily begin?

- A) Rome
- B) Paris
- C) Florence
- D) Venice

4. Who painted the 'Mona Lisa'?

- A) Raphael
- B) Leonardo da Vinci
- C) Claude Monet
- D) Vincent van Gogh

5. What artistic technique creates the illusion of depth on a flat surface?

- A) Perspective
- B) Impressionism
- C) Pointillism
- D) Cubism

6. Which famous marble statue of a biblical hero was sculpted by Michelangelo?

- A) Hercules
- B) David
- C) Perseus
- D) Atlas

7. Which artist is well-known for his paintings of the 'Madonna and Child', such as the 'Sistine Madonna'?

- A) Raphael
- B) Giotto
- C) Fra Angelico
- D) Tintoretto

8. What is the name of the period in history that followed the Middle Ages, known for a revival of classical learning?

- A) The Enlightenment
- B) The Renaissance
- C) The Industrial Revolution
- D) The Stone Age

9. Which Italian city is famous for its canals and the Renaissance-era painting school of Titian and Veronese?

- A) Milan
- B) Naples
- C) Venice
- D) Genoa

10. Which family was a major patron of the arts in Florence during the Renaissance?

- A) The Borgias
- B) The Medicis
- C) The Hapsburgs
- D) The Tudors

11. 'The Birth of Venus' is a famous painting by which Renaissance artist?

- A) Sandro Botticelli
- B) Leonardo da Vinci
- C) Masaccio
- D) Giorgione

12. What material did Renaissance sculptors most commonly use for their statues?

- A) Bronze
- B) Marble
- C) Clay
- D) Wood

13. Who is often called the 'Father of Renaissance Painting' for his work in the Arena Chapel?

- A) Giotto
- B) Donatello
- C) Brunelleschi
- D) Uccello

14. Which term refers to the intellectual movement that focused on human potential and achievements during the Renaissance?

- A) Humanism
- B) Feudalism
- C) Realism
- D) Abstractism

15. Which Renaissance architect designed the dome of the Florence Cathedral?

- A) Filippo Brunelleschi
- B) Leon Battista Alberti
- C) Andrea Palladio
- D) Donato Bramante