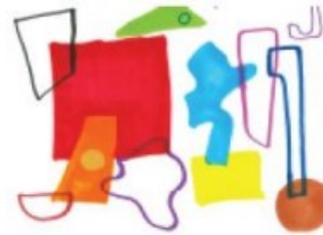


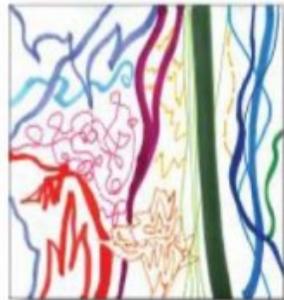
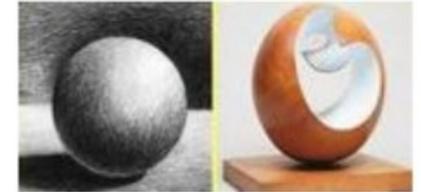
Elements of Art

These are the basic elements that are used by Artists in creating Art: they are what you use to create an aesthetically pleasing work. When we make Art, we need to understand and apply these seven Elements of Art.



SHAPE
The outline or form of something. An area enclosed by a line. It could be just an outline or it could be shaded in.

FORM
Form is a **three dimensional shape**, such as a cube, sphere or cone. Sculpture and 3D design are about creating forms. In 2D artworks, tone and perspective can be used to create an illusion of form.



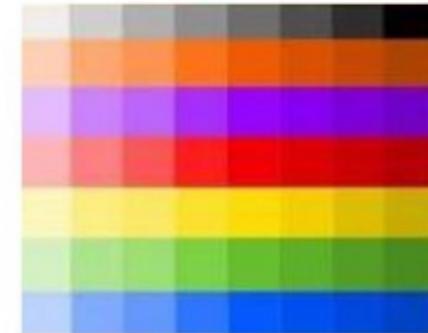
LINE
A mark made by an implement. Line is the path left by a moving point. For example, a pencil or a brush dipped in paint. Line can be used to show many different qualities, such as:

- *Contours - showing the shape and form of something.*
- *Feelings or expressions.*

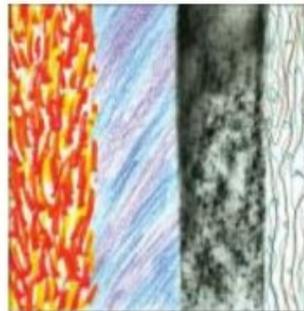
COLOUR
Is one of the most dominant elements. It is created by light. There are three properties of colour; **Hue** (name), **Value** (shades and tints) and **Intensity** (brightness).



VALUE
Degrees of lightness or darkness. The difference between values is called value contrast.



TEXTURE:
This is to do with the surface quality of something, the way something feels or looks like it feels. There are two types: actual texture and visual texture.



SPACE
The distance around and between things. How it's used to create the illusion of depth. Space can be two-dimensional, three-dimensional, negative and/or positive.

