

# Art Words

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Introduce vocabulary as you begin the project. Reinforce terms during Art Start activities. Invite students to write vocabulary words and definitions in their sketchbook. Encourage students to use Art Words as they answer journal responses and discuss art work.

## Illustration

- A work of art created to accompany a text, and which may appear in reproduced form on paper or the internet.

## Botanical

- Having to do with or derived from plants

## Contour Line

- The outside lines which define the edges of a subject or shape of an object

## Composition

- The arrangement of shapes, colors, forms, and light and dark areas in a work of art

## Balance

- The arrangement of art elements in a composition which leads to an equilibrium in the work of art

## Harmony

- The effect of combining similar elements in an artwork to create a unified whole