

Yayoi Kusama- How can art installations transport the viewer to another world?

Spotlight Artist:

Yayoi Kusama

"With just one polka dot, nothing can be achieved." Y.K.



Skills and Techniques

Develop a series of drawings or art that share a theme.

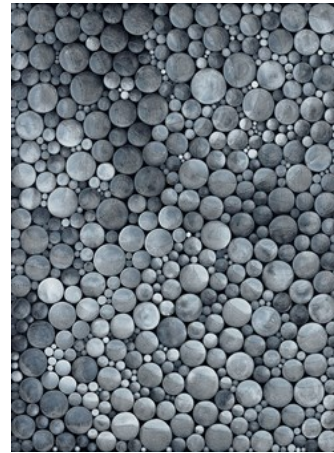
To look back in sketchbooks and find previously learnt drawing techniques to support you during your Yayoi Kusama Art Day.

Create a range of shades in the same colour.

To try different types of paint, use the one you like best and be able to articulate why.

Critique and compare sketchbook work with your classmates.

Recall artists from previous lessons and use some of learnt knowledge or be influenced by them.

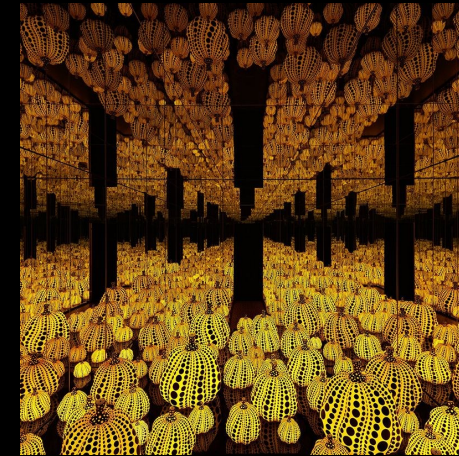


Cosmic Door-1995

Acrylic on canvas

Art Detectives

How would you describe the lines in this picture?



Pretend you are inside this room, what does it feel like?

All The Eternal Love I Have For Pumpkins-2016

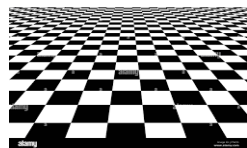
Key Vocabulary



Abstract- art that does not try to represent a visual reality but instead uses shapes, forms, colours and marks to achieve its ef-



Installation- an art installation is a three-dimensional visual artwork, often created for a specific place and designed to change the perception of space.



Hallucination- a sensory experience that appears real but is created by the mind.

Infinity- in art infinity is the idea that something is unlimited, endless, without boundaries. *Yayoi's images above show infinity.*

Complimentary -combining in such a way as to enhance or emphasize the qualities of each other or another

Dots- a small round mark or spot.

Character

Do I understand why artists use installations and what are the benefits?

Critical thinking

Why is Yayoi Kusama such an influential artist?

Creativity

Can you create a piece of art to communicate your own mental health?

Communication

How does Yayoi use art to help with her mental health?

Citizenship

What are benefits can art have on mental health?

Collaboration

Work with a friend to create an uplifting piece of art or an installation.

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You might like to....

Find out more about Kusama at;

<https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-yayoi-kusama>

Make your own art installation together with friends/family/careers;

<https://www.wearteachers.com/collaborative-art/>

Learn more about Yayoi Kusama and her art.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vbmSL7tSPc4>

