

Class 9 - Arts

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Branches of Visual Arts

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Branches of Visual Arts - Revision Guide

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1. Define Visual Arts.

Visual Arts encompass a range of art practices, including both traditional and modern forms.

2. What is Painting?

Painting creates images on surfaces using mediums like oil and watercolors for expression.

3. Categories of Drawing and Painting.

Includes mediums like pencils, pastels, and inks on paper, fabrics, and walls.

4. Famous Indian Painters.

Notable artists include Nandalal Bose and Amrita Sher-gil, known for their unique styles.

5. Define Sculpture.

Sculpture creates three-dimensional works from materials like clay, metal, and stone.

6. Sculptural Materials.

Common materials include wood, plaster, and recycled materials, enabling diverse expressions.



7. Recognized Sculptors.

Influential artists are Devi Prasad Roy Choudhury and Ramkinkar Baij, known for their impact.

8. What is Printmaking?

A technique to produce multiple artworks using engraving or carving on a printing surface.

9. Types of Printmaking.

Includes woodcut, lithography, etching, and screen printing, each with specific processes.

10. Notable Printmakers.

Artists like Krishna Reddy and Jyoti Bhatt are eminent figures in the printmaking field.

11. Define Photography.

Photography uses cameras and digital tools to create fine art images beyond mere documentation.

12. Distinction in Photography.

Differentiates between photojournalism focused on reporting and fine art for creative expression.



13. Famous Photographers.

Key figures include Homai Vyrawala and Lala Deen Dayal, recognized for their artistry.

14. What are Applied Arts?

Encompasses design fields like graphic, product, and textile design that solve daily challenges.

15. Examples of Applied Arts.

Includes animation, industrial design, and fashion; vital for functional art in society.

16. Heritage Crafts Overview.

Traditionally handmade arts that meet everyday needs, using local materials and techniques.

17. Significance of Heritage Crafts.

Reflect cultural identity in India and are integral in various designs for modern contexts.

18. Arts Research and Management.

Focuses on art history, museums, conservation, and social influences shaping art's evolution.



19. Role of Architecture.

Combines engineering and design to create functional buildings that enhance urban life.

20. Understanding Archaeology.

Studies artifacts to construct historical narratives, bridging art with cultural heritage.

21. Explore Local Artists.

Encourage identifying local visual artists or craftsmen to understand cultural arts practice.



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