The Norwich School of Painters: How have local artists shown Norfolk and The Broads through history?

Spotlight Artist:

Norwich School Of Painters
1803-1844



Skills and techniques

Creating perspective in a landscape painting.



Blending Watercolours



To transfer the skills learnt during Art Day to create a landscape painting of Bowthorpe Marshes.



Chalk Diggers At Whitlingham-James Stark

Where does your eye travel to?

Norwich River: Afternoon, c.1812-1819, by John Crome

Key Vocabulary

Landscape: Landscape, in art means a depiction of a natural scene such as, mountains, rivers, beaches, forests, etc...



Perspective: The representation of three-dimensional objects or spaces in two dimensional artworks.



Watercolours: Water-soluble paint that has transparent or translucent properties. Watercolors can be "soft" or "light" because the pigments in watercolors are often not as bright as acrylics or oil paints.



Foreground: The area closest to the viewer, which will almost always be in the lower section of your picture. This area will contain the most detail.

Background: The parts of a scene that are behind a main figure, object or subject in a painting, photograph, or other medium.

Character

Do I understand how to show perspective in my drawing?

Critical thinking

Why are the Norwich School of Painters important to Norfolk?

Creativity

Try and paint a picture of clouds in the sky, in the style of John Constable.

Communication

Tell a friend or family member about, The Norwich School of Painters and what they did.

Citizenship

Take pencil, paper or paints out with you and sketch a local area you love.

Collaboration

What does

this image

remind you

of?

With a friend have a go at painting the same image. Then compare how you have interpreted that scene.

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You Might Like To...

Visit Norwich Castle Museum to see some paintings by the Norwich School Of Painters. (If you get to the Castle an hour before it closes, you can get in for £2.50)

Check out the painter **John Constable**. He is a landscape painter from Suffolk, born in 1771-1837. he is famous for revolutionising the genre of landscape painting with his pictures.



Paint an image of the clouds in the sky, inspired by John Constable. Use this link to zoom in on images from his paintings.

https:// artsandculture.google.com/ entity/john-constable/m0sy76? categoryId=artist