

Knowledge Organiser – Year 6 Photography



Photography

Composition	The way different elements of a picture are arranged.
Contrast	To demonstrate the obvious difference between two things.
Crop (verb)	To cut something down to size.
Digital	When something is done using a computer or electronic device.
Expression	Conveying a particular emotion or feeling within a piece of art.
Lens	Glass fittings for the end of a camera, which enable the device to take photographs from various ranges.
Macro	A type of camera lens which allows you to see and capture very small details and objects.
Photography	The art of taking photographs.
Self portrait	Art which is created by the artist of themselves.
Technique	A way of doing something to complete a task.
Truism	Based on fact, something which is clearly true.

Key facts

Photomontage is a type of collage in which photographs are placed into a single composition.



The 'frame' in photography, refers to the way you plan the composition to draw attention to something.



Composition rules, help you to plan the photograph.

Contemporary artists are artists who are alive and currently making art work.

An example of a photo taken with a macro lens.



A dragonfly up close

Artists' work looked at:



Artwork © DACS 2020,
Da Dandy, Hannah Hoch, 1919
(photomontage),
Photo © Bridgeman Images

Hannah Hoch

A German Dada artist. She was one of the originators of photomontage during the Weimar period.

Peter Kennard

A contemporary British photomontage artist.

Jerry Uelsmann

A contemporary American photomontage artist.